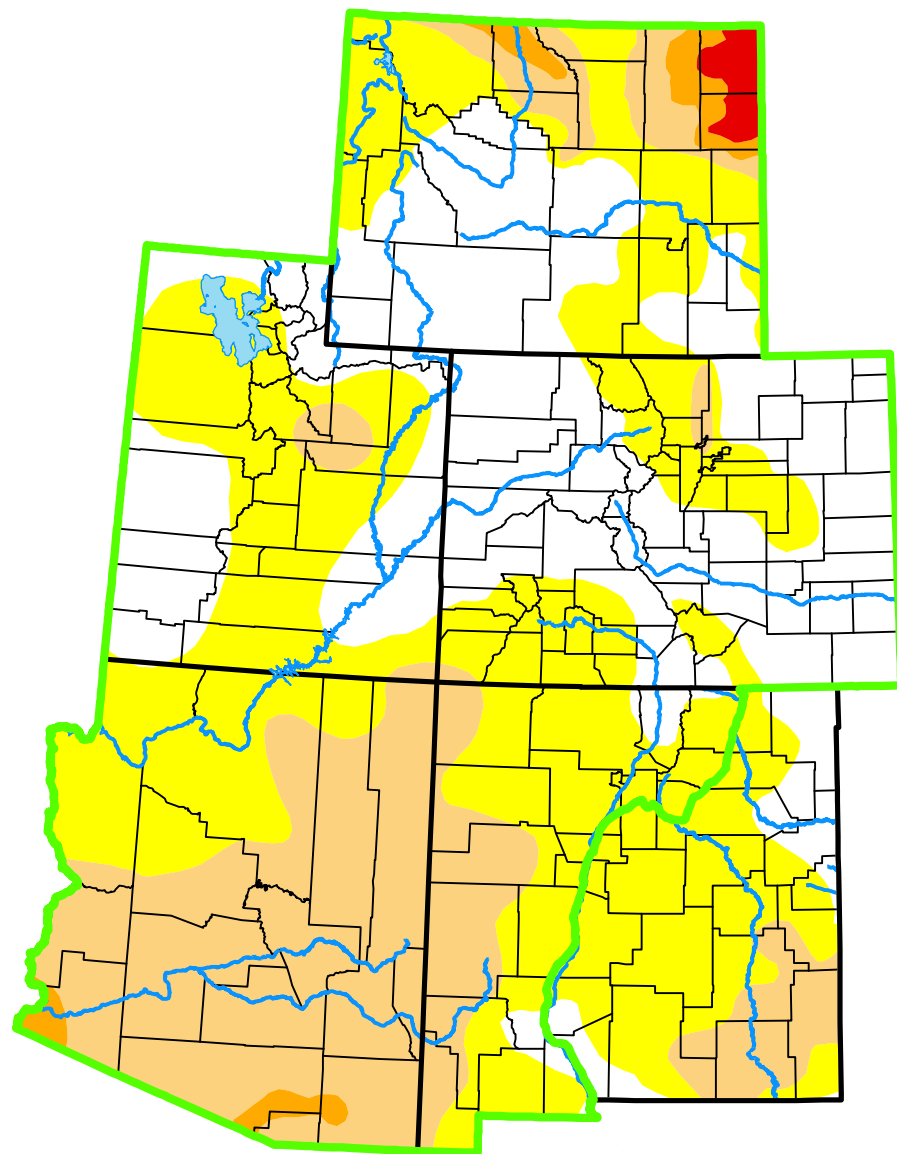


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



August 16, 2016

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	34.74	38.14	24.51	1.83	0.78	0.00
Last Week <i>08-09-2016</i>	34.85	37.88	24.39	2.11	0.78	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-17-2016</i>	46.95	28.48	24.06	0.51	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	42.54	39.27	13.74	4.44	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	37.57	33.04	23.63	5.77	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-18-2015</i>	45.28	21.90	26.48	6.34	0.00	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

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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