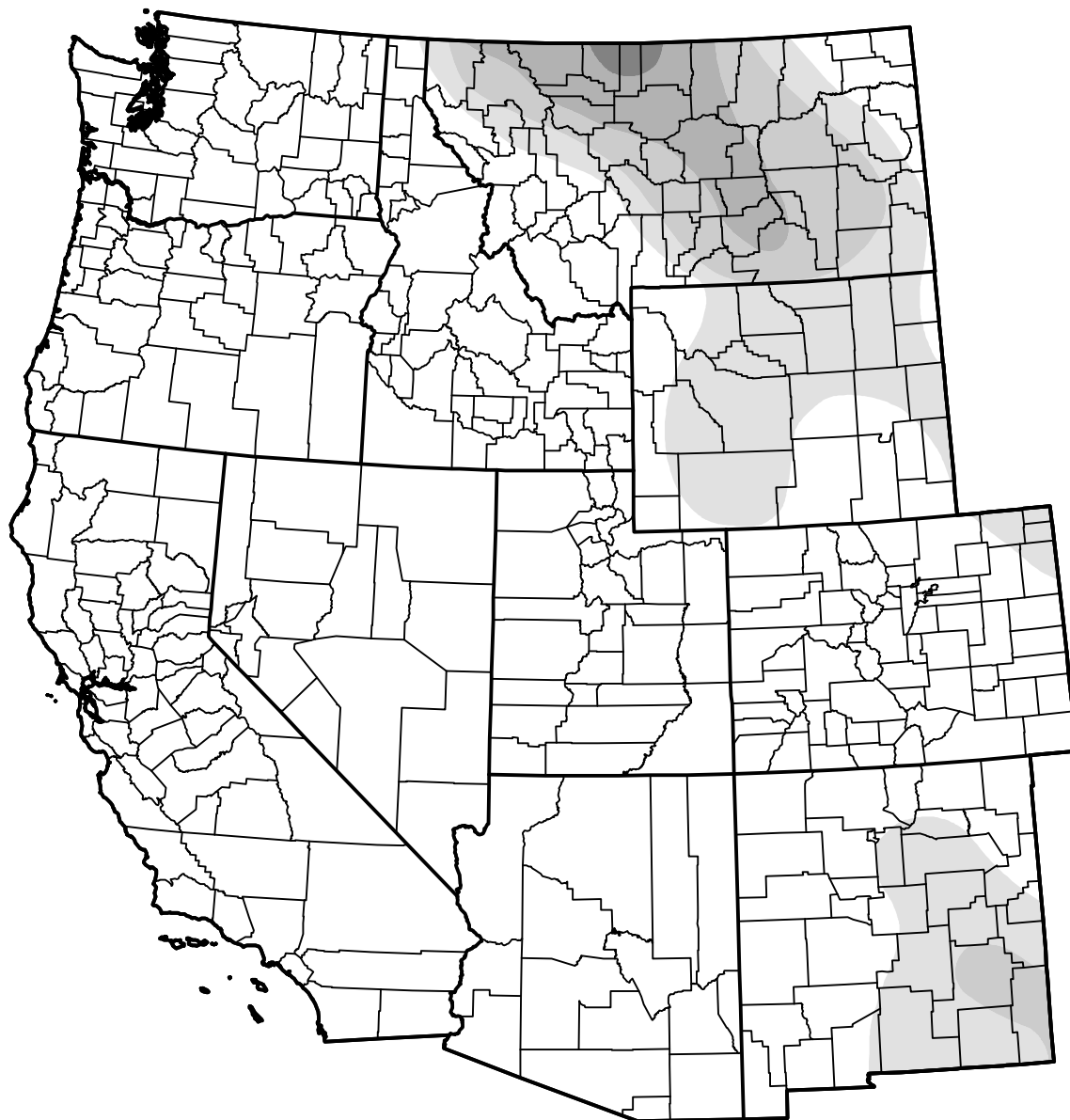


U.S. Drought Monitor West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	82.21	10.70	4.37	2.52	0.20	0.00
Last Week <i>12-19-2000</i>	80.33	12.03	5.04	2.39	0.20	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-26-2000</i>	38.65	32.39	18.18	9.49	1.30	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2000</i>	80.42	19.41	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	38.65	32.39	18.18	9.49	1.30	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-01-1900</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-

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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