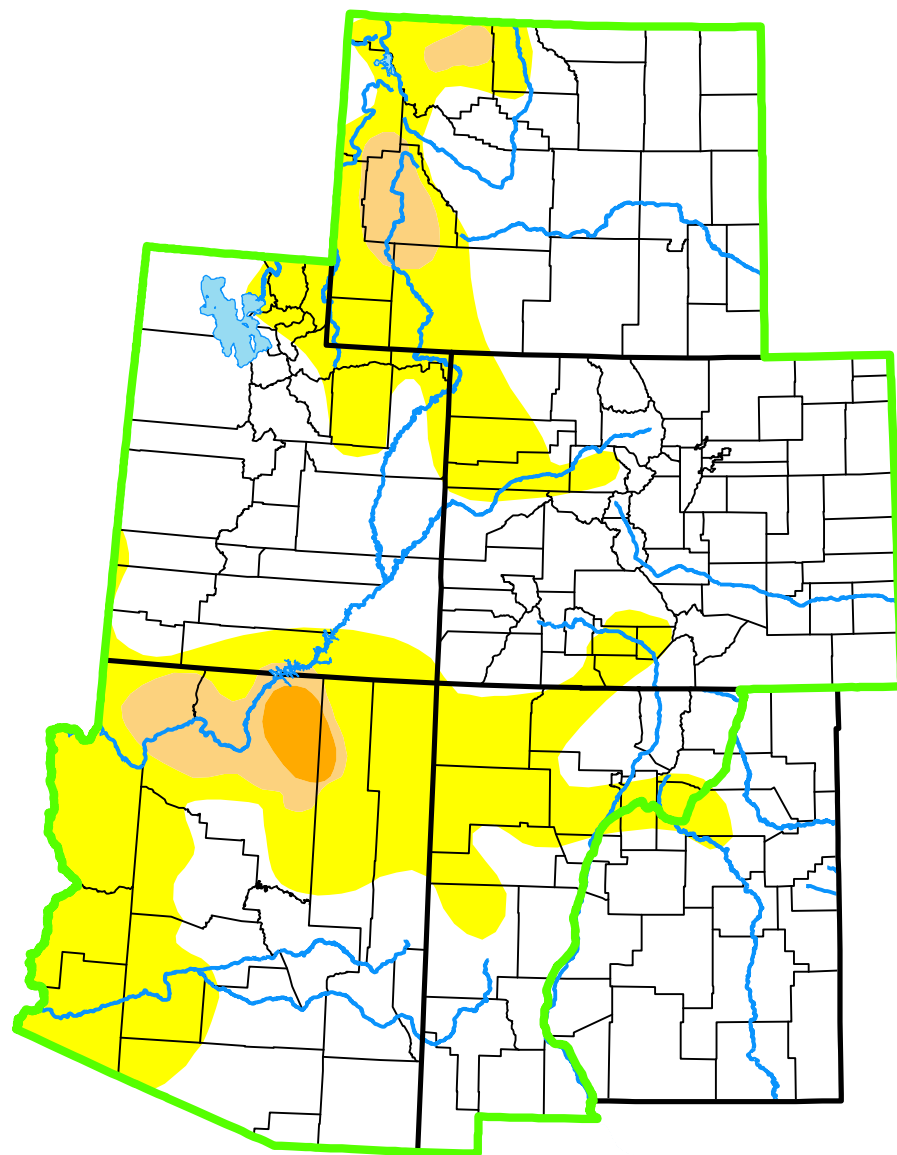


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	66.80	28.43	3.98	0.79	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-17-2010</i>	66.89	28.38	4.07	0.66	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-25-2010</i>	64.79	25.00	6.89	3.33	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	47.48	20.51	13.15	17.61	1.26	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	61.44	22.94	15.61	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-25-2009</i>	68.19	19.99	11.82	0.00	0.00	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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