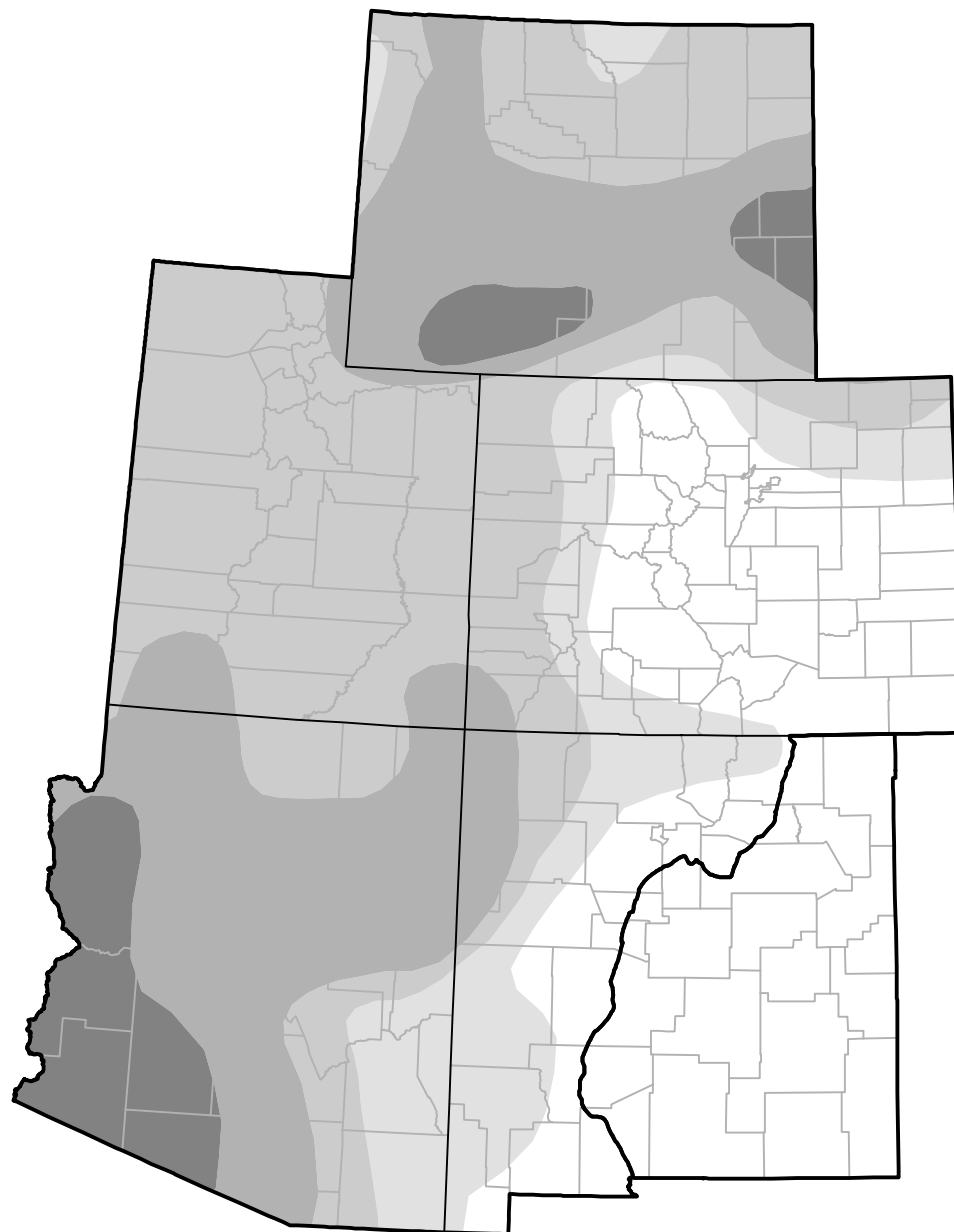


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	28.17	71.83	60.34	30.13	6.81	0.00
Last Week <i>04-12-2007</i>	27.64	72.36	59.65	27.52	6.25	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-18-2007</i>	43.26	56.74	39.50	23.36	10.79	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	39.70	60.30	38.81	18.86	8.32	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	30.29	69.71	42.97	20.13	10.10	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-20-2006</i>	22.62	77.38	60.29	38.04	13.20	0.00

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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