

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

**June 20, 2006**

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                        | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                         | 17.59 | 82.41 | 68.48 | 48.15 | 25.67 | 4.28 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>06-13-2006</i>                  | 17.59 | 82.41 | 68.48 | 48.15 | 25.67 | 4.28 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>03-21-2006</i>               | 26.98 | 73.02 | 49.76 | 29.37 | 11.38 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2006</i> | 33.36 | 66.64 | 24.25 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2005</i>    | 45.89 | 54.11 | 27.37 | 7.52  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>06-21-2005</i>               | 50.57 | 49.43 | 29.62 | 10.88 | 0.00  | 0.00 |

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

### Intensity:

|                                                                                                           |                                                                                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  None                  |  D2 Severe Drought        |
|  D0 Abnormally Dry   |  D3 Extreme Drought     |
|  D1 Moderate Drought |  D4 Exceptional Drought |

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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