

U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

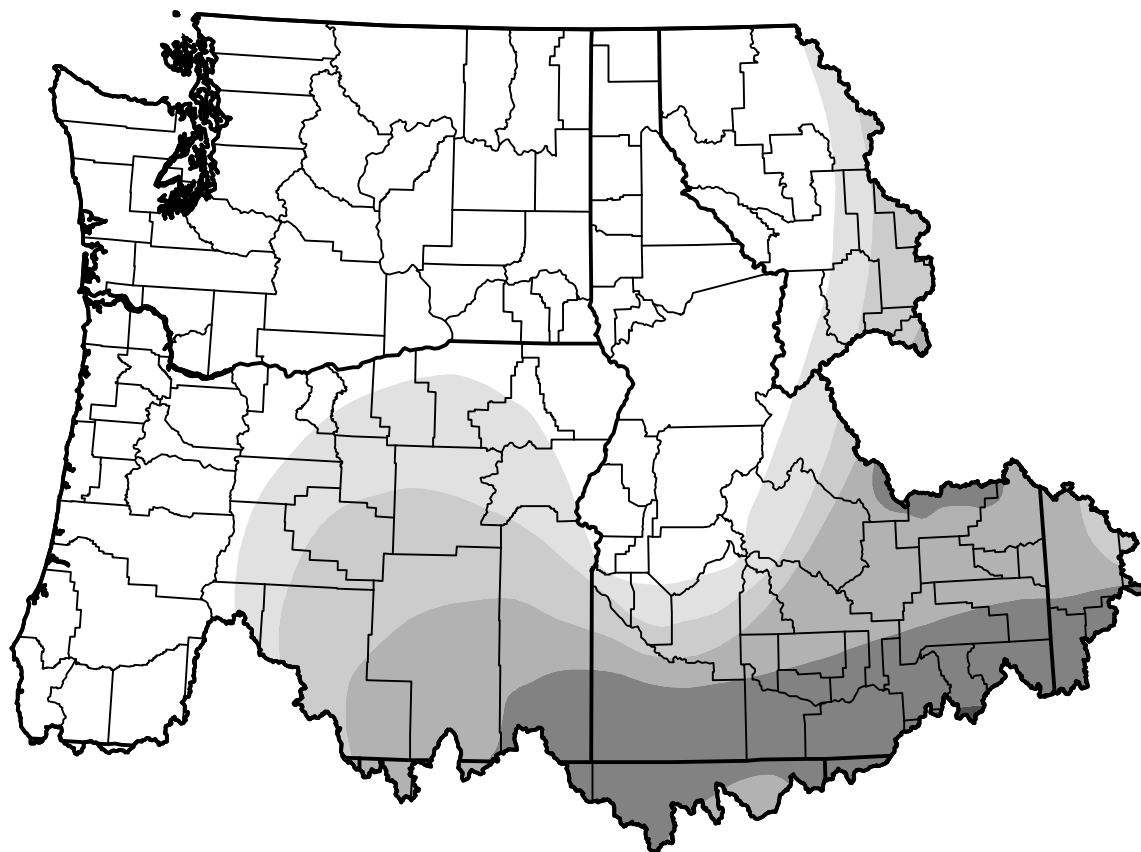
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	57.99	42.01	31.58	22.60	10.53	0.05
Last Week <i>05-08-2003</i>	56.61	43.39	32.82	22.40	10.90	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-13-2003</i>	8.68	91.32	59.97	42.21	13.98	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	14.88	85.12	59.77	46.01	3.89	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	17.71	82.29	46.76	36.03	6.54	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-16-2002</i>	53.54	46.46	20.62	4.16	0.70	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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