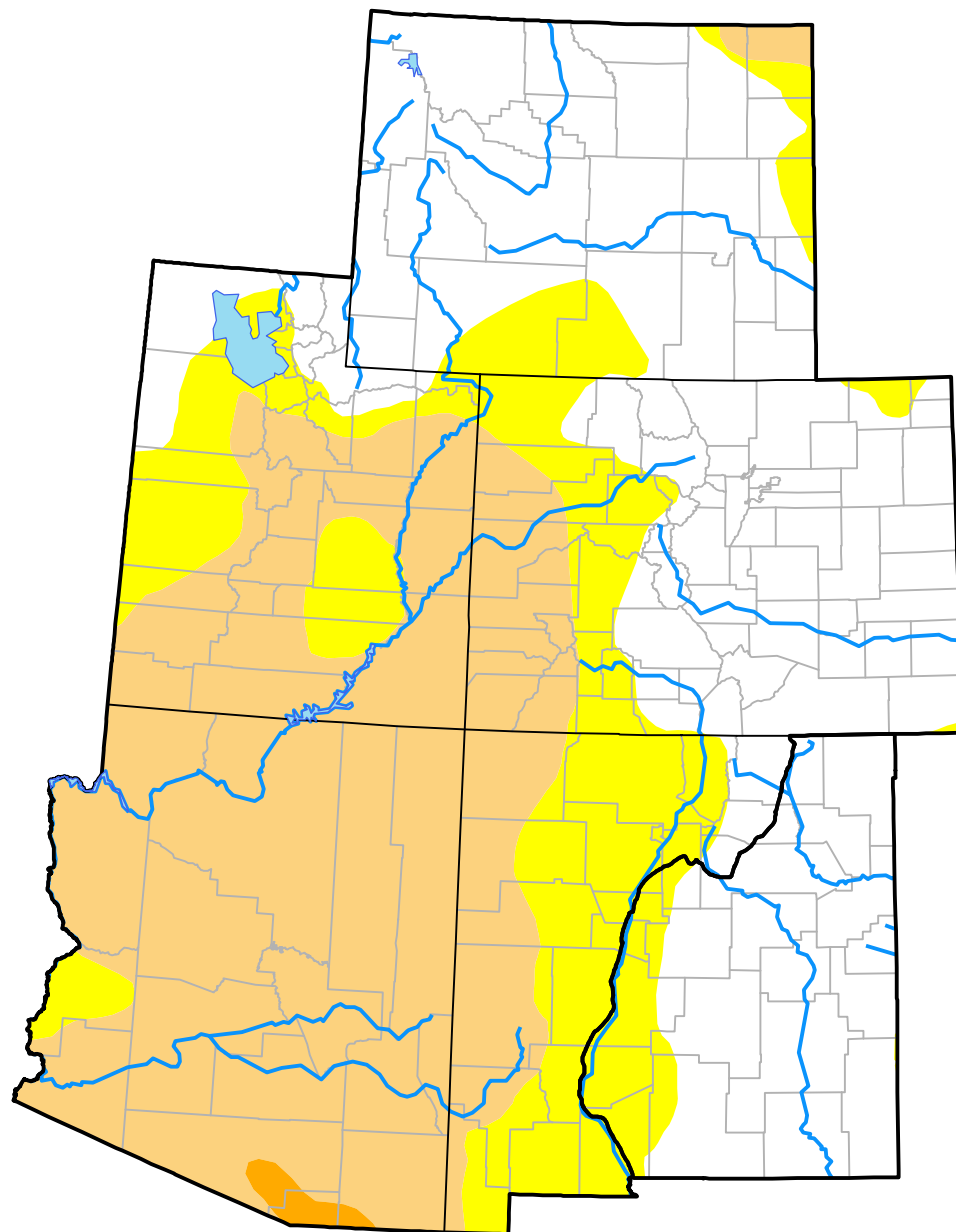


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	42.80	57.20	37.23	0.45	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-30-2017</i>	43.45	56.55	31.18	0.45	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-07-2017</i>	71.31	28.69	4.76	0.07	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	49.44	50.56	18.89	1.51	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	66.55	33.45	4.74	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-08-2016</i>	31.29	68.71	23.79	2.33	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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