

U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	45.26	54.74	15.41	1.63	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-13-2016	51.84	48.16	15.83	1.63	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-21-2016	40.44	59.56	19.78	3.21	0.89	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015	49.11	50.89	15.99	3.91	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2016	42.41	57.59	18.03	3.17	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 10-22-2015	37.90	62.10	23.39	4.97	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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