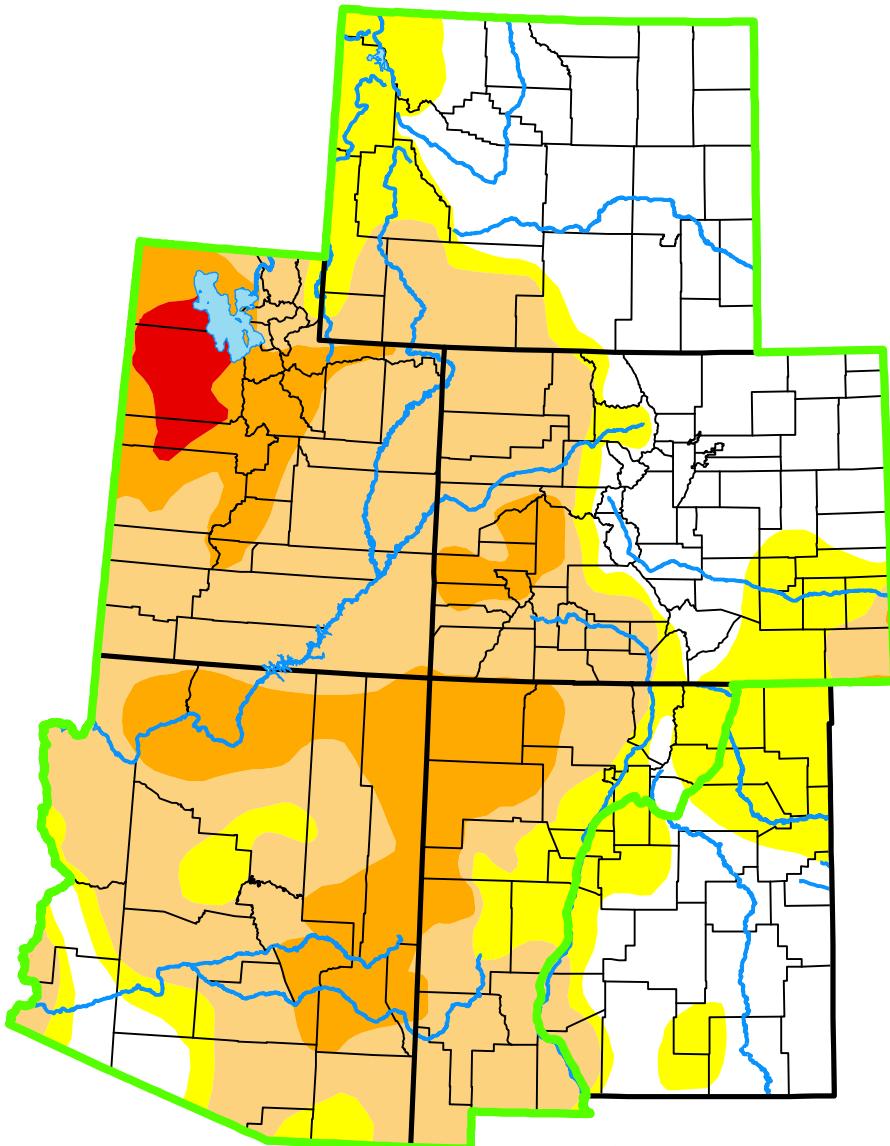


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



May 19, 2015

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	26.06	14.71	40.51	16.99	1.72	0.00
Last Week 05-12-2015	25.35	11.51	38.67	22.63	1.85	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-17-2015	29.56	10.34	43.74	14.15	2.21	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-30-2014	40.12	12.60	28.10	17.25	1.93	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2014	39.91	12.61	26.71	17.18	3.60	0.00
One Year Ago 05-20-2014	32.51	9.68	19.04	30.69	7.64	0.44

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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