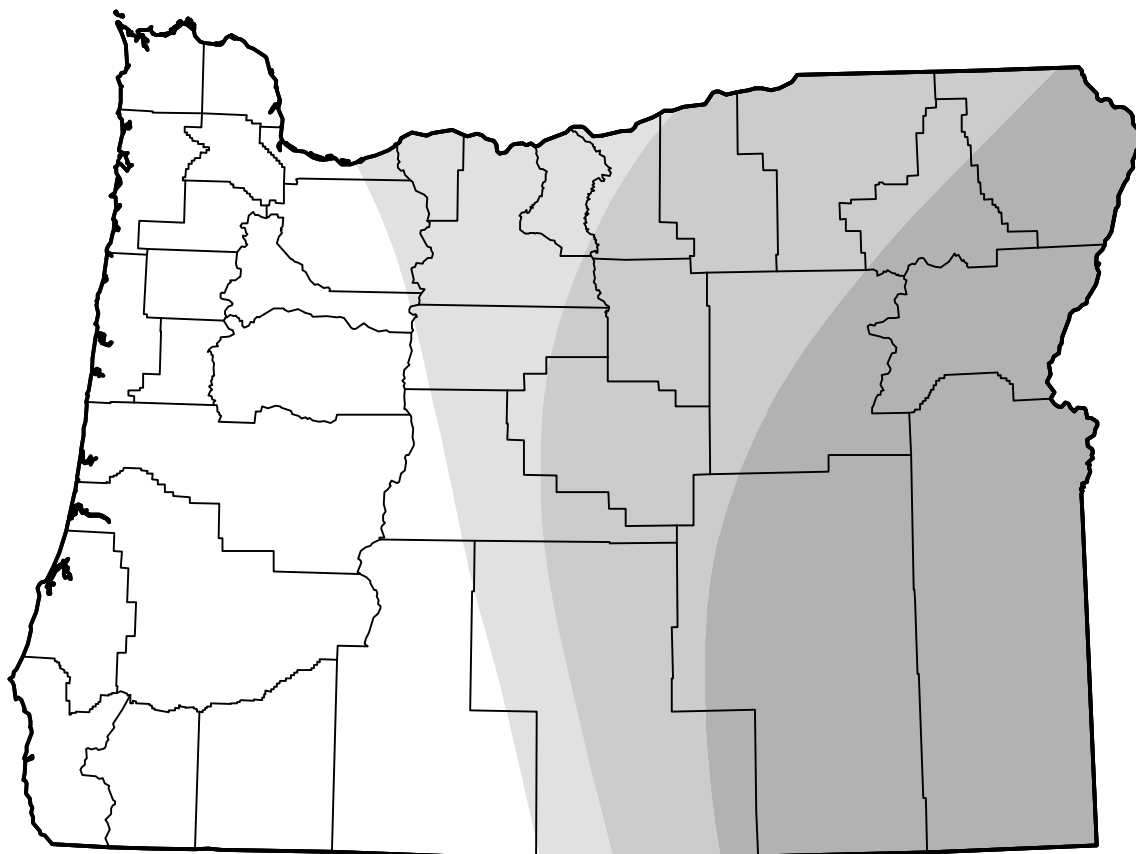


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	37.29	62.71	51.56	29.99	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-26-2002</i>	13.17	86.83	64.35	40.86	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-03-2002</i>	21.52	78.48	59.80	32.05	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	15.13	84.87	71.75	60.12	29.41	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	21.52	78.48	59.80	32.05	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-03-2002</i>	15.13	84.87	71.75	60.12	29.41	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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