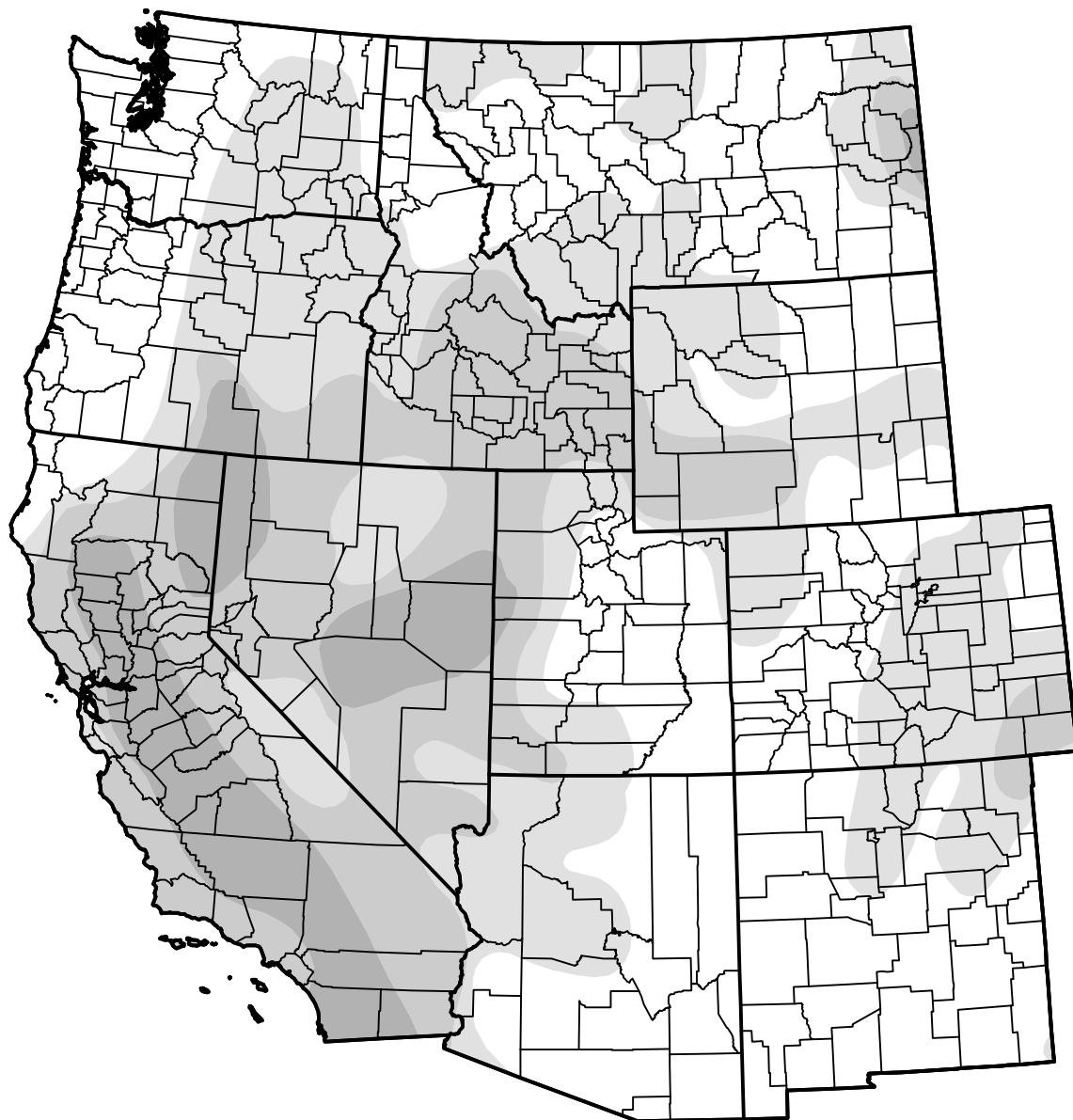


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	41.86	29.70	19.76	8.68	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-04-2008</i>	39.90	30.51	21.09	8.50	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-12-2008</i>	32.71	36.08	21.18	9.34	0.69	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i>	26.30	19.00	21.65	30.32	2.73	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	40.52	30.31	18.75	10.02	0.40	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-13-2007</i>	25.65	17.47	18.14	30.81	7.93	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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