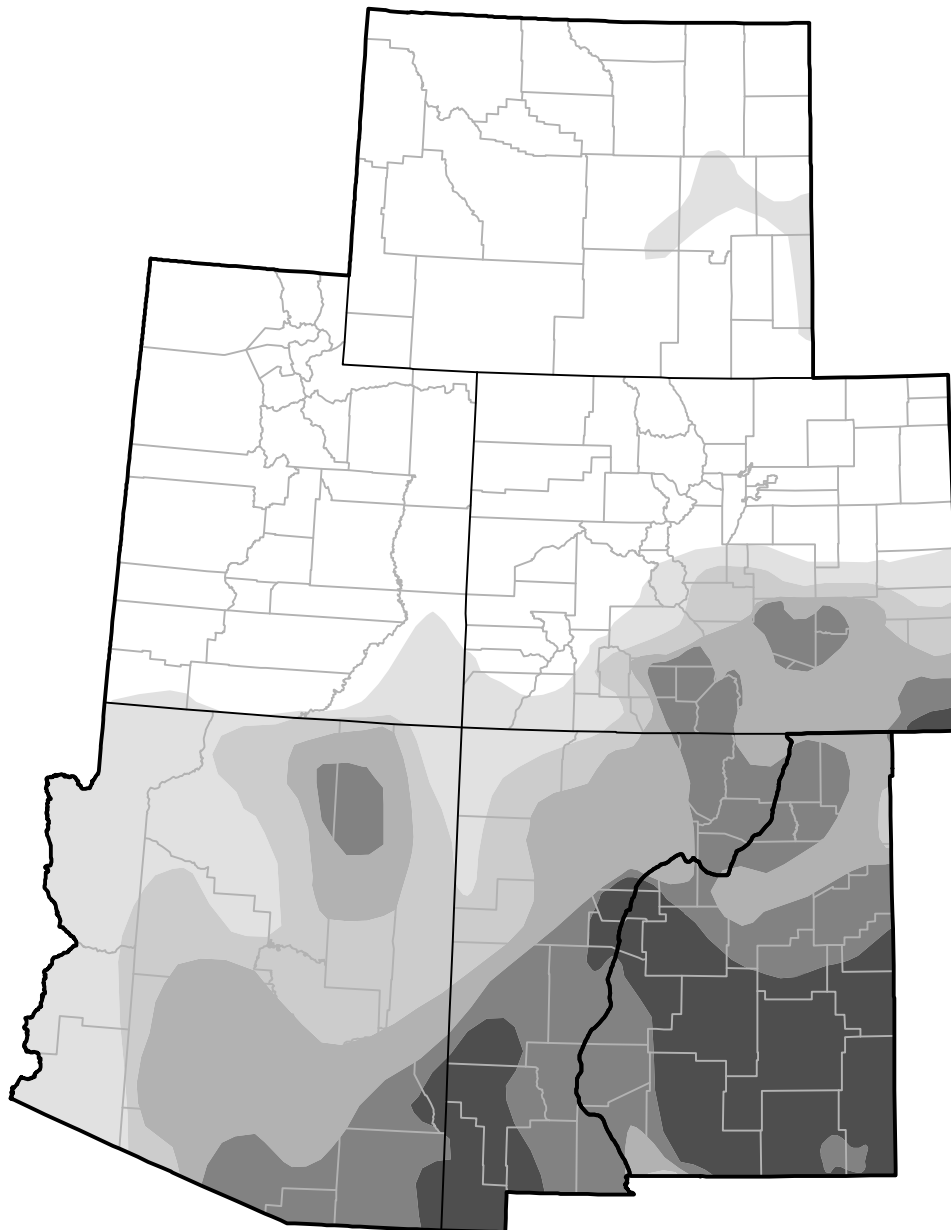


U.S. Drought Monitor

Intermountain West RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	44.94	55.06	43.23	34.04	21.12	8.86
Last Week <i>09-29-2011</i>	45.58	54.42	43.23	34.04	21.12	8.65
3 Months Ago <i>07-07-2011</i>	44.23	55.77	43.95	36.39	25.77	12.96
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i>	45.79	54.21	26.55	2.02	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	45.58	54.42	43.23	34.04	21.12	8.65
One Year Ago <i>10-07-2010</i>	48.18	51.82	8.90	0.71	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



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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