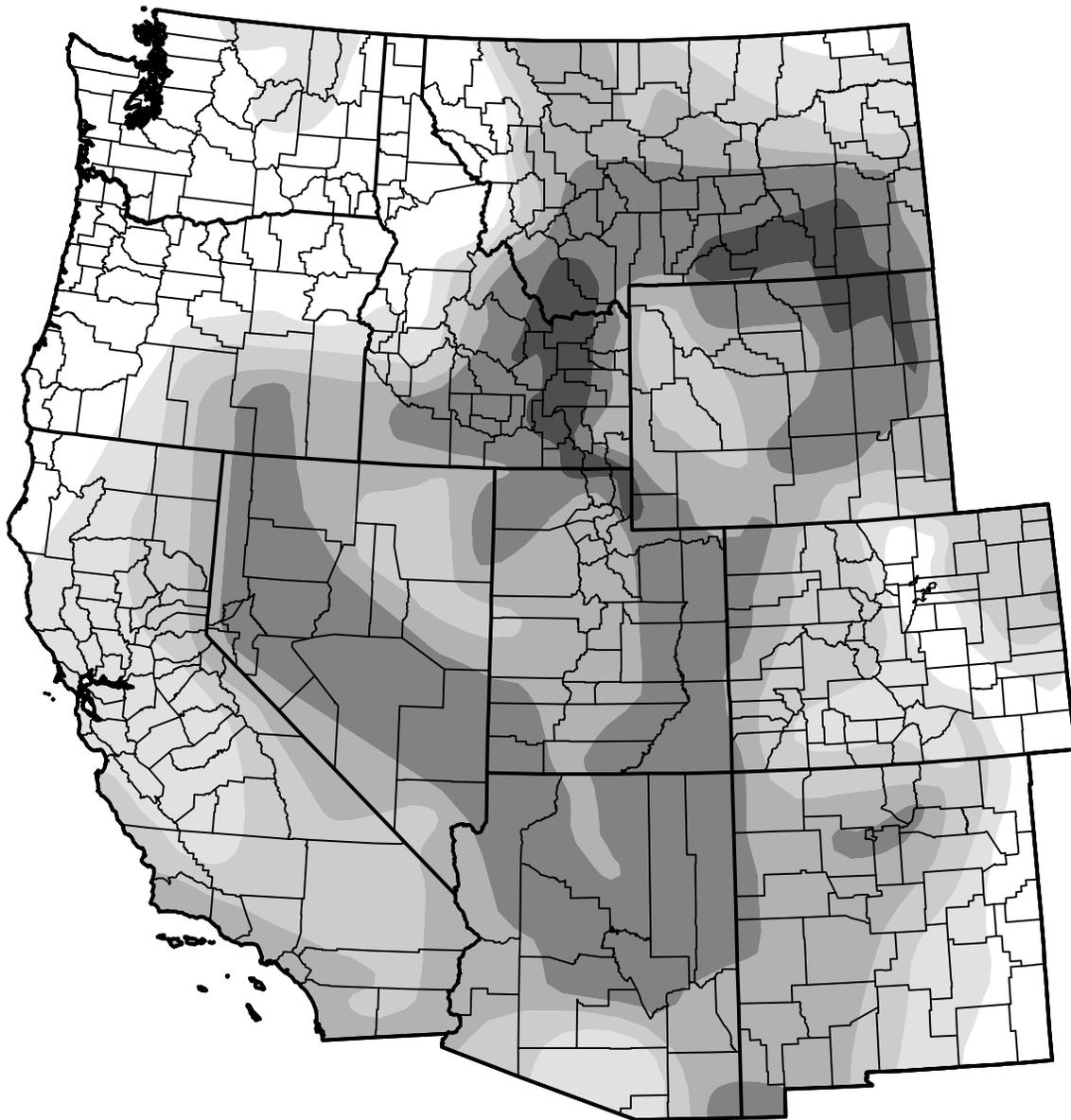


U.S. Drought Monitor

West

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	17.01	82.99	69.40	51.78	26.77	3.00
Last Week <i>08-31-2004</i>	17.03	82.97	69.40	52.07	27.85	3.06
3 Months Ago <i>06-08-2004</i>	12.20	87.80	72.91	53.90	27.88	1.48
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	14.51	85.49	78.10	64.14	32.80	8.62
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	9.28	90.72	82.26	64.88	39.35	5.31
One Year Ago <i>09-09-2003</i>	9.03	90.97	86.44	67.92	40.28	5.61

Intensity:



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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