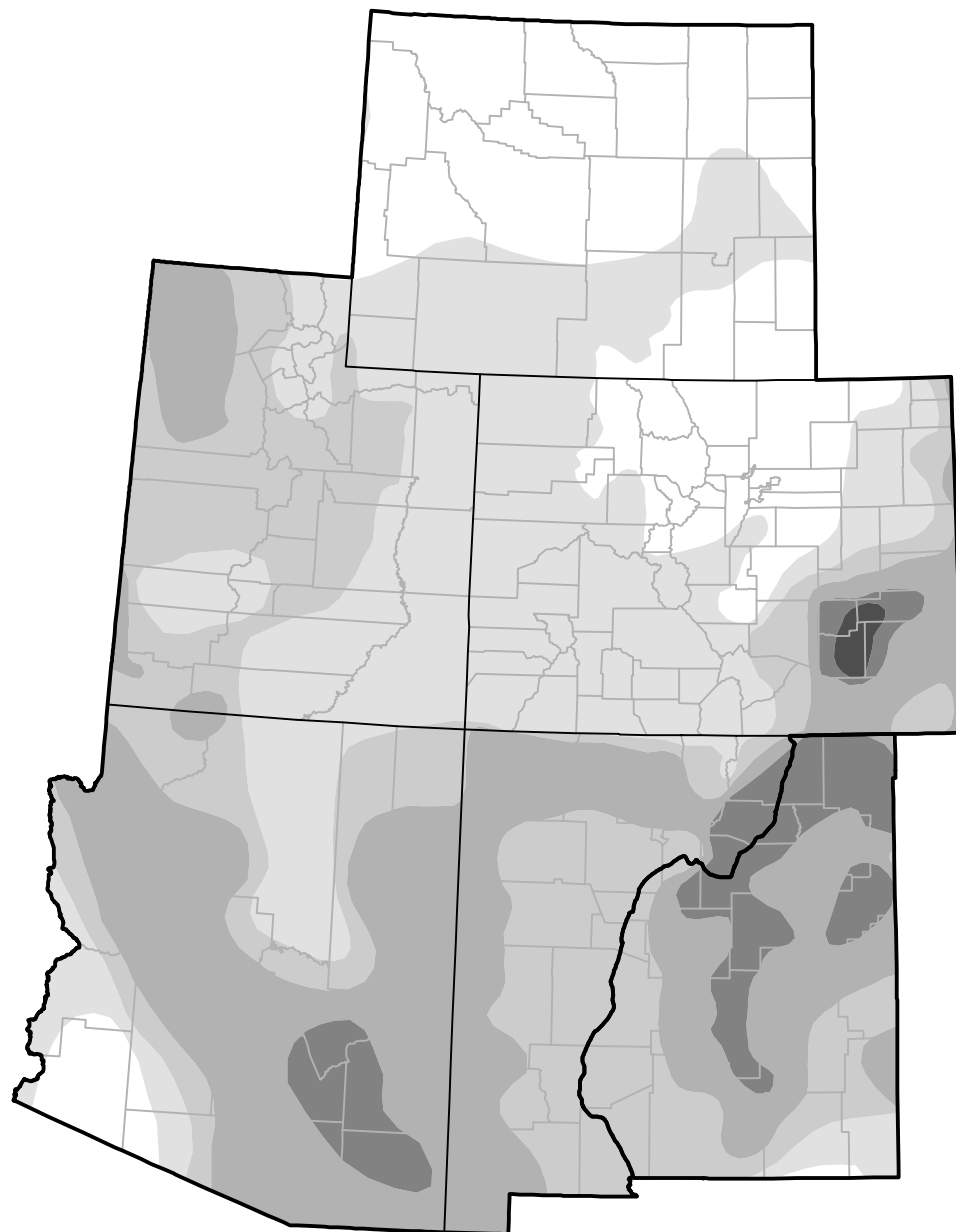


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	19.52	80.48	52.64	30.40	5.80	0.29
Last Week <i>02-13-2014</i>	17.43	82.57	53.41	24.81	3.82	0.29
3 Months Ago <i>11-21-2013</i>	13.88	86.12	52.23	19.38	1.72	0.29
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2014</i>	19.58	80.42	44.27	15.81	1.72	0.29
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2013</i>	11.53	88.47	63.29	23.51	2.12	0.29
One Year Ago <i>02-21-2013</i>	0.05	99.95	94.74	70.19	33.13	7.14

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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