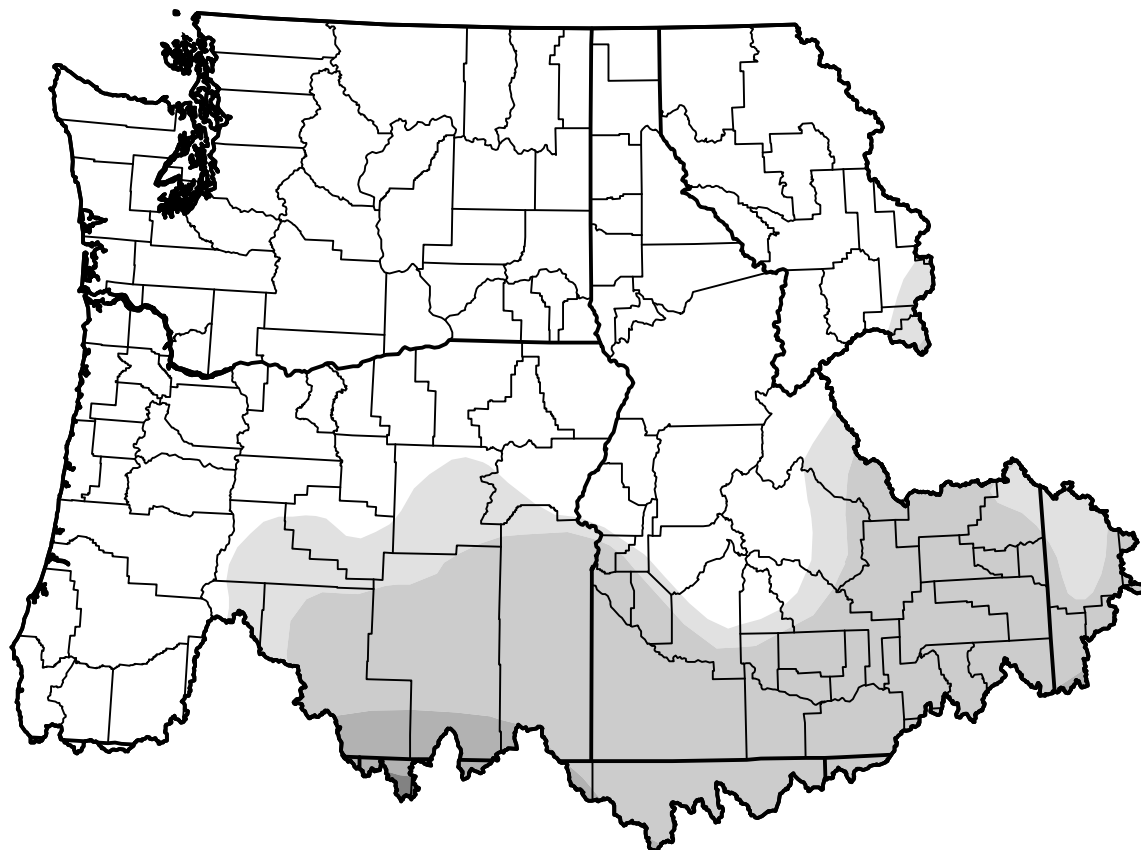


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	67.23	32.77	25.29	1.58	0.08	0.00
Last Week <i>12-06-2012</i>	65.09	34.91	26.44	1.58	0.08	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-13-2012</i>	52.76	47.24	33.99	1.62	0.27	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	53.75	46.25	7.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	52.78	47.22	34.55	1.66	0.27	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-15-2011</i>	87.18	12.82	0.00	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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