

U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

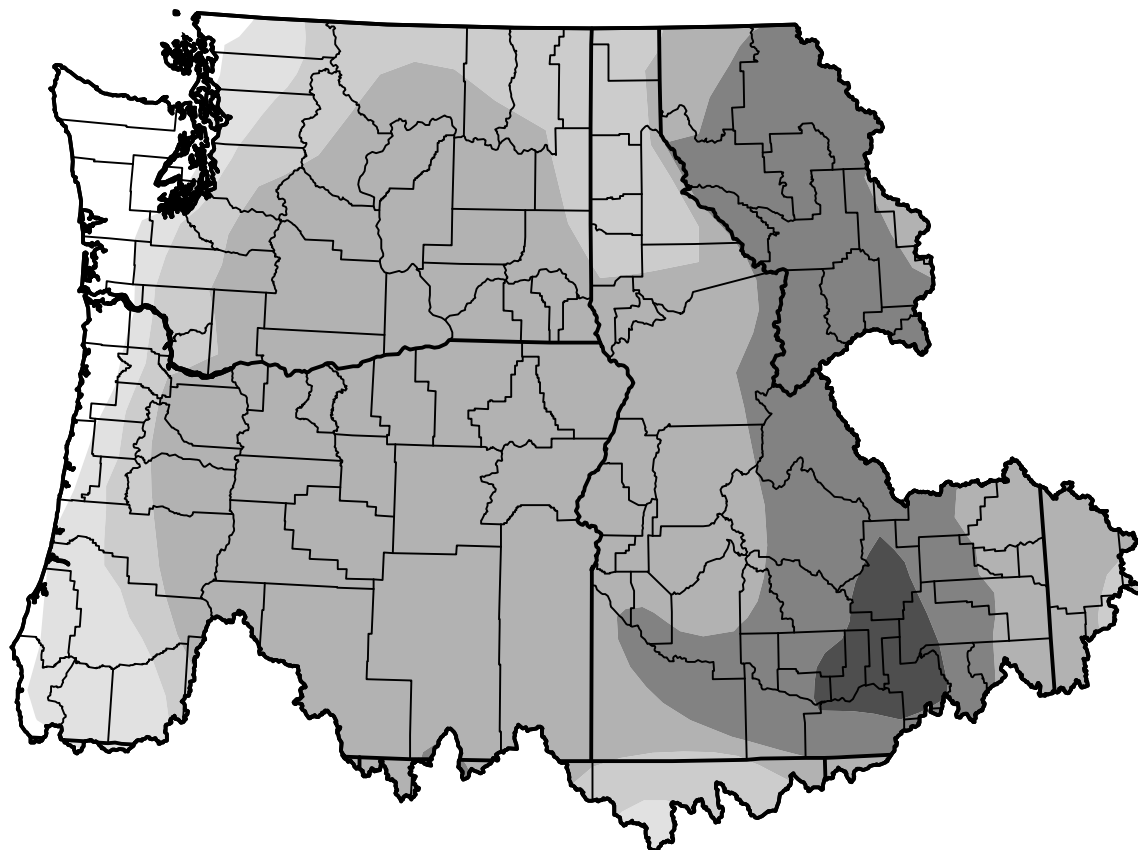
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	4.62	95.38	89.02	75.71	20.85	2.36
Last Week <i>03-31-2005</i>	2.03	97.97	91.33	74.63	21.71	2.82
3 Months Ago <i>01-06-2005</i>	48.88	51.12	30.74	20.99	9.58	0.85
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	48.88	51.12	30.74	20.99	9.58	0.85
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	59.46	40.54	31.46	24.43	12.87	2.26
One Year Ago <i>04-08-2004</i>	33.73	66.27	35.62	26.89	12.11	3.37



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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