

U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West DEWS

and Surrounding Areas

March 28, 2017

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 76.64 | 23.36 | 10.63 | 0.79 | 0.05 | 0.00 |
| Last Week 03-21-2017 | 76.15 | 23.85 | 14.84 | 1.22 | 0.05 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago 12-27-2016 | 43.68 | 56.32 | 22.88 | 1.90 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017 | 47.82 | 52.18 | 20.83 | 1.71 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 09-27-2016 | 38.61 | 61.39 | 20.08 | 3.61 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago 03-29-2016 | 28.12 | 71.88 | 27.79 | 3.11 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

Intensity:

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|  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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