

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	9.70	90.30	73.07	26.36	3.95	0.33
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-10-2013</i>	2.90	97.10	86.17	52.68	15.39	1.35
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-18-2013</i>	0.00	100.00	96.42	66.47	27.64	6.12
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	0.00	100.00	98.66	73.23	34.61	5.30
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	99.58	69.03	32.14	4.41
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-18-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	99.56	69.03	32.14	4.41

(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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