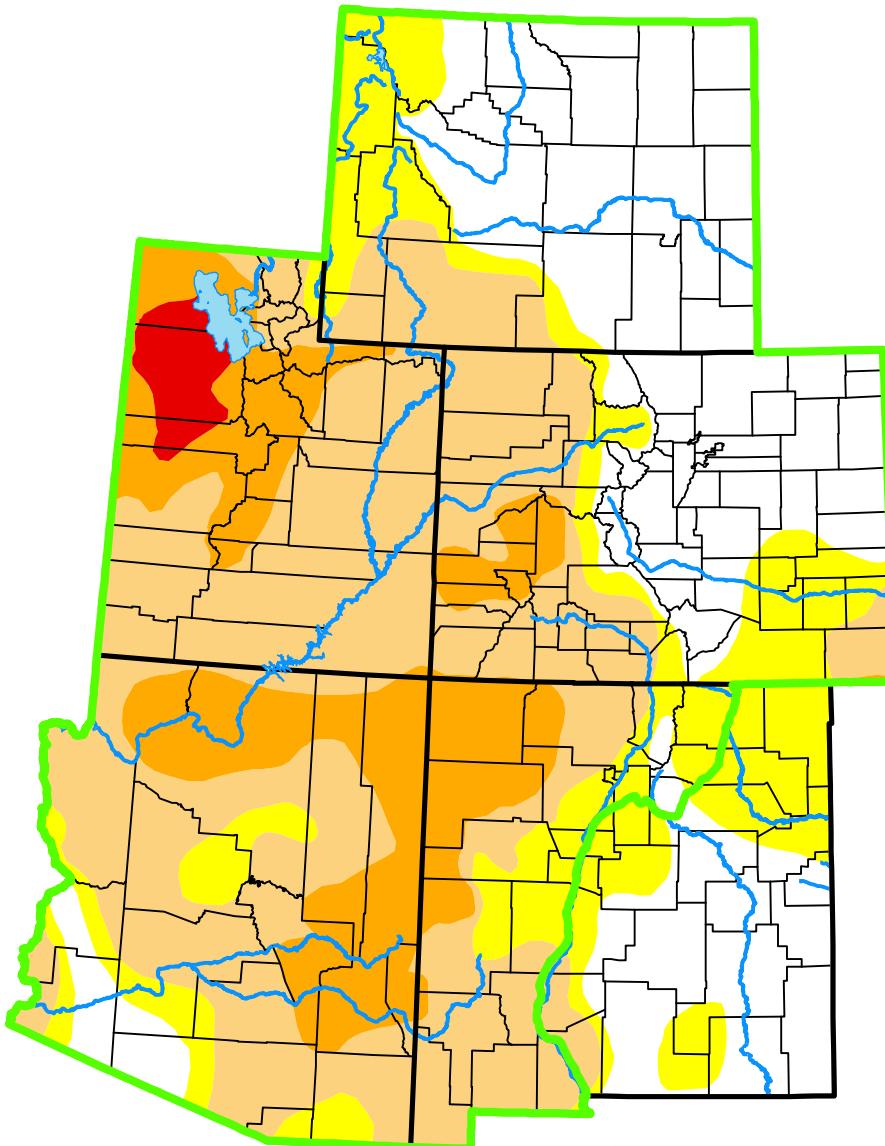


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



May 19, 2015

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	26.06	73.94	59.23	18.71	1.72	0.00
Last Week 05-12-2015	25.35	74.65	63.14	24.48	1.85	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-17-2015	29.56	70.44	60.10	16.36	2.21	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-30-2014	40.12	59.88	47.28	19.18	1.93	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2014	39.91	60.09	47.49	20.78	3.60	0.00
One Year Ago 05-20-2014	32.51	67.49	57.81	38.77	8.08	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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