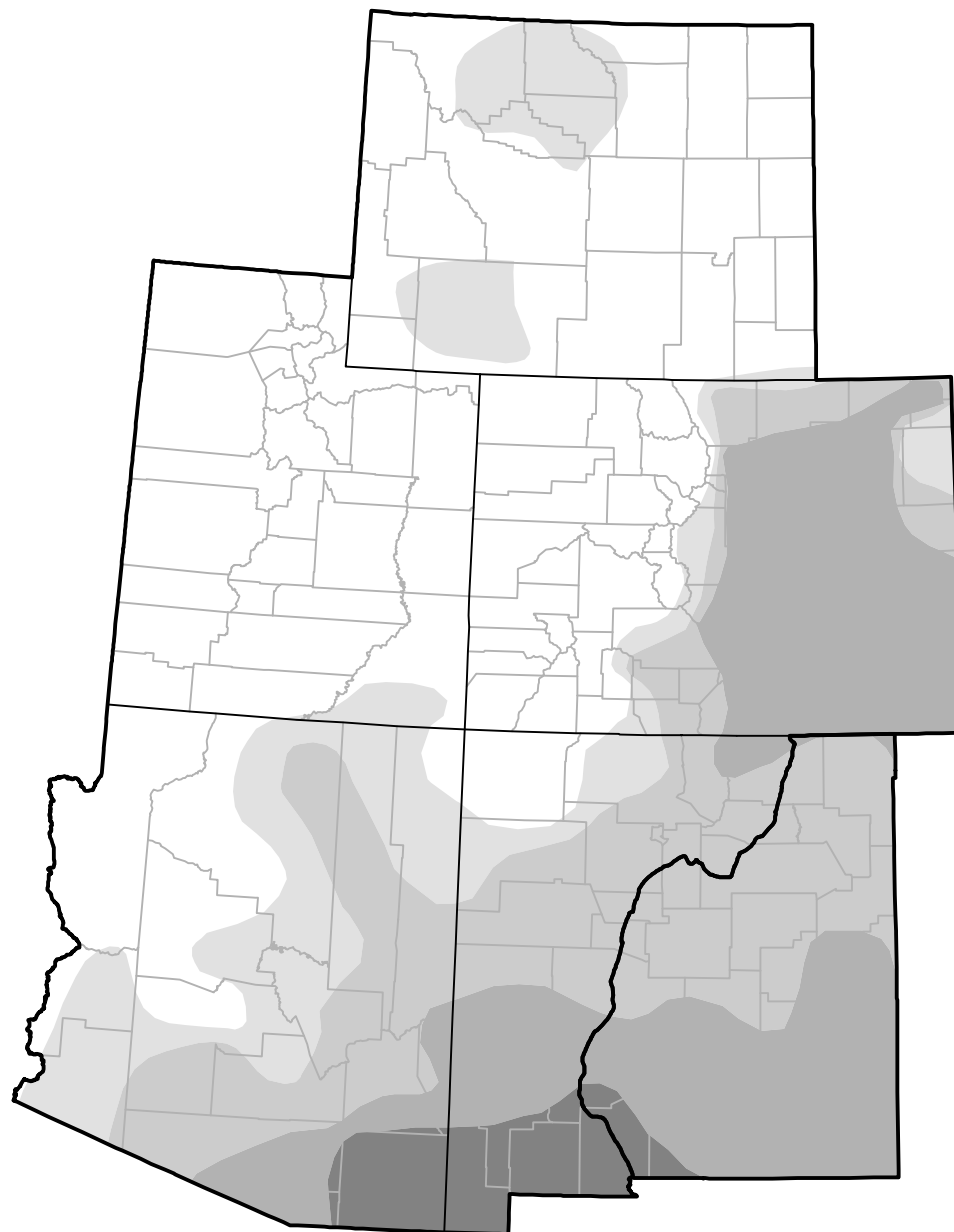


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	46.70	13.15	18.53	17.95	3.67	0.00
Last Week <i>03-17-2011</i>	47.39	13.87	21.08	14.21	3.45	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-23-2010</i>	36.81	35.39	25.78	2.02	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i>	45.79	27.65	24.53	2.02	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2010</i>	48.18	43.54	7.58	0.71	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-25-2010</i>	52.54	33.57	9.87	4.02	0.00	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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