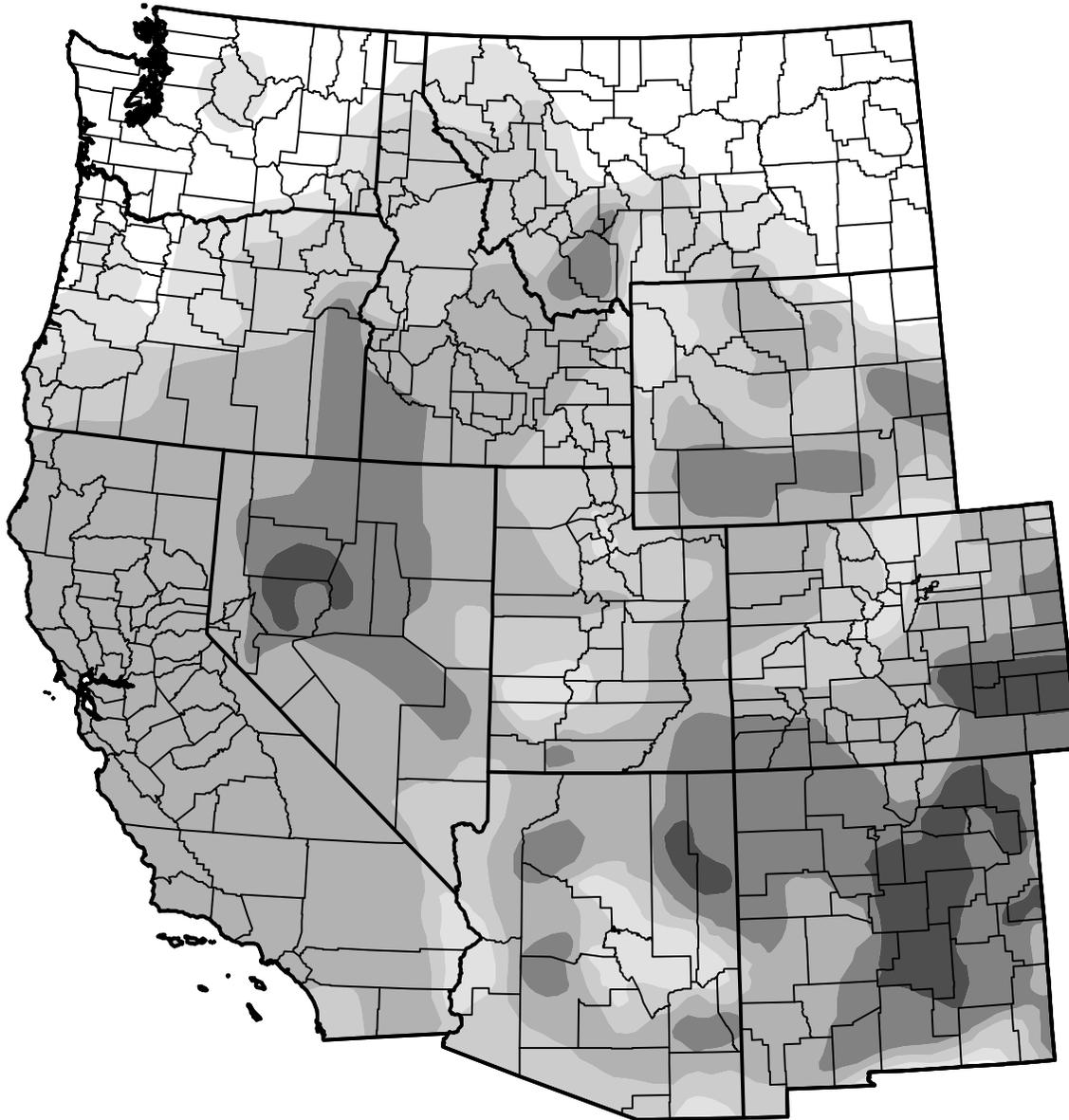


# U.S. Drought Monitor West

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	13.20	86.80	77.41	57.03	18.96	3.62
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-30-2013</i>	12.95	87.05	77.52	57.26	17.59	4.68
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-07-2013</i>	13.46	86.54	71.04	47.26	15.25	5.66
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	24.39	75.61	69.31	45.04	18.01	2.15
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	15.12	84.88	77.15	43.65	16.85	1.77
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-07-2012</i>	18.40	81.60	68.62	49.94	16.67	0.50

***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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