

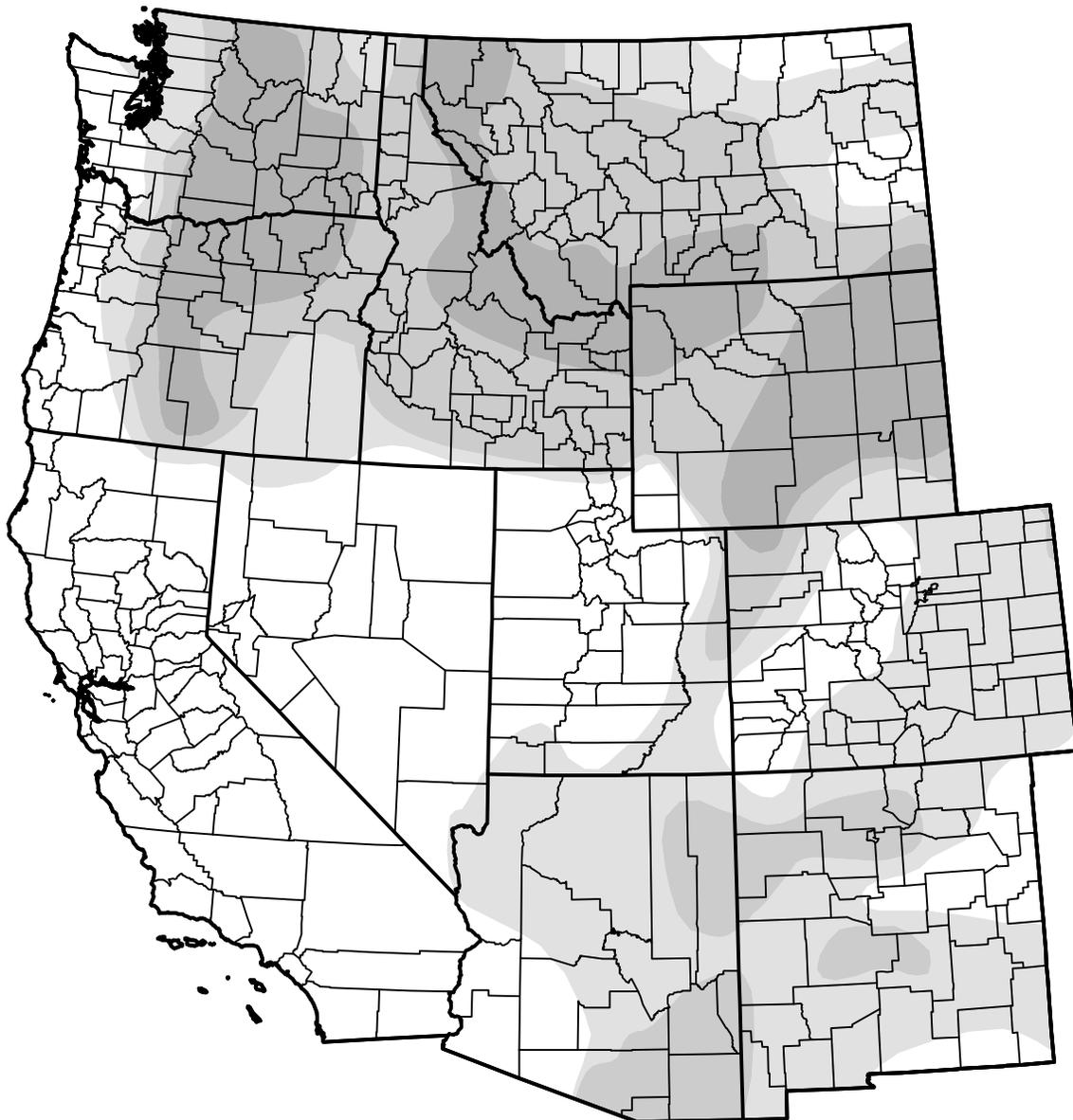
# U.S. Drought Monitor West

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	38.26	26.07	21.17	14.50	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-19-2005</i>	46.36	20.54	18.99	14.11	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-26-2005</i>	40.48	14.45	15.55	18.01	9.40	2.10
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	26.17	17.65	21.90	19.31	13.03	1.94
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	18.76	13.22	17.63	26.16	21.87	2.36
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-27-2004</i>	9.76	17.81	18.70	27.92	22.32	3.49



***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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