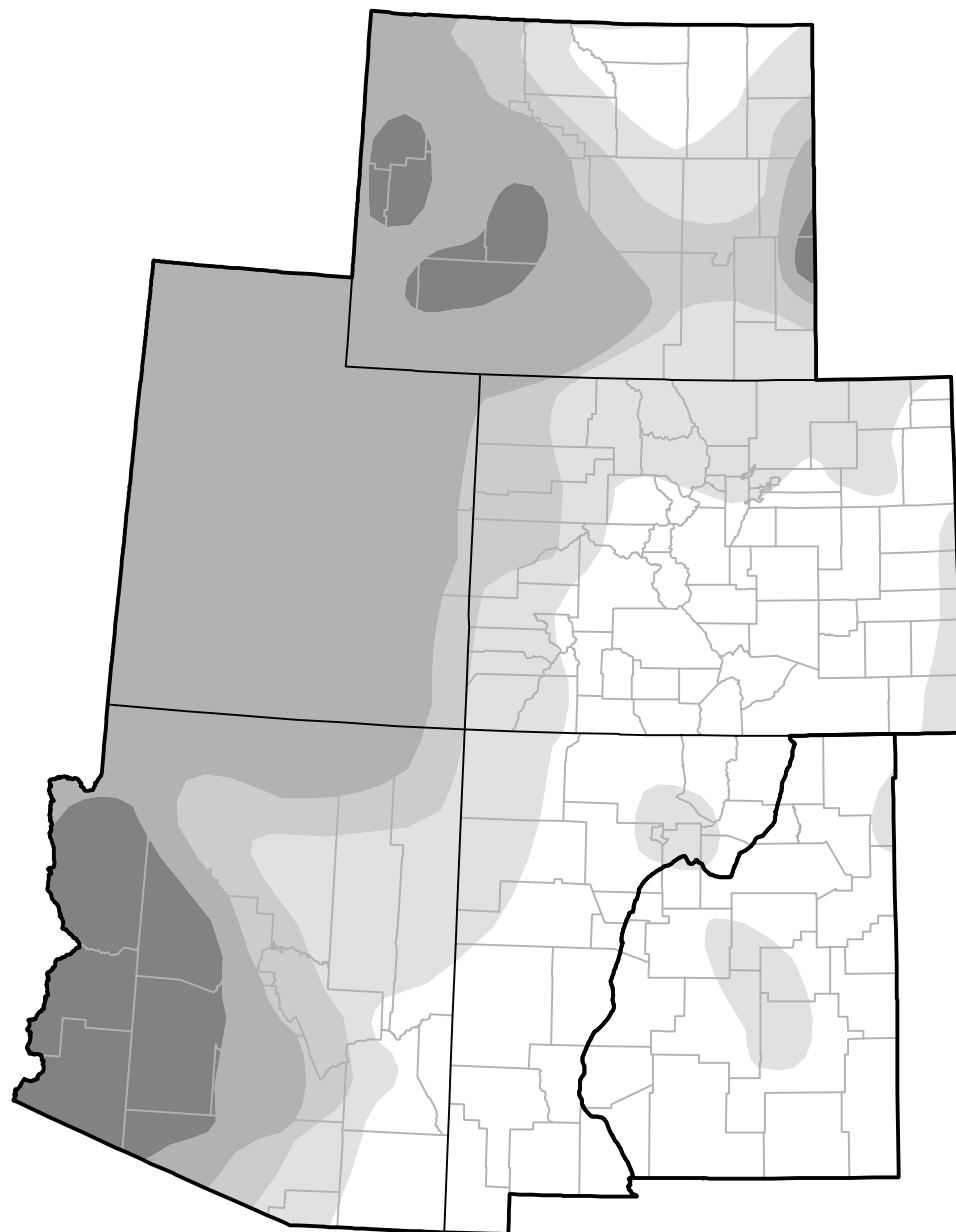


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	34.77	65.23	45.70	35.78	7.90	0.00
Last Week <i>08-16-2007</i>	32.39	67.61	52.47	36.18	8.22	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-24-2007</i>	32.39	67.61	53.99	28.05	6.46	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>08-24-2006</i>	19.24	80.76	59.89	27.91	8.19	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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