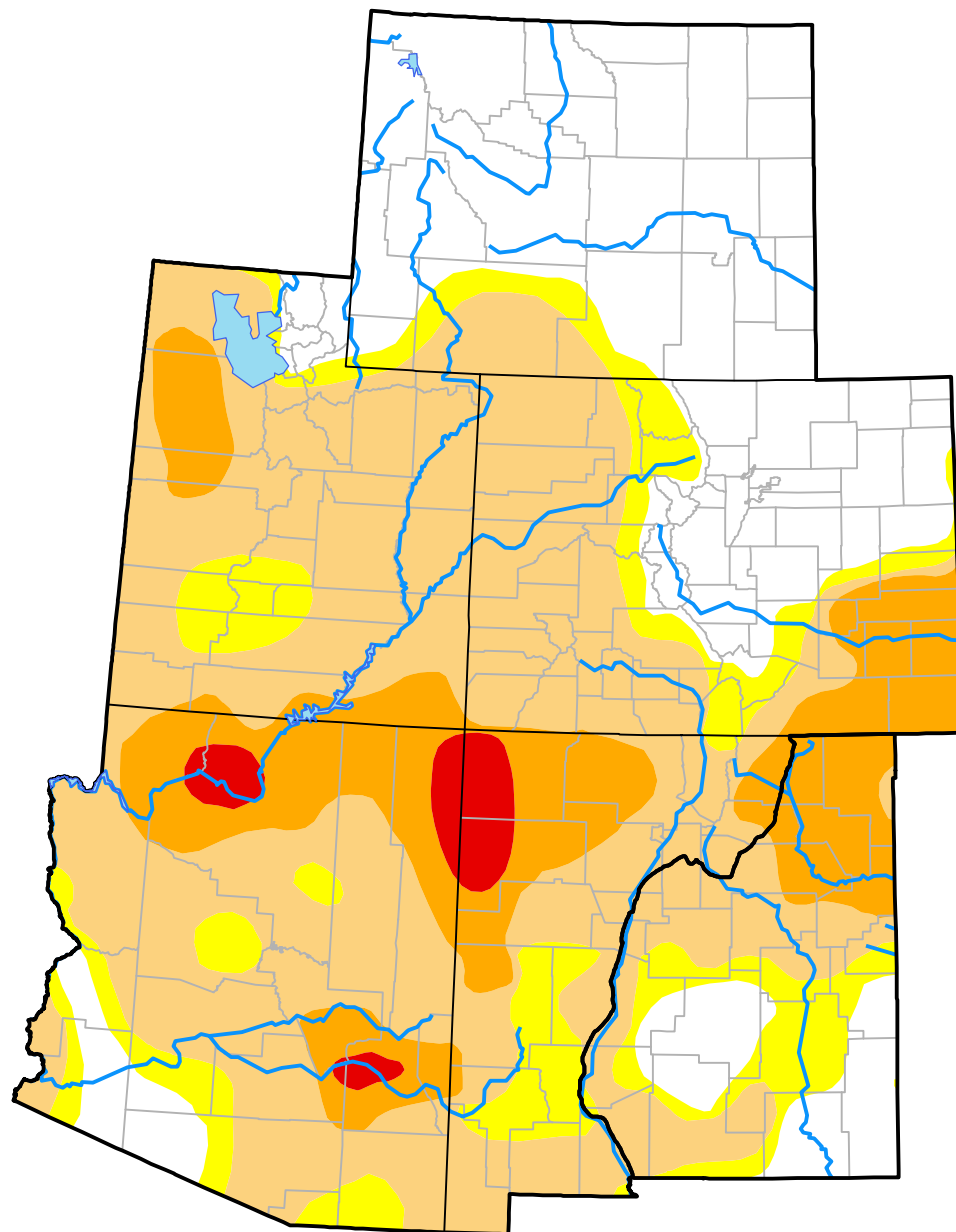


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	29.21	11.66	42.55	14.64	1.94	0.00
Last Week <i>02-12-2015</i>	29.27	25.21	28.94	15.11	1.47	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-20-2014</i>	39.31	13.77	28.18	17.56	1.18	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	38.06	14.78	28.13	17.34	1.70	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i>	38.96	13.81	27.10	16.97	3.16	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-20-2014</i>	19.52	27.83	22.24	24.60	5.50	0.29

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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