

U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

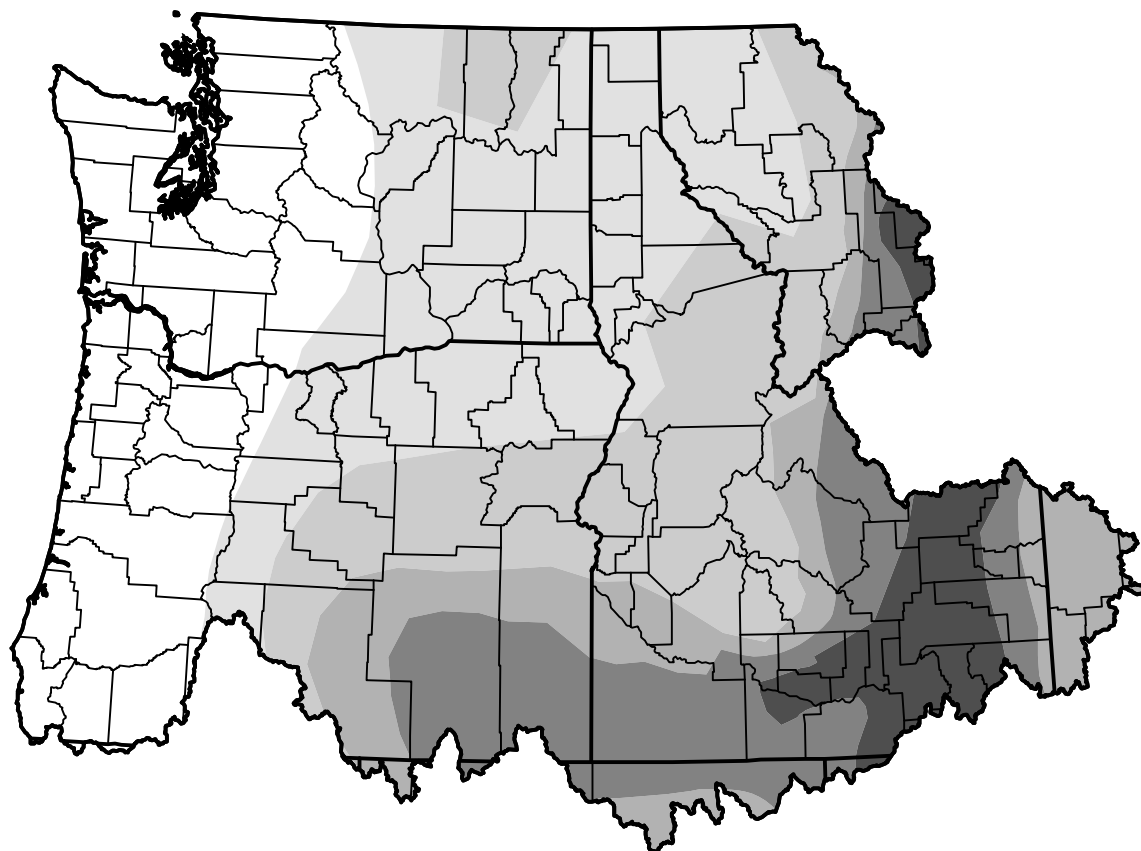
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	23.84	25.95	20.44	10.84	13.37	5.55
Last Week <i>01-15-2004</i>	22.69	25.07	21.71	12.33	12.51	5.69
3 Months Ago <i>10-23-2003</i>	13.38	8.59	19.37	19.73	29.20	9.73
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	23.49	5.61	30.07	15.79	12.59	12.46
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i>	0.56	16.71	26.84	15.54	31.56	8.78
One Year Ago <i>01-23-2003</i>	19.19	21.46	9.24	31.58	17.79	0.73



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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