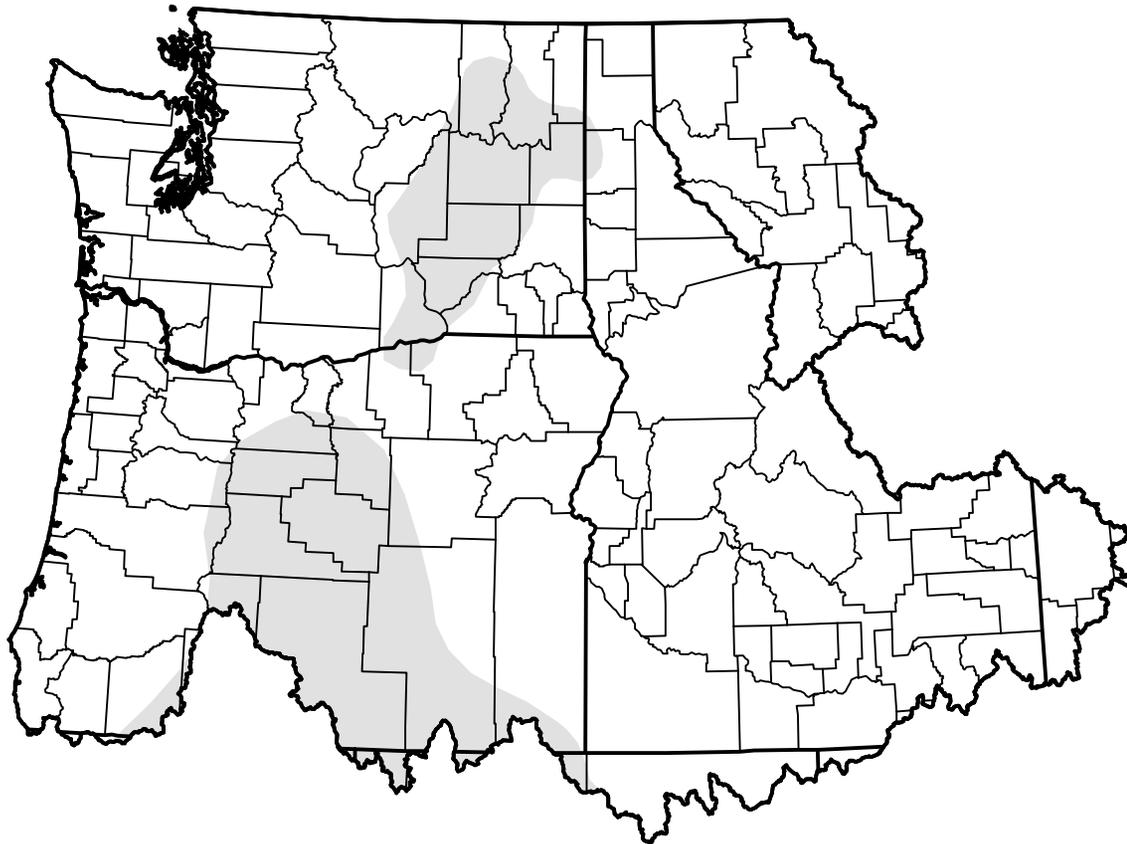


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

**December 20, 2011**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 22, 2011)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	83.84	16.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-15-2011</i>	87.18	12.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-22-2011</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2011</i>	99.94	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	89.09	10.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-23-2010</i>	99.91	0.09	0.00	0.00	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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