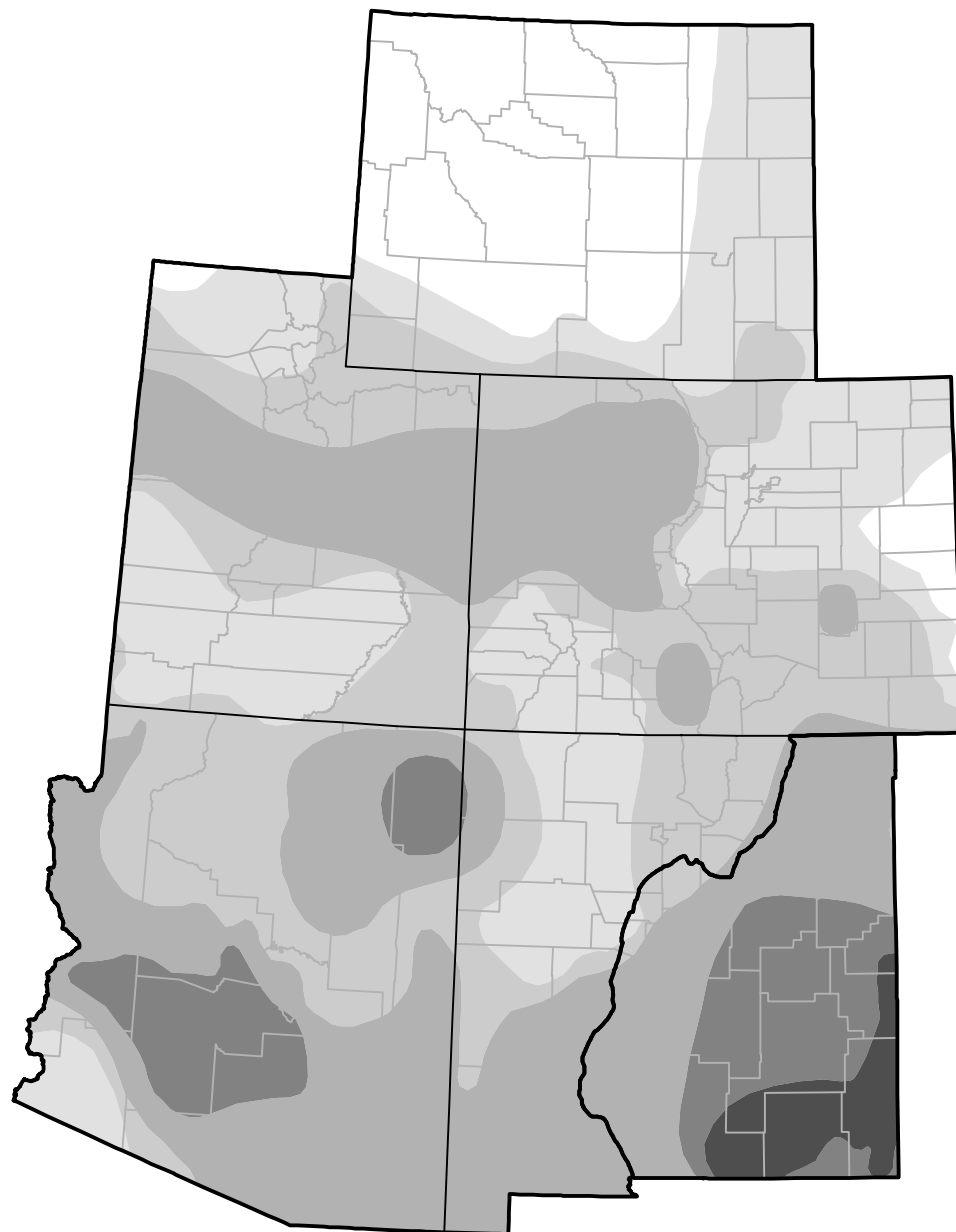


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	12.66	22.29	24.55	30.60	7.84	2.06
Last Week <i>04-19-2012</i>	12.56	23.92	28.09	26.87	6.49	2.06
3 Months Ago <i>01-26-2012</i>	27.23	25.11	22.74	18.84	4.32	1.76
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	51.79	9.62	11.71	20.83	4.29	1.76
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	45.58	11.18	9.19	12.92	12.47	8.65
One Year Ago <i>04-28-2011</i>	44.32	10.10	15.27	14.20	16.11	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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