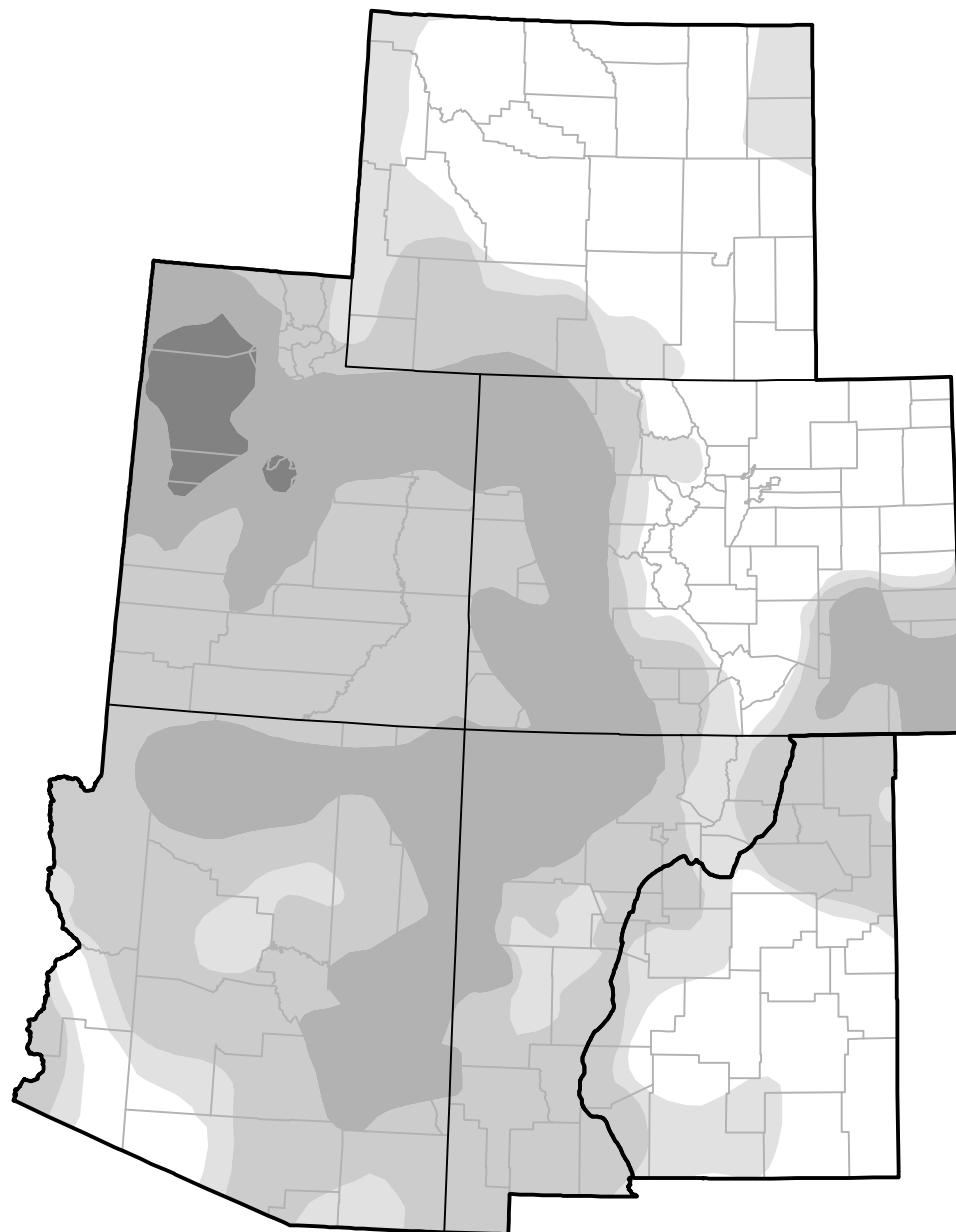


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	28.31	12.45	35.41	22.20	1.62	0.00
Last Week 04-30-2015	28.18	12.43	33.96	23.60	1.84	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-05-2015	30.64	24.50	28.27	15.13	1.47	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2014	38.06	14.78	28.13	17.34	1.70	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2014	38.96	13.81	27.10	16.97	3.16	0.00
One Year Ago 05-08-2014	26.38	11.40	21.48	29.66	9.68	1.42

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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