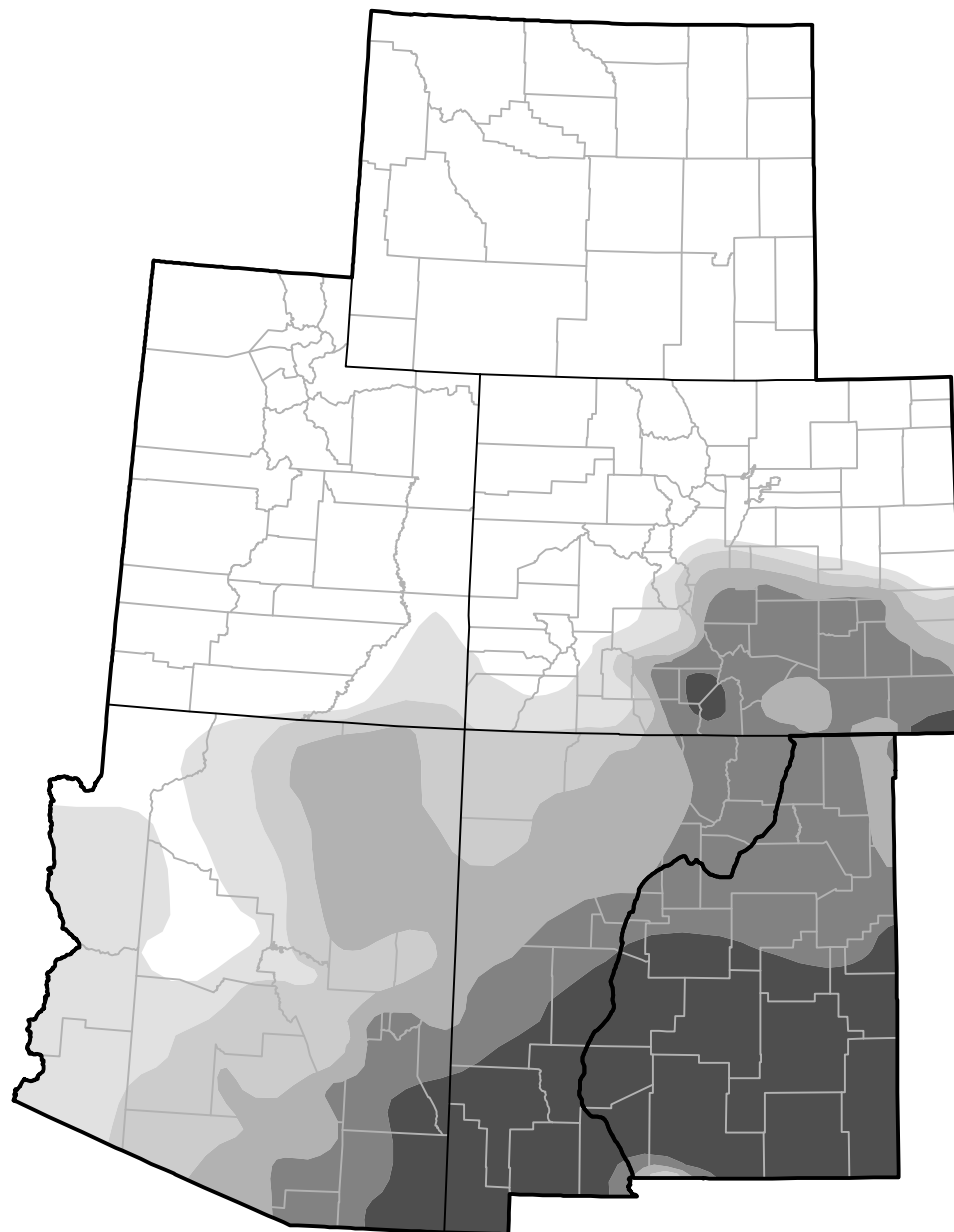


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	48.52	8.75	7.99	10.03	12.36	12.35
Last Week <i>08-04-2011</i>	47.89	9.01	8.05	9.86	12.66	12.53
3 Months Ago <i>05-12-2011</i>	45.26	9.15	10.27	17.08	11.24	7.01
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>08-12-2010</i>	69.61	26.00	3.80	0.58	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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