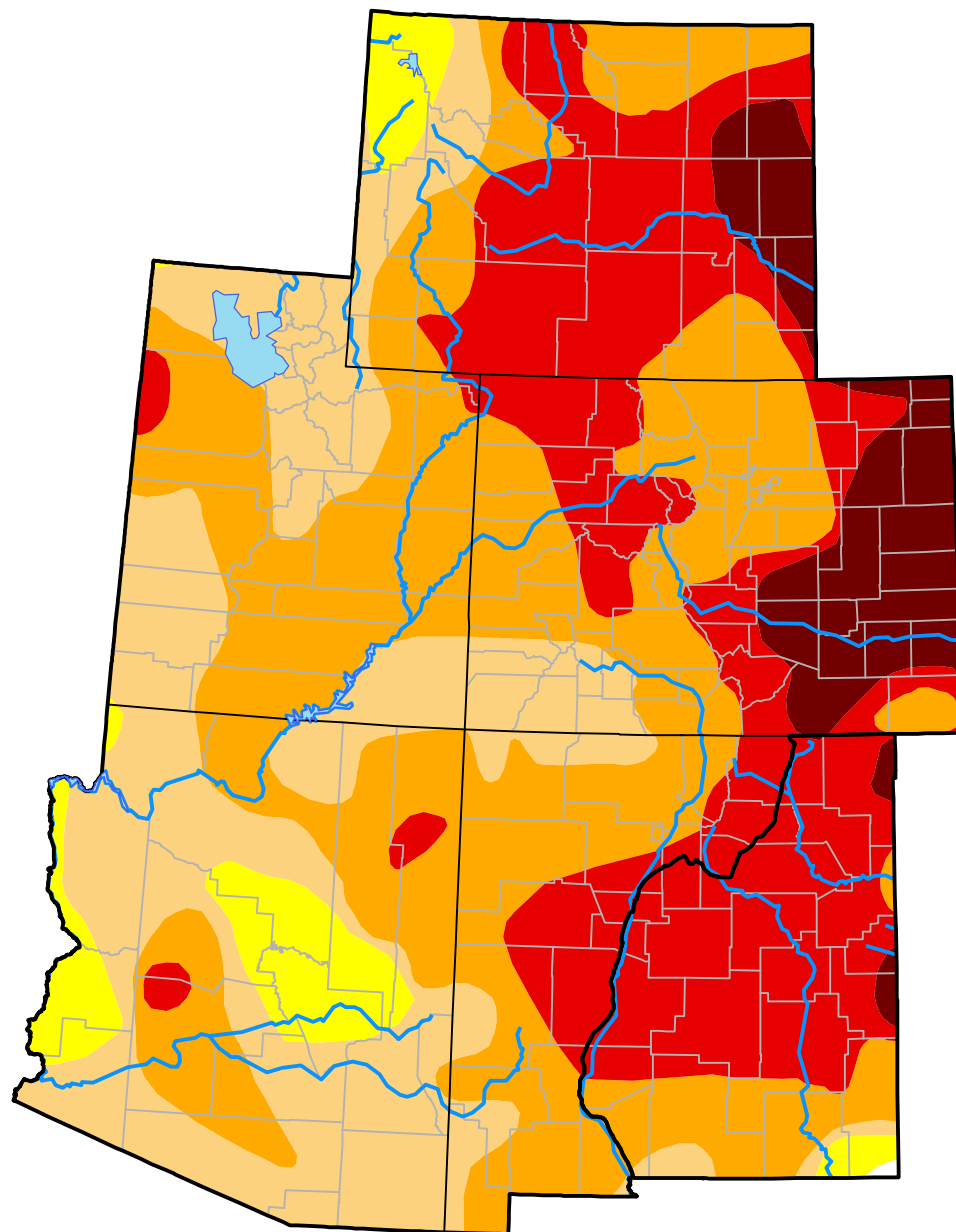


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.05	5.22	24.55	37.06	25.99	7.14
Last Week <i>02-14-2013</i>	0.05	4.23	25.54	42.76	20.26	7.16
3 Months Ago <i>11-22-2012</i>	0.02	0.97	27.91	40.12	26.83	4.15
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	0.00	1.45	22.56	40.53	30.58	4.88
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.00	0.37	28.31	40.34	26.95	4.03
One Year Ago <i>02-23-2012</i>	27.61	19.76	29.37	17.45	3.92	1.89

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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