

U.S. Drought Monitor Pacific Northwest Watershed

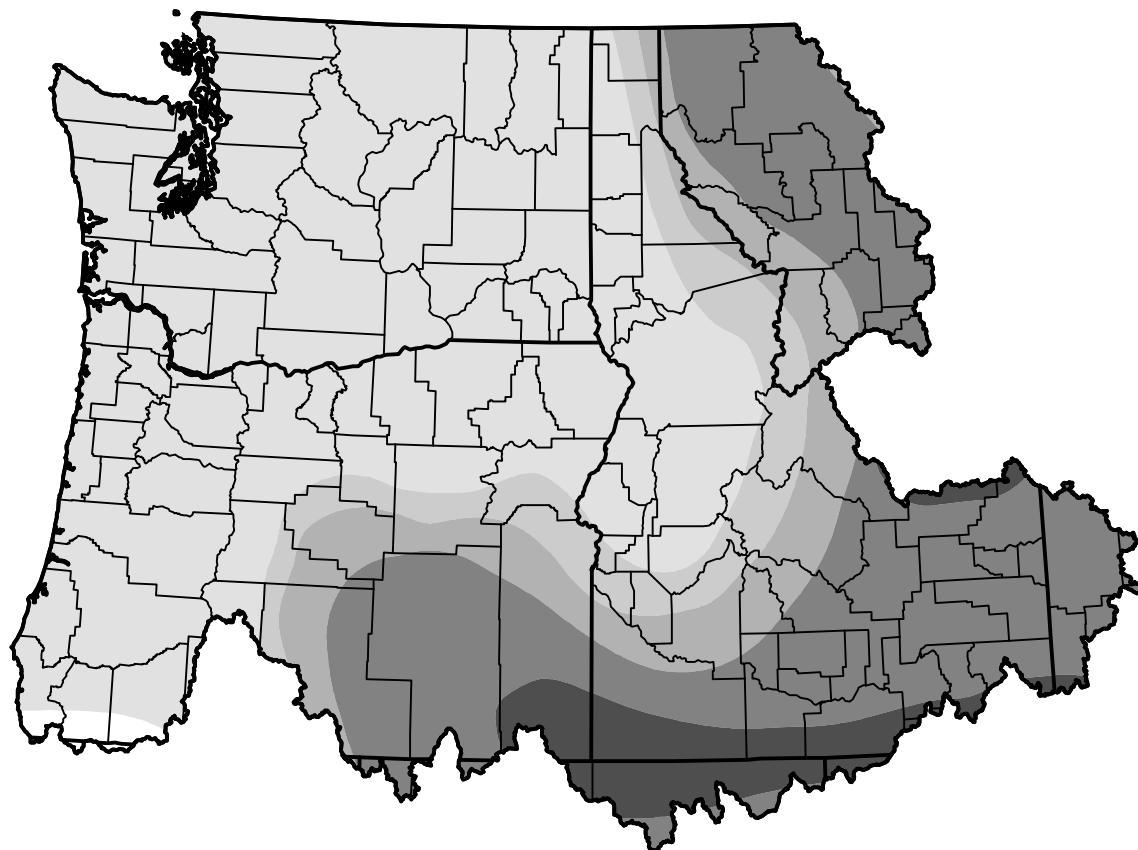
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.62	99.38	47.59	40.11	30.61	5.27
Last Week 07-17-2003	0.71	99.29	44.02	35.16	16.76	0.22
3 Months Ago 04-24-2003	49.02	50.98	41.14	31.09	15.98	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2003	14.88	85.12	59.77	46.01	3.89	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-03-2002	17.71	82.29	46.76	36.03	6.54	0.00
One Year Ago 07-25-2002	38.48	61.52	43.93	18.62	0.04	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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