

U.S. Drought Monitor Washington

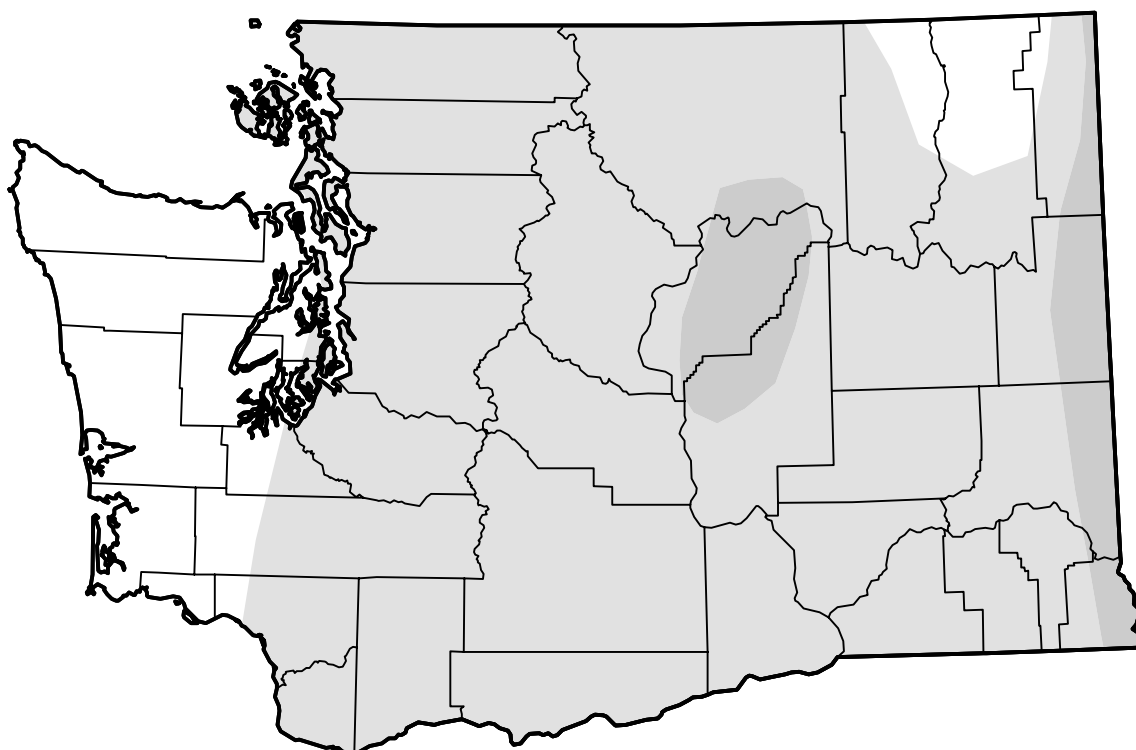
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	16.82	75.71	7.47	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-11-2010</i>	13.54	78.99	7.47	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-17-2009</i>	43.49	38.96	9.73	7.82	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2009</i>	43.49	38.96	9.73	7.82	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i>	0.00	69.46	20.87	9.68	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-19-2009</i>	44.36	43.74	11.90	0.00	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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