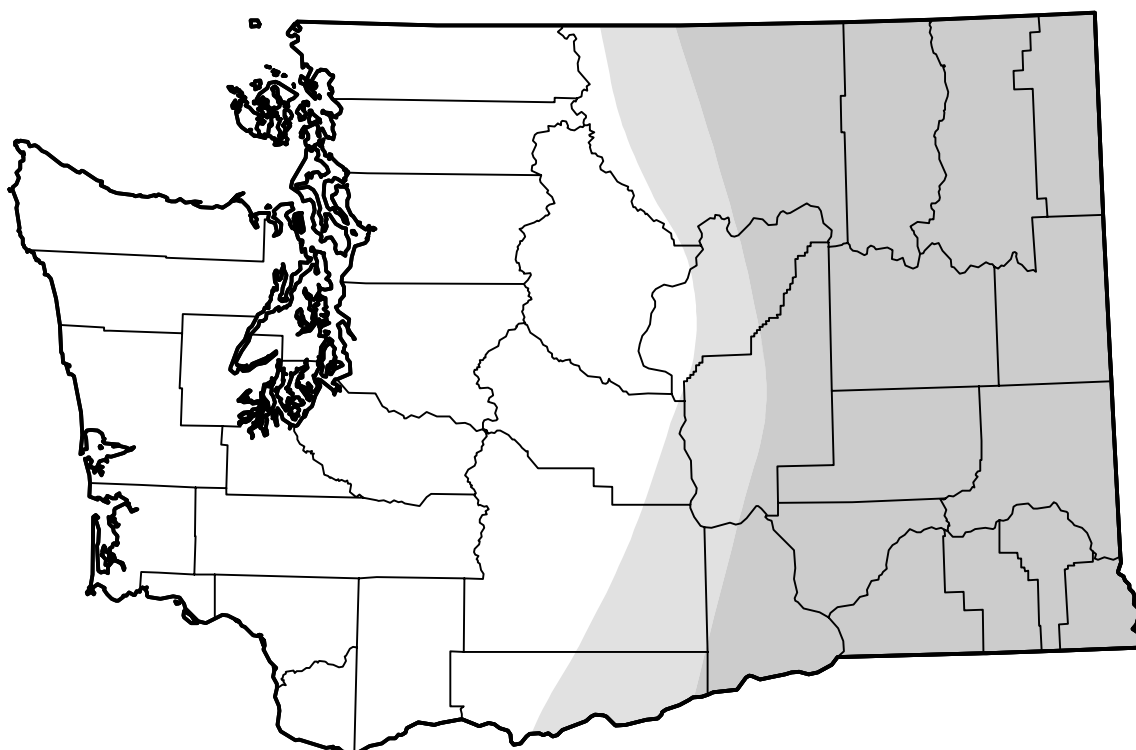


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	51.66	9.98	38.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-24-2003	56.02	7.04	34.15	2.79	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-02-2003	0.00	42.87	42.94	14.19	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2003	14.26	79.67	6.05	0.03	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2003	0.00	42.87	42.94	14.19	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 01-02-2003	14.26	79.67	6.05	0.03	0.00	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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