

U.S. Drought Monitor

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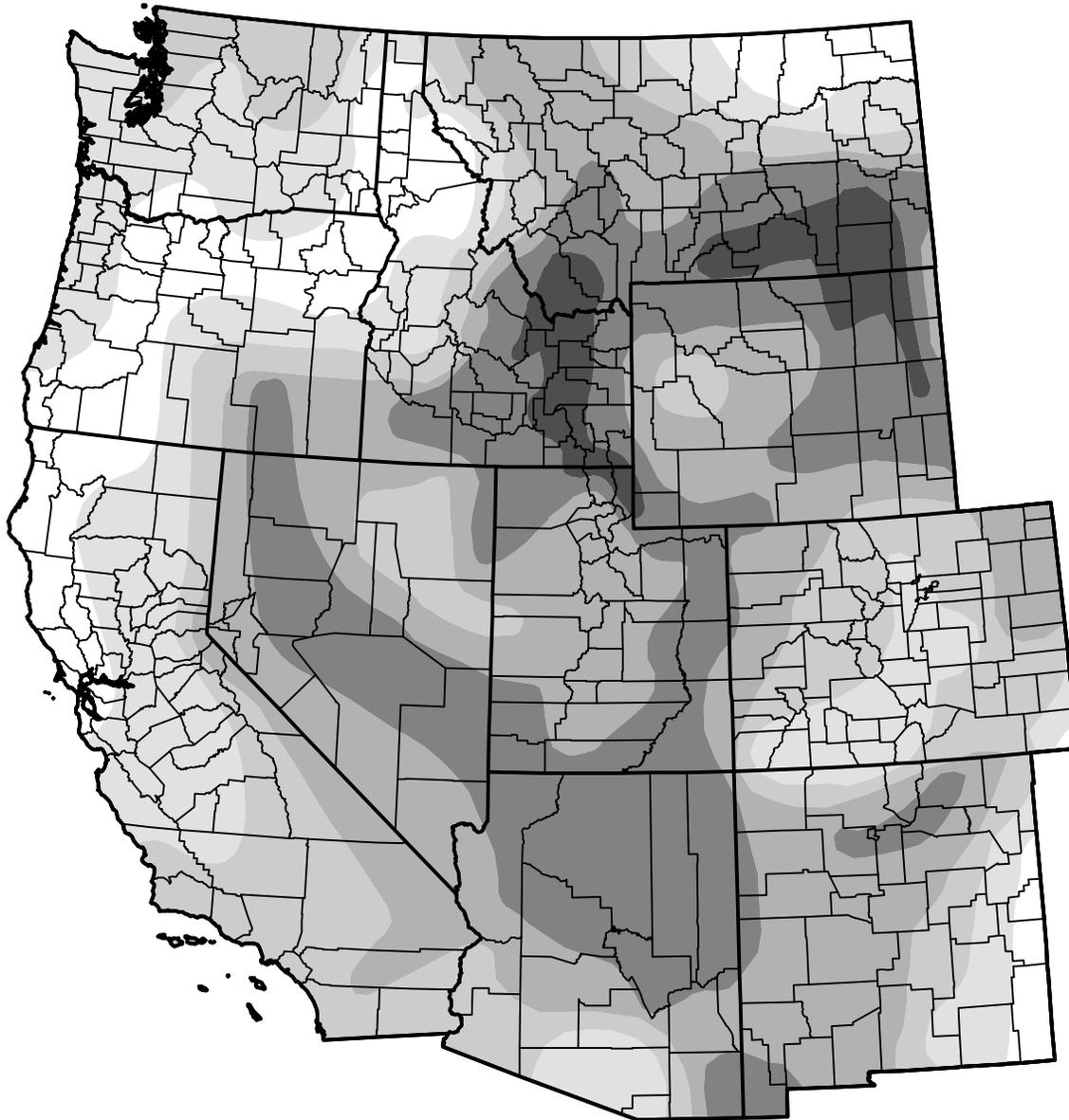
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 9.76 | 17.81 | 18.70 | 27.92 | 22.32 | 3.49 |
| Last Week <i>07-20-2004</i> | 9.21 | 16.93 | 18.57 | 29.88 | 22.02 | 3.39 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>04-27-2004</i> | 12.38 | 17.05 | 16.61 | 29.98 | 21.87 | 2.11 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i> | 14.51 | 7.39 | 13.96 | 31.34 | 24.17 | 8.62 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i> | 9.28 | 8.46 | 17.38 | 25.53 | 34.04 | 5.31 |
| One Year Ago <i>07-29-2003</i> | 9.62 | 3.22 | 25.13 | 23.73 | 32.85 | 5.45 |



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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