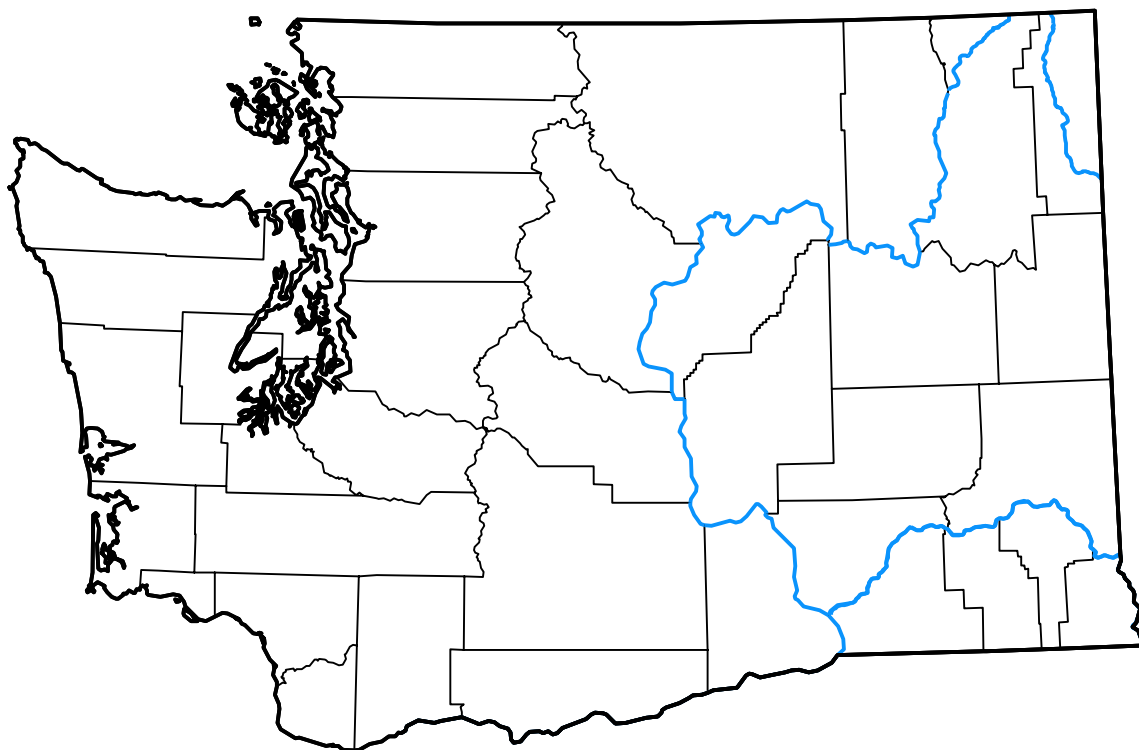


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-14-2006	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-21-2006	16.61	58.96	24.43	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2006	46.20	32.05	21.74	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-28-2006	16.85	58.73	24.43	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-22-2005	37.95	4.79	40.12	17.14	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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