

U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

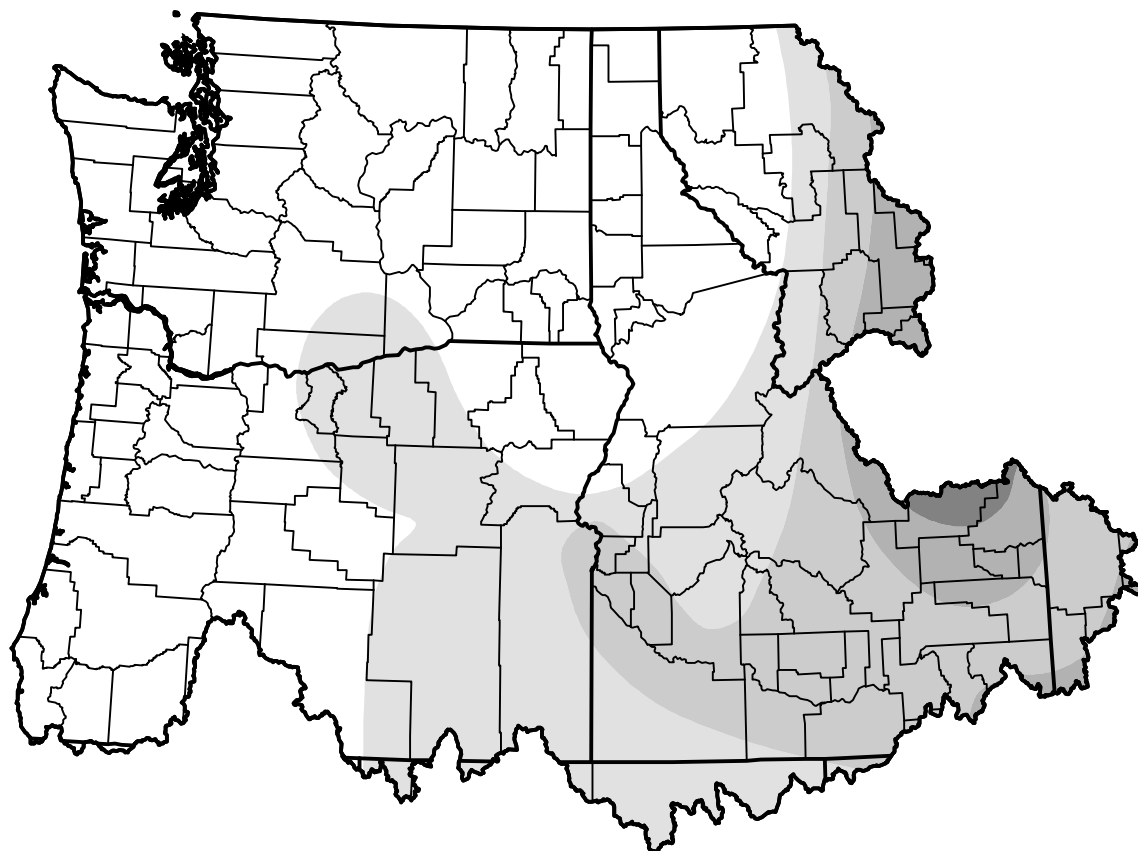
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	55.59	24.06	15.47	4.32	0.56	0.00
Last Week <i>04-18-2002</i>	55.87	23.94	14.62	4.91	0.66	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-24-2002</i>	21.91	22.61	20.77	30.66	4.05	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	10.81	7.32	8.66	50.11	23.10	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	0.00	0.00	8.74	47.01	44.25	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-26-2001</i>	0.00	1.40	45.69	52.26	0.64	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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