

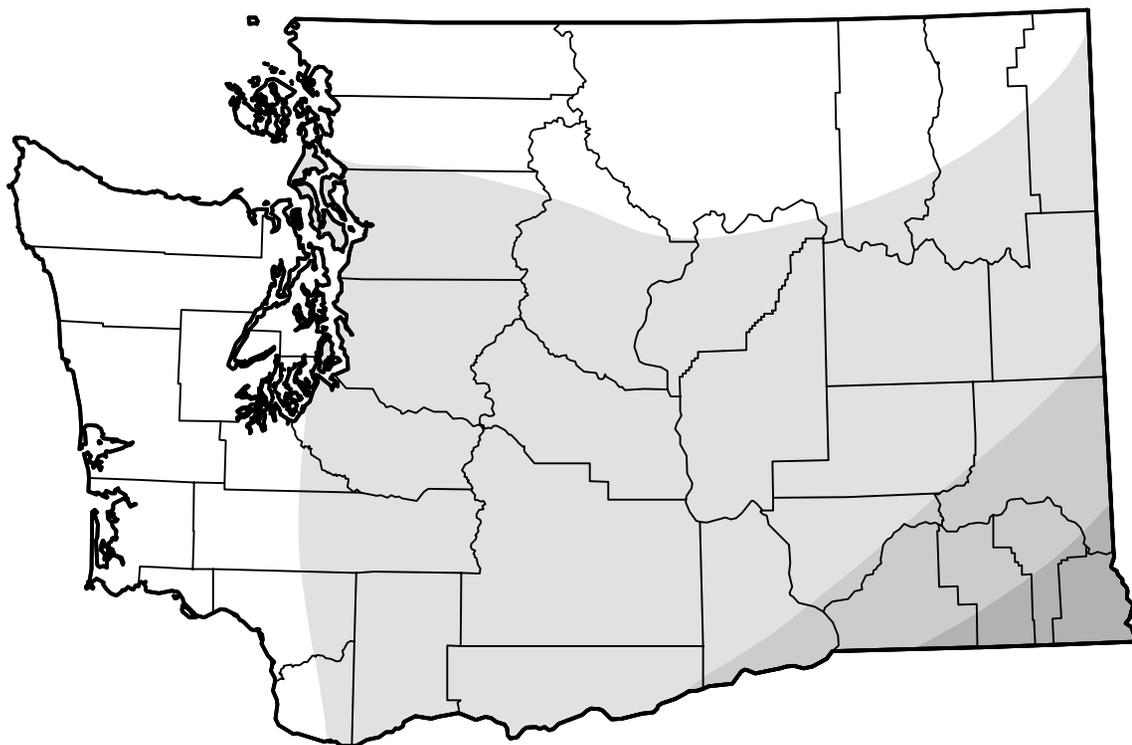
# U.S. Drought Monitor Washington

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	36.48	63.52	9.04	2.15	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-09-2003</i>	29.24	70.76	6.79	0.09	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-17-2002</i>	37.70	62.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	14.26	85.74	6.07	0.03	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	40.96	59.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-17-2002</i>	47.14	52.86	7.45	0.64	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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