

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
Current	21.94	78.06	38.43	12.77	1.21	0.33
Last Week <i>12-10-2013</i>	21.94	78.06	38.43	12.67	1.21	0.33
3 Months Ago <i>09-17-2013</i>	9.70	90.30	73.07	26.36	3.95	0.33
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	0.00	100.00	98.66	73.23	34.61	5.30
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	12.76	87.24	60.91	20.14	1.69	0.33
One Year Ago <i>12-18-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	98.66	73.82	34.06	5.30

(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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