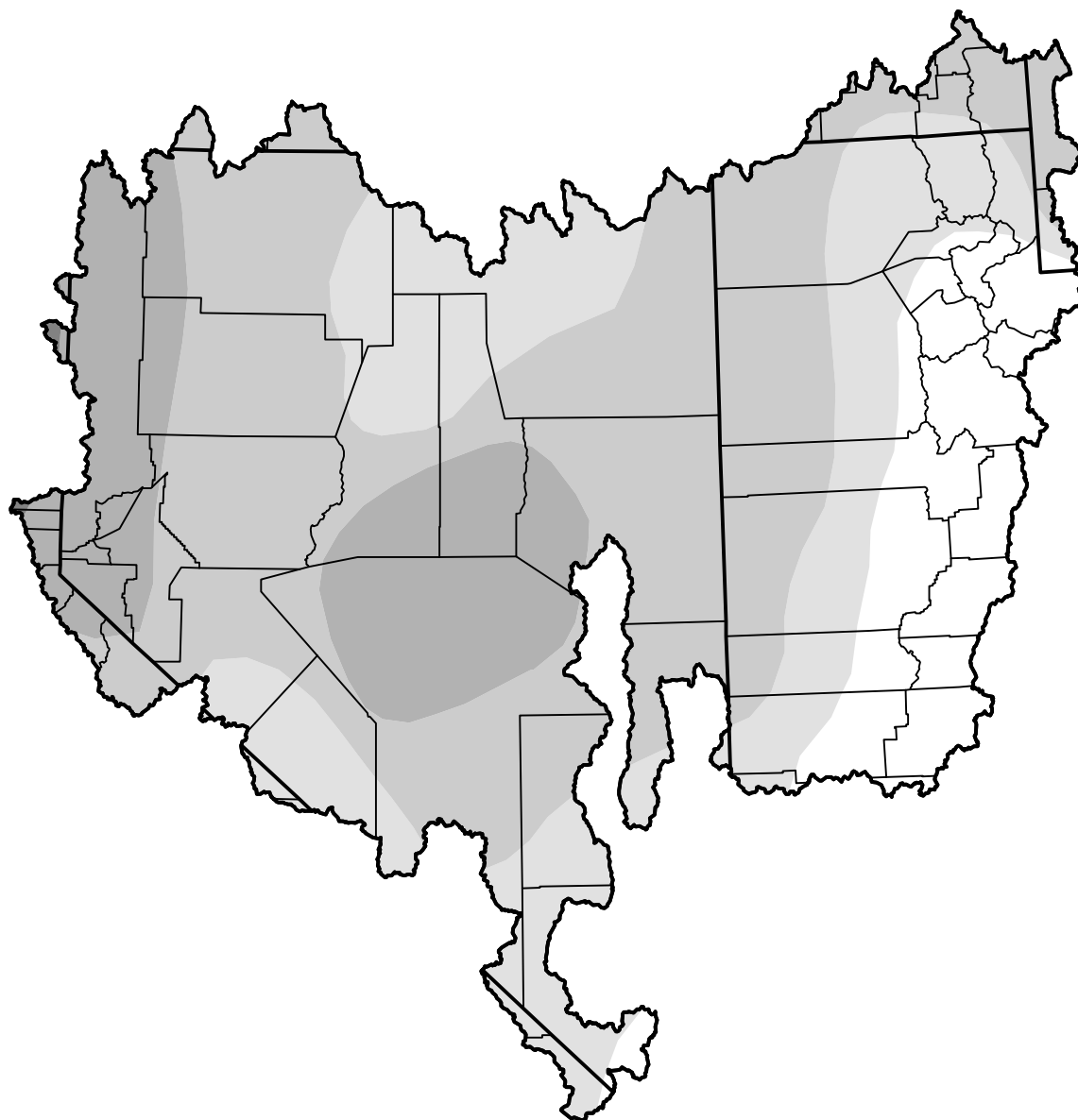


U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Basin Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	12.94	24.65	45.51	16.80	0.09	0.00
Last Week <i>02-19-2009</i>	12.94	24.65	38.19	24.14	0.08	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-26-2008</i>	10.03	22.84	46.53	20.60	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	10.20	22.89	43.89	22.97	0.06	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	14.31	25.73	44.69	15.27	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-28-2008</i>	0.00	14.88	29.01	56.11	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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