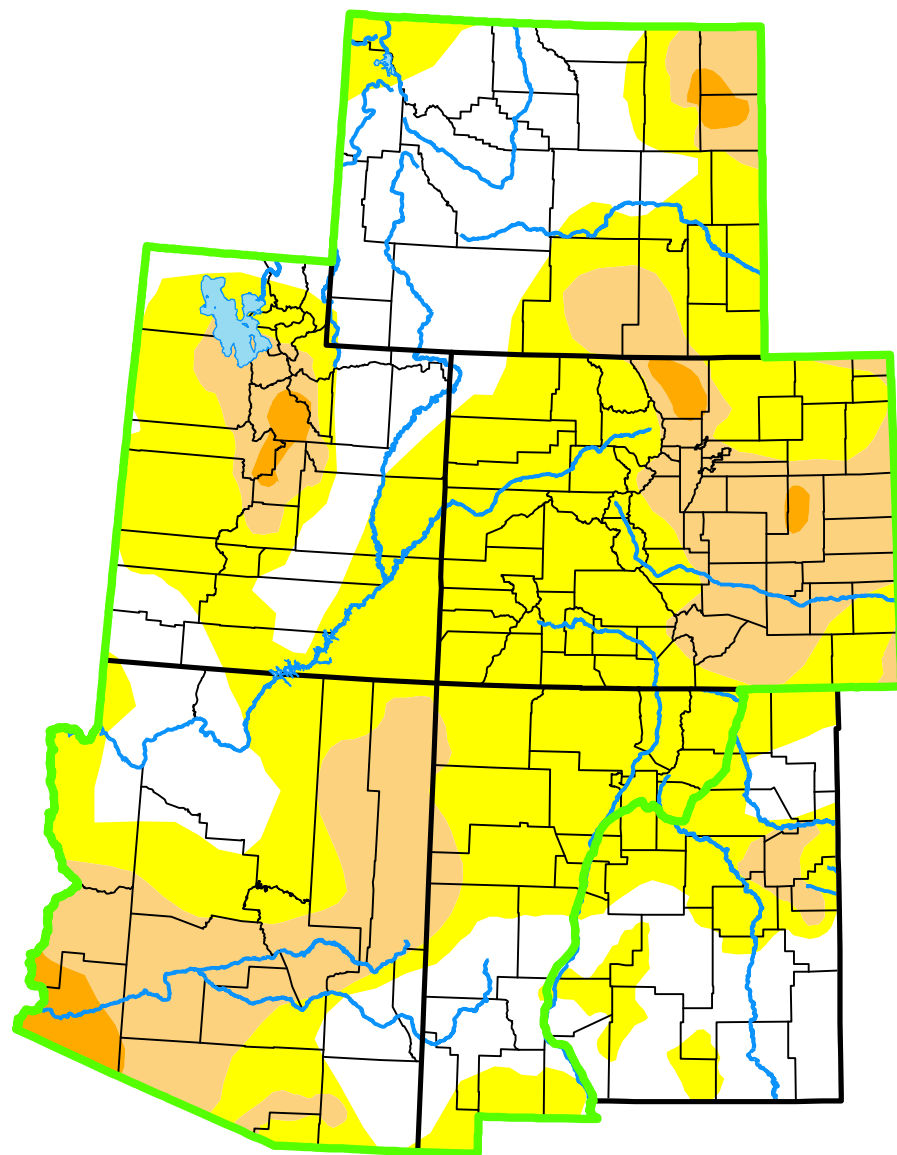


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Intermountain West DEWS and Surrounding Areas



**November 22, 2016**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                        | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                         | 26.60 | 73.40 | 25.32 | 2.35  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>11-15-2016</i>                  | 26.60 | 73.40 | 25.32 | 2.35  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-23-2016</i>               | 32.02 | 67.98 | 27.39 | 2.63  | 0.56  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-29-2015</i> | 42.54 | 57.46 | 18.19 | 4.44  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2016</i>    | 38.61 | 61.39 | 20.08 | 3.61  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>11-24-2015</i>               | 40.42 | 59.58 | 21.67 | 5.15  | 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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