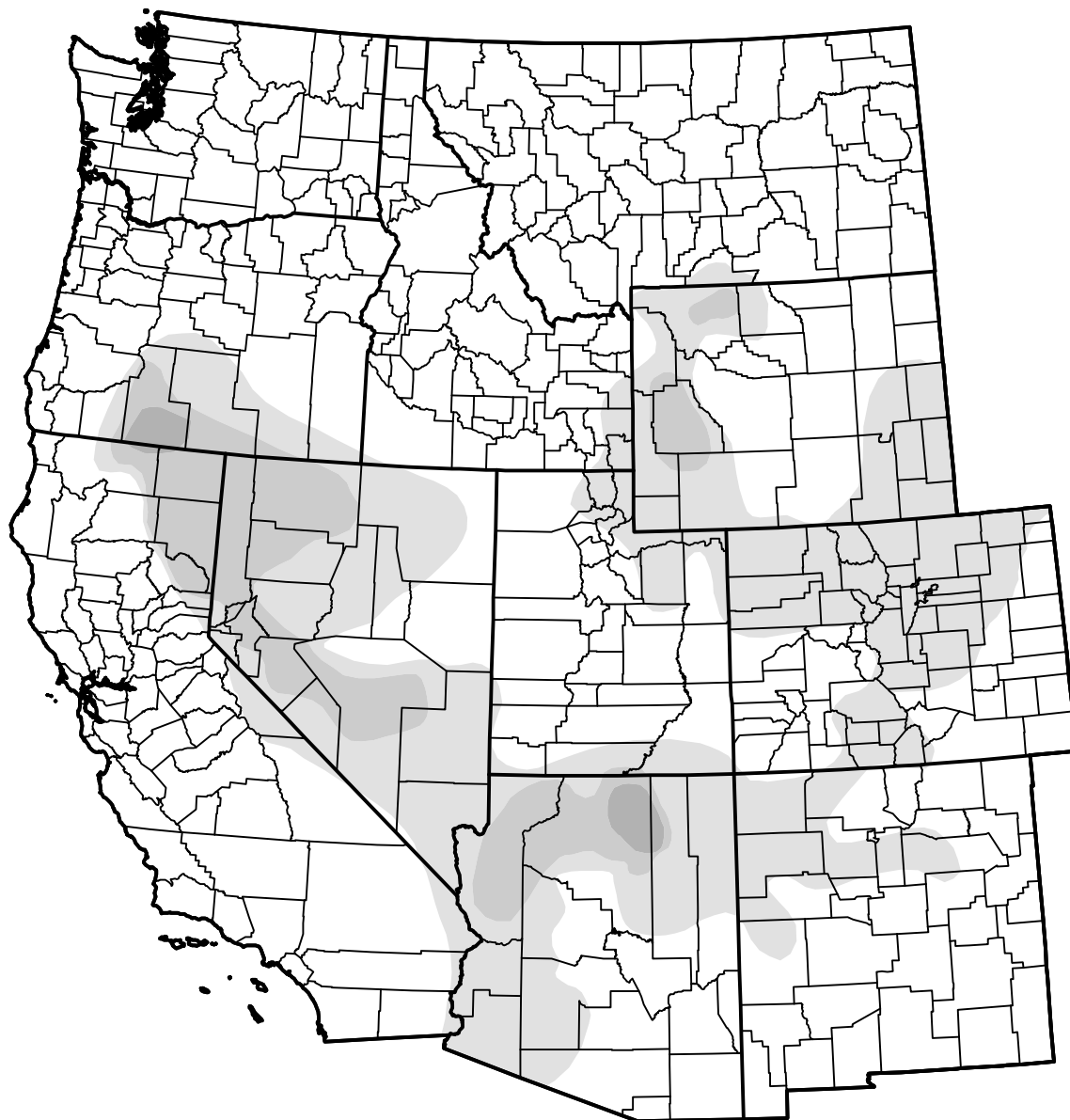


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	69.90	23.17	6.37	0.56	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-14-2010</i>	72.79	20.29	6.37	0.56	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-22-2010</i>	66.52	21.58	10.87	1.03	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	40.80	30.77	18.53	9.41	0.49	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	40.73	36.46	15.35	7.46	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-22-2009</i>	52.85	24.77	14.93	7.46	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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