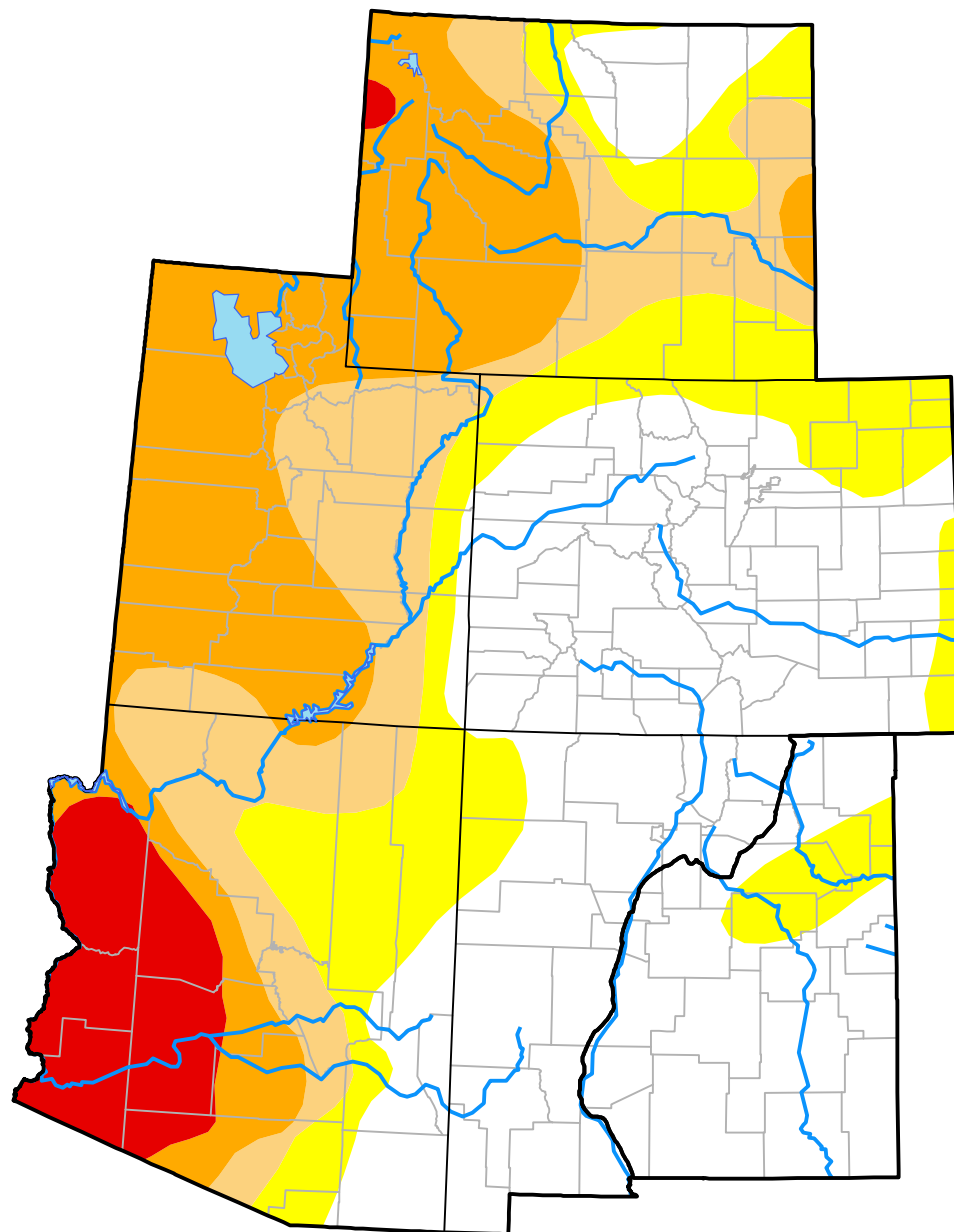


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	42.16	16.62	15.16	19.99	6.07	0.00
Last Week <i>10-04-2007</i>	41.56	17.00	15.37	19.38	6.69	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-12-2007</i>	31.23	15.44	23.59	21.13	8.61	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	39.70	21.49	19.95	10.54	8.32	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	37.58	19.38	16.74	19.61	6.69	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-12-2006</i>	39.27	20.24	20.82	9.64	10.03	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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