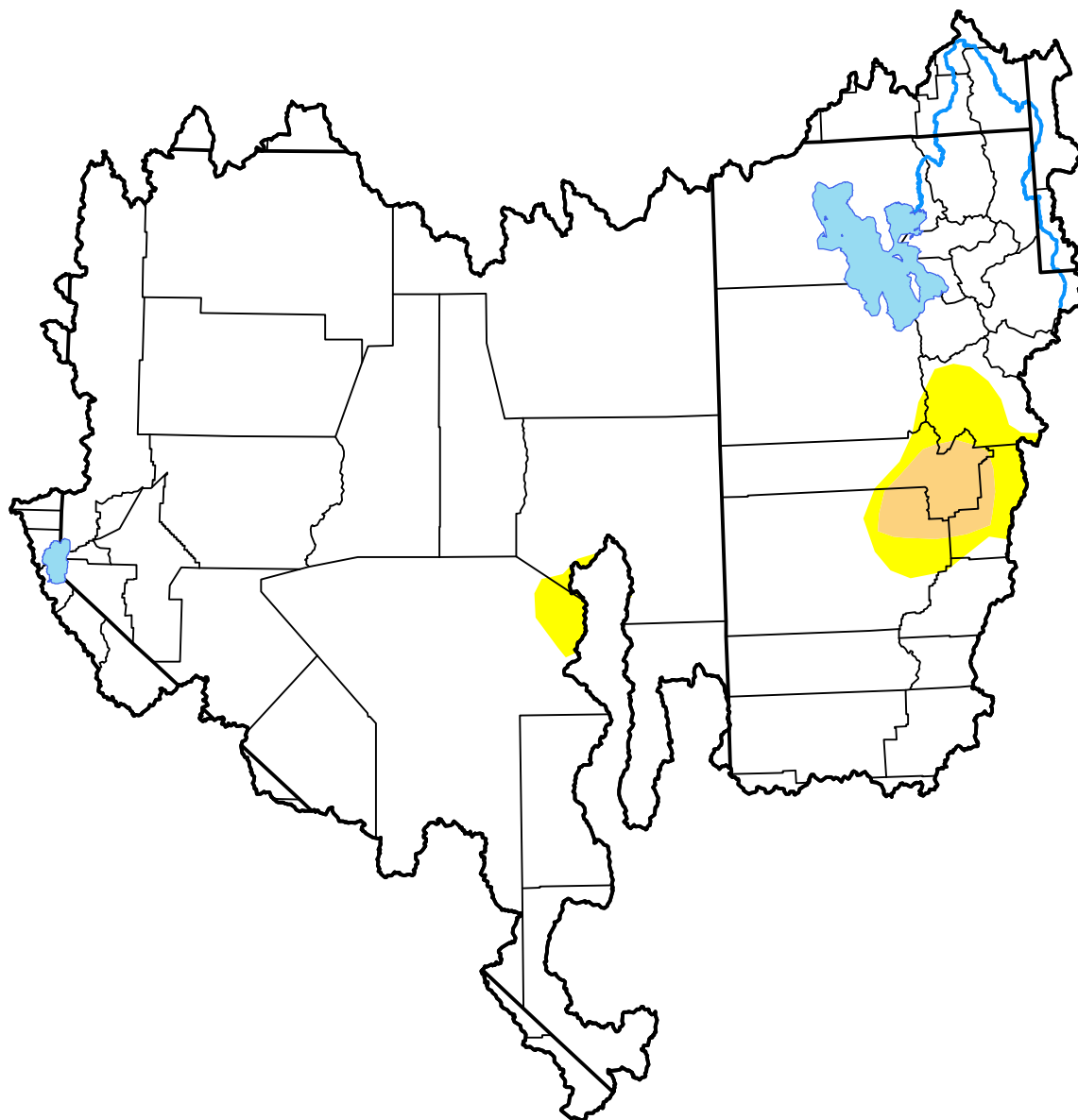


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Basin Watershed

**August 15, 2017**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 17, 2017)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 95.77 | 4.23  | 1.46  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-10-2017</i>              | 82.17 | 17.83 | 1.46  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-18-2017</i>           | 95.56 | 4.44  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2017</i> | 26.40 | 73.60 | 33.92 | 6.49  | 0.47  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>    | 12.22 | 87.78 | 35.93 | 19.52 | 0.72  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-18-2016</i>           | 37.26 | 62.74 | 26.75 | 18.09 | 0.72  | 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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