

U.S. Drought Monitor Washington

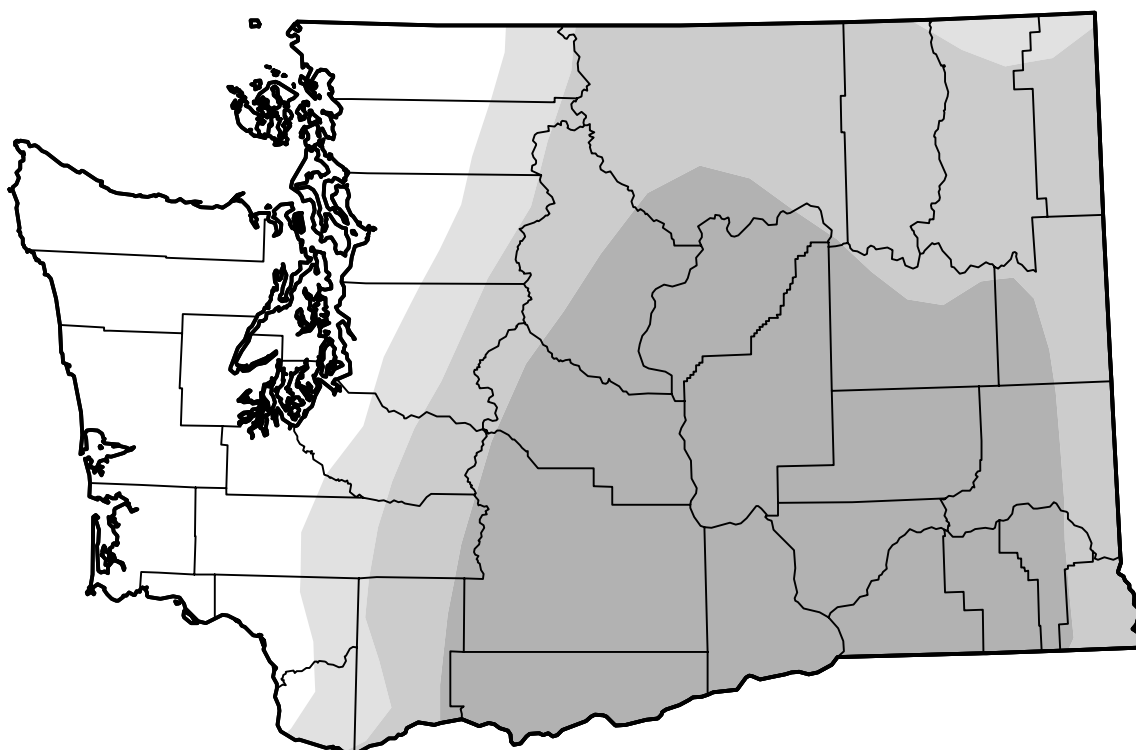
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	23.75	8.69	27.96	39.60	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-12-2005</i>	19.59	9.95	22.86	33.95	13.66	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-17-2005</i>	13.91	20.59	60.70	4.80	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	62.10	37.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	86.09	13.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-20-2004</i>	22.40	71.58	6.02	0.00	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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