

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	52.00	13.81	11.46	17.79	4.94	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-22-2011</i>	53.13	14.96	14.82	13.46	3.63	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-28-2010</i>	49.13	25.35	23.22	2.30	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	51.20	24.02	22.49	2.30	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	42.46	48.11	8.63	0.80	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-30-2010</i>	46.60	40.16	9.60	3.64	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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