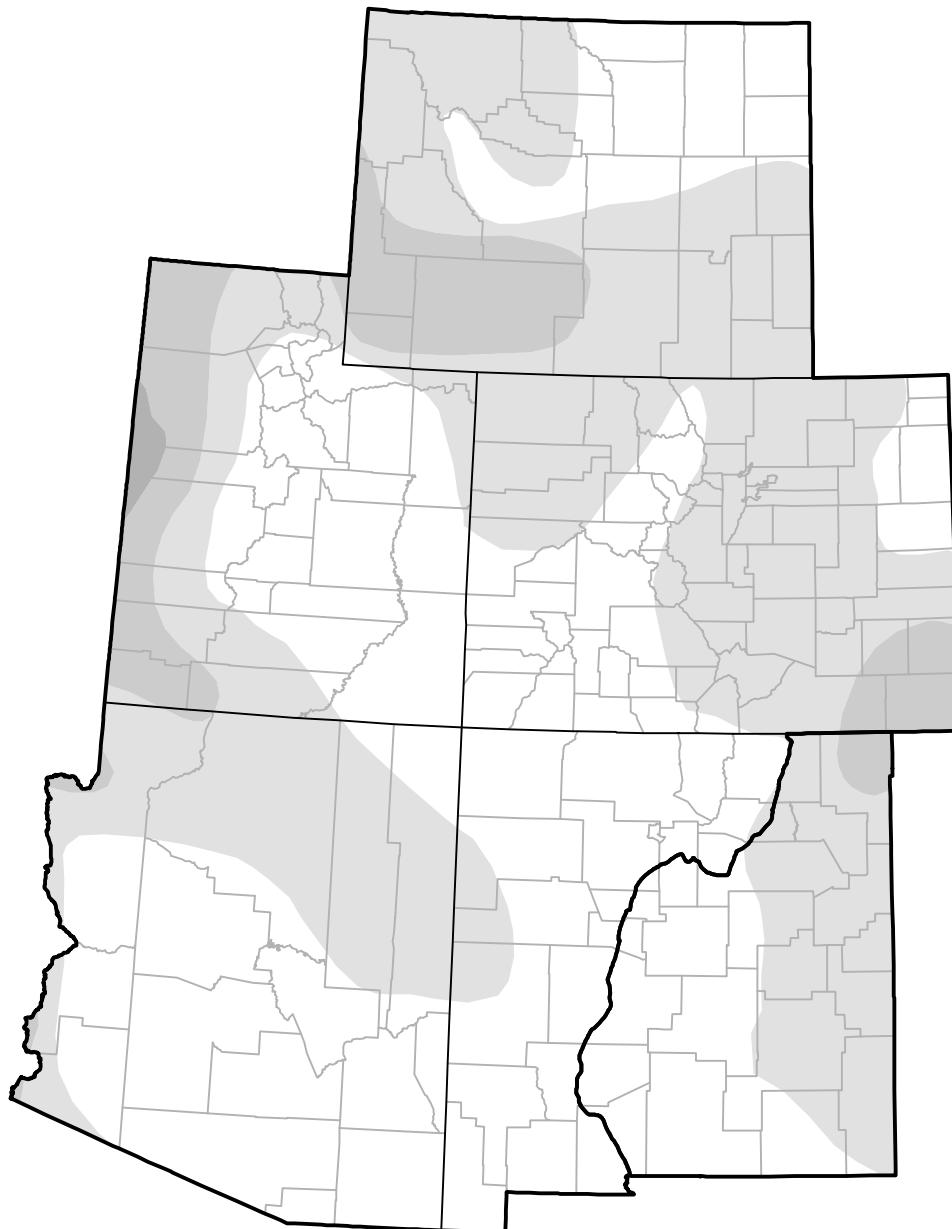


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	50.57	40.91	8.18	0.33	0.00	0.00
Last Week 01-08-2009	50.61	40.92	8.14	0.33	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-16-2008	62.88	30.02	7.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2009	47.80	43.73	8.14	0.33	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2008	59.73	31.12	8.49	0.67	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 01-17-2008	35.32	27.64	19.96	17.08	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

	None		D2 Severe Drought
	D0 Abnormally Dry		D3 Extreme Drought
	D1 Moderate Drought		D4 Exceptional Drought

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