

U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

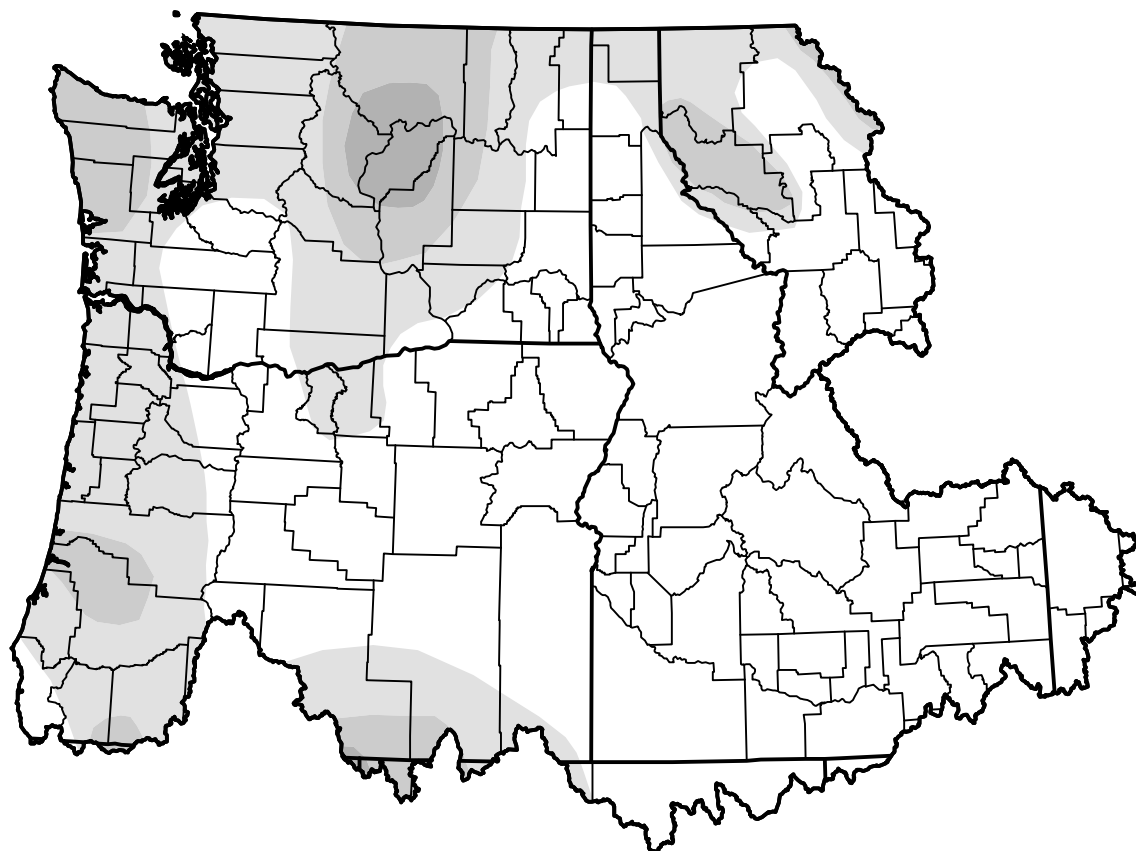
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	63.50	25.69	9.10	1.70	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-30-2009</i>	60.72	29.52	9.24	0.52	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-07-2009</i>	42.98	39.75	17.13	0.14	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	34.86	41.95	21.42	1.77	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	37.11	45.39	15.88	1.62	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-07-2008</i>	29.92	51.09	17.50	1.49	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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