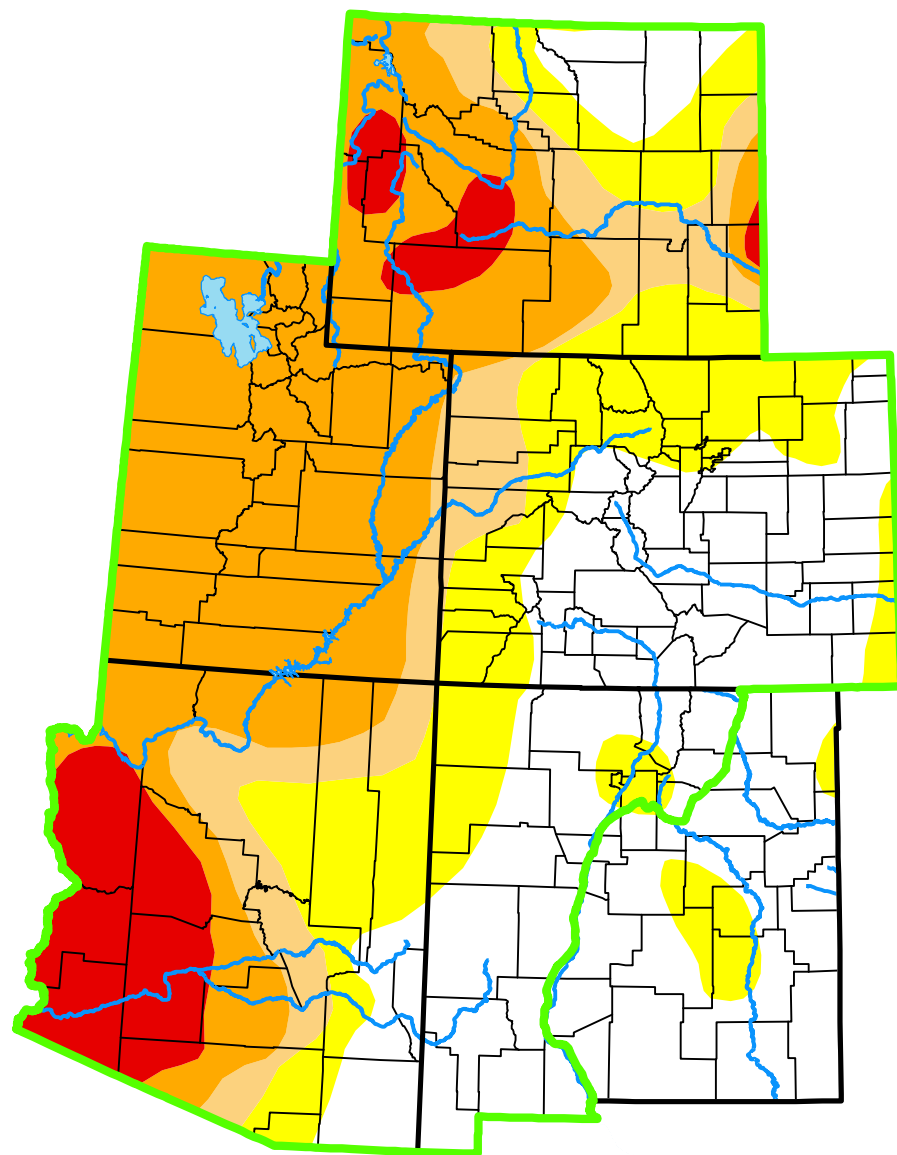


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



August 21, 2007

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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 27.37 | 72.63 | 51.99 | 40.70 | 8.99 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>08-14-2007</i> | 23.08 | 76.92 | 59.70 | 41.16 | 9.35 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>05-22-2007</i> | 23.08 | 76.92 | 61.42 | 31.91 | 7.35 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i> | 35.83 | 64.17 | 44.15 | 21.46 | 9.47 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i> | 21.59 | 78.41 | 48.89 | 22.90 | 11.49 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>08-22-2006</i> | 17.87 | 82.13 | 64.39 | 31.75 | 9.32 | 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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