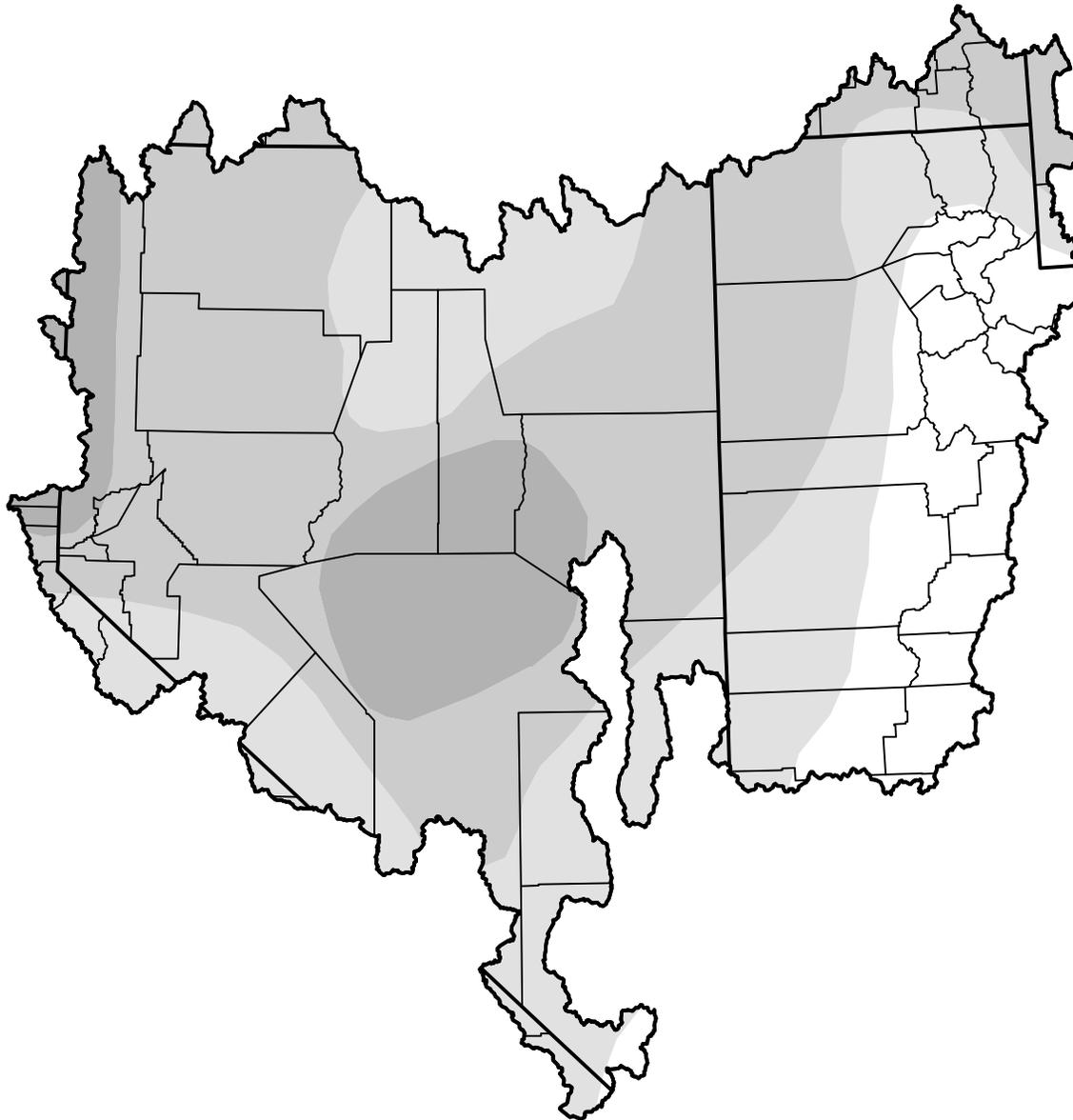


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Basin Watershed

**April 14, 2009**  
 (Released Thursday, Apr. 16, 2009)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 13.51 | 29.57 | 45.15 | 11.77 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>04-09-2009</i>              | 13.51 | 29.57 | 45.15 | 11.77 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>01-15-2009</i>           | 10.20 | 23.79 | 42.99 | 22.97 | 0.06 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-01-2009</i> | 10.20 | 22.89 | 43.89 | 22.97 | 0.06 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2008</i>    | 14.31 | 25.73 | 44.69 | 15.27 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>04-17-2008</i>           | 17.29 | 34.93 | 36.71 | 11.06 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

***Intensity:***



*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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