

U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	28.12	21.54	21.95	24.62	3.43	0.33
Last Week <i>03-11-2014</i>	25.77	27.32	20.03	23.41	3.13	0.33
3 Months Ago <i>12-17-2013</i>	21.94	39.62	25.66	11.57	0.87	0.33
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	22.17	39.08	27.45	10.08	0.87	0.33
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	12.76	26.33	40.77	18.45	1.36	0.33
One Year Ago <i>03-19-2013</i>	0.76	6.25	28.12	38.03	19.78	7.06

(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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