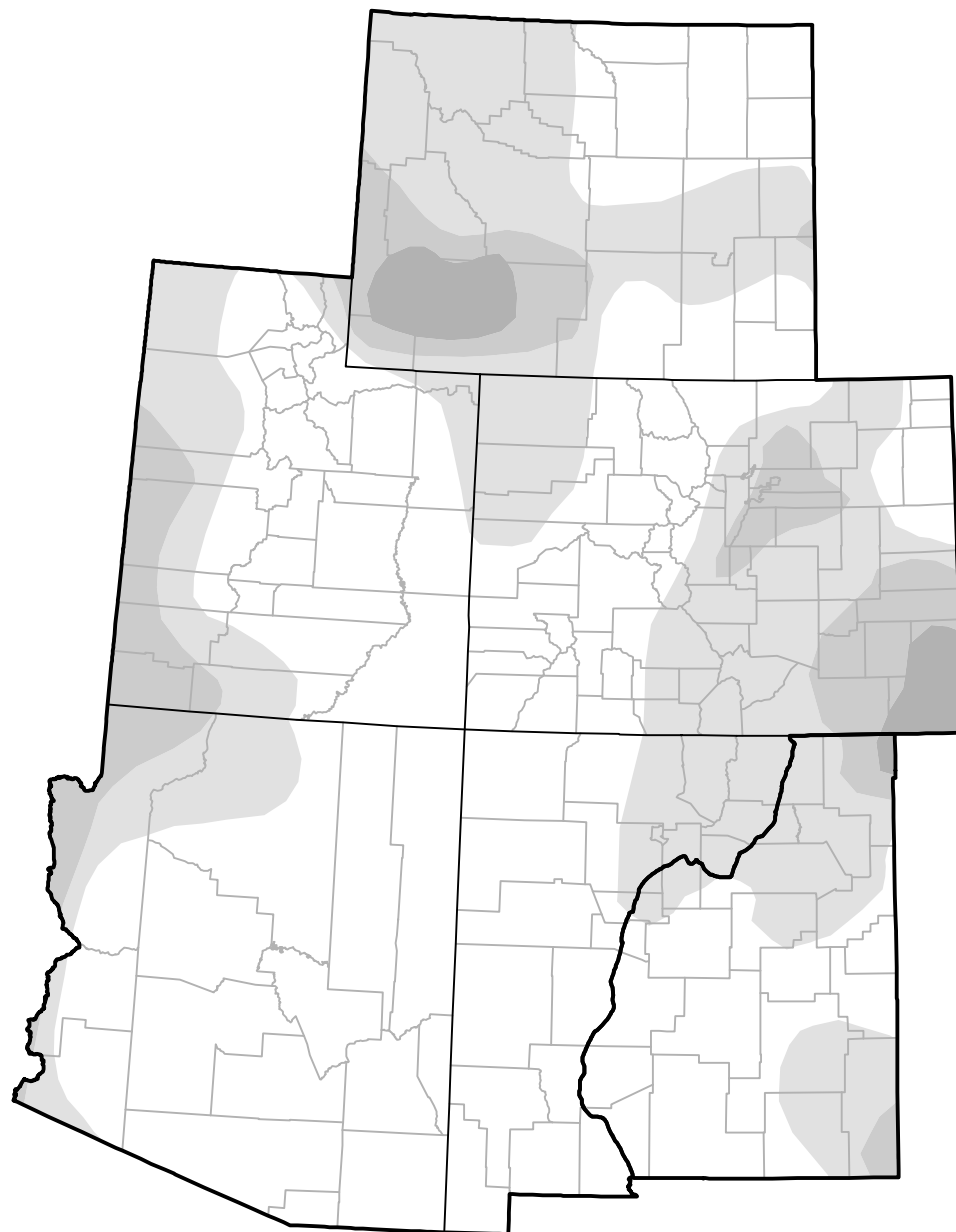


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	59.52	40.48	10.85	2.10	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-28-2008</i>	60.69	39.31	8.45	2.10	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-05-2008</i>	53.12	46.88	20.40	5.50	0.28	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	34.93	65.07	38.24	22.70	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	37.58	62.42	43.04	26.29	6.69	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-06-2007</i>	36.46	63.54	45.53	34.37	7.21	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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