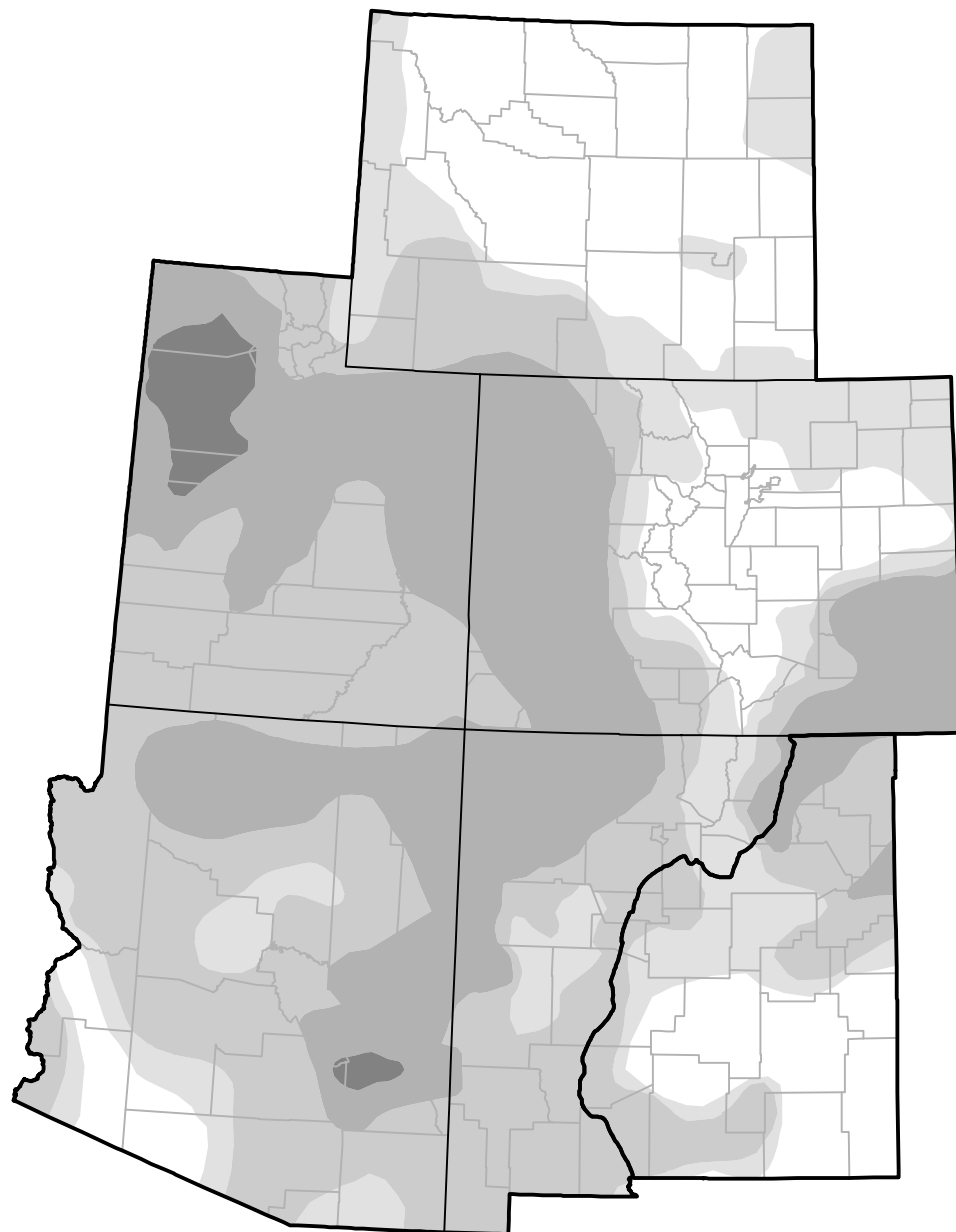


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	22.94	77.06	61.08	27.59	1.73	0.00
Last Week <i>04-09-2015</i>	24.20	75.80	59.79	27.51	1.73	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-15-2015</i>	38.06	61.94	46.91	18.86	1.47	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	38.06	61.94	47.16	19.04	1.70	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i>	38.96	61.04	47.23	20.13	3.16	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-17-2014</i>	26.89	73.11	58.20	37.15	8.29	0.35

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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