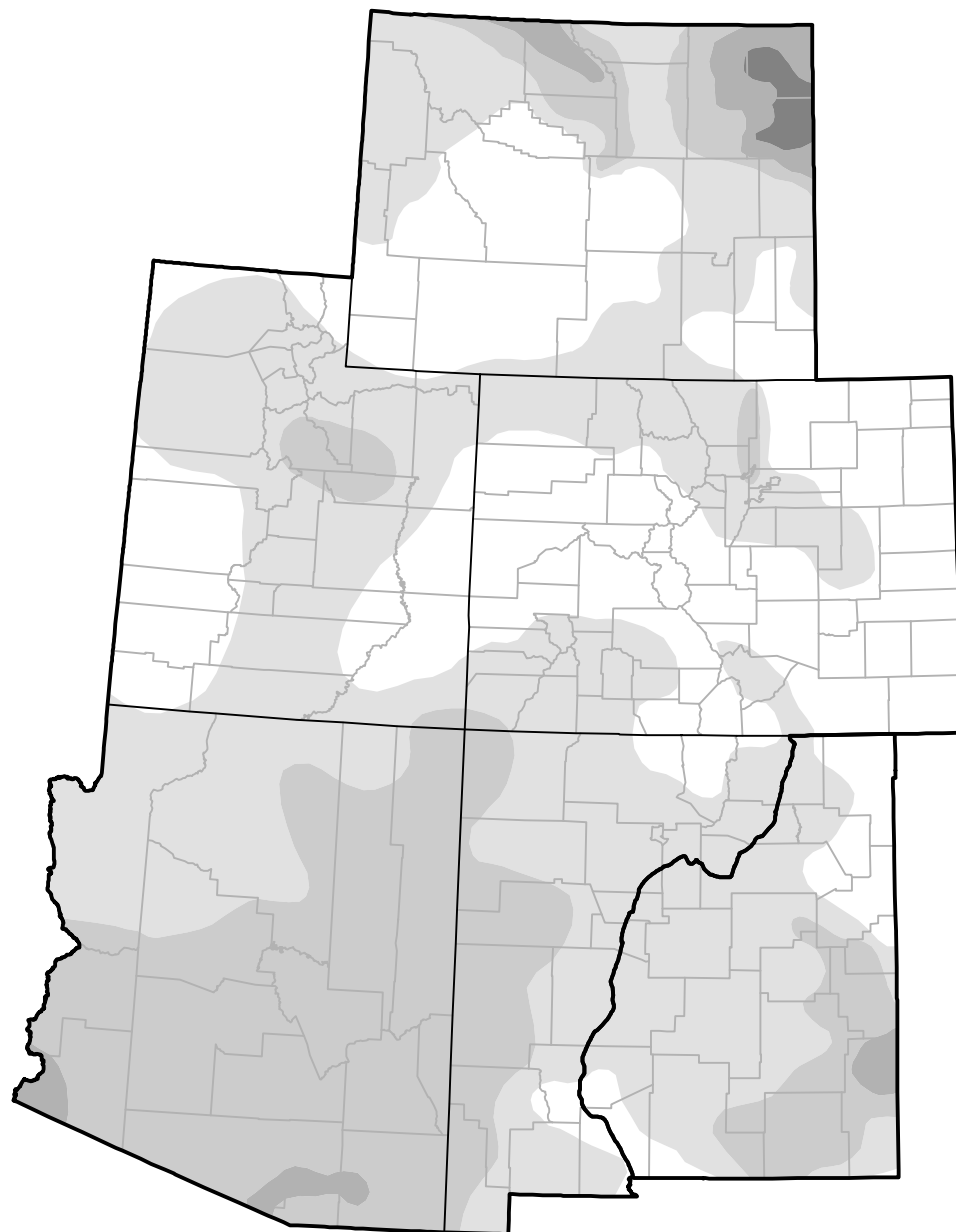


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	30.19	42.94	24.30	2.09	0.49	0.00
Last Week <i>08-18-2016</i>	32.61	41.29	23.80	1.61	0.69	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-26-2016</i>	44.63	31.47	23.45	0.45	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	49.11	34.91	12.08	3.91	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	43.05	31.10	20.77	5.07	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-27-2015</i>	49.70	21.39	23.33	5.57	0.00	0.00

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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