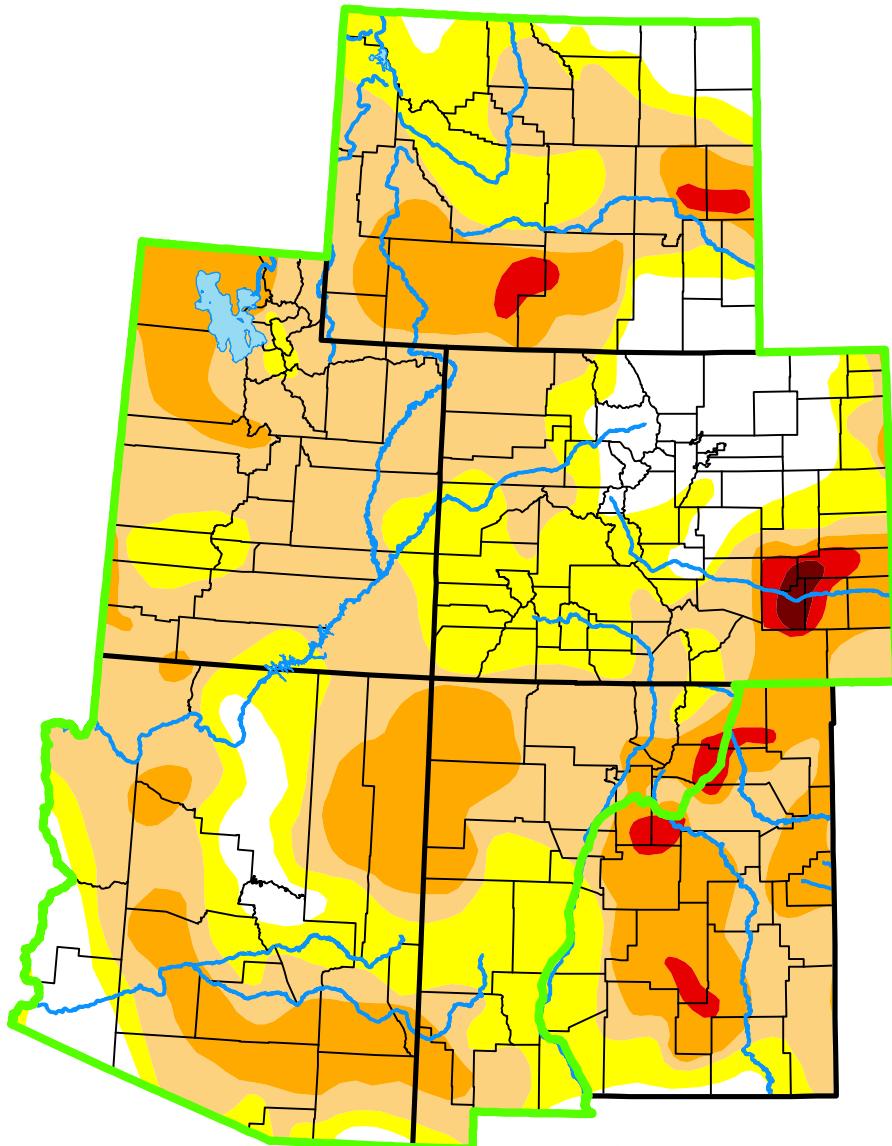


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



October 1, 2013  
(Released Thursday, Oct. 3, 2013)  
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	12.76	87.24	60.91	20.14	1.69	0.33
Last Week 09-24-2013	11.17	88.83	65.17	22.95	3.38	0.33
3 Months Ago 07-02-2013	0.26	99.74	95.06	68.93	31.98	7.20
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	0.00	100.00	98.66	73.23	34.61	5.30
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	12.76	87.24	60.91	20.14	1.69	0.33
One Year Ago 10-02-2012	0.00	100.00	99.58	68.14	30.63	5.35

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

### Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
Light Orange	D3 Extreme Drought
Yellow	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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