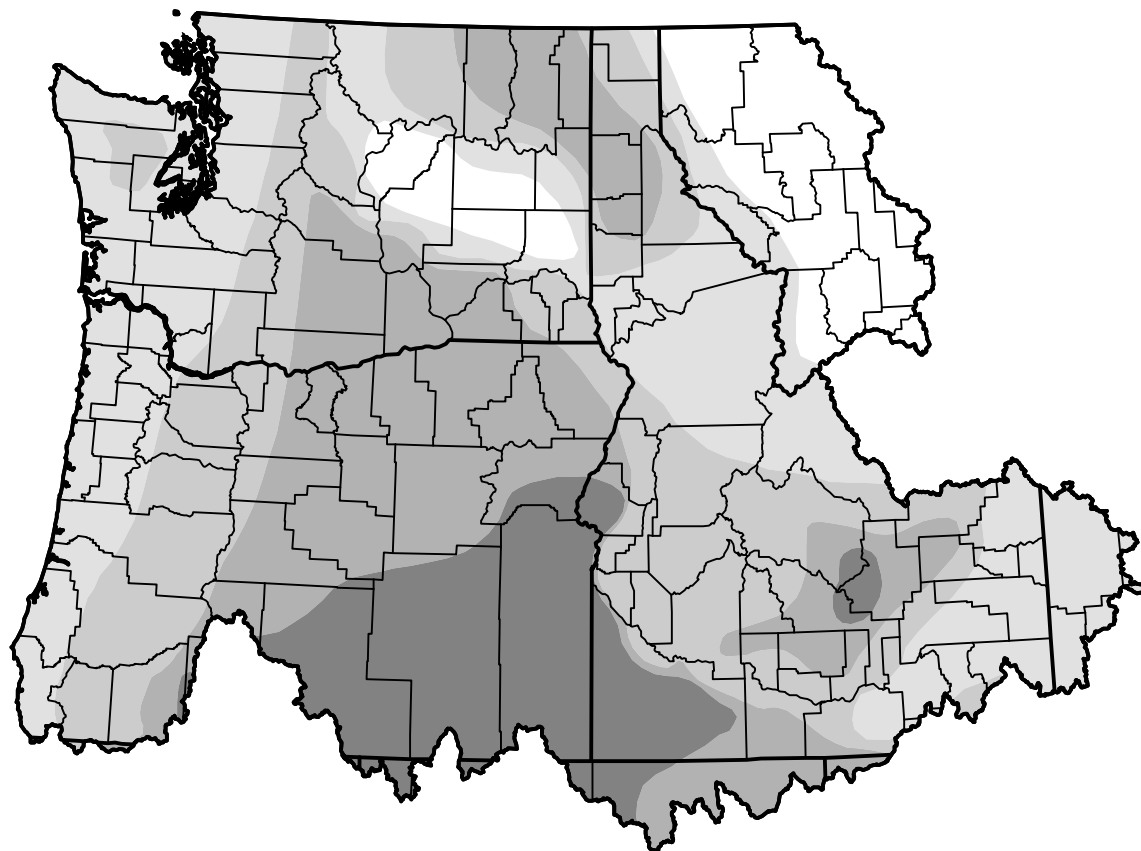


# U.S. Drought Monitor Pacific Northwest Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 9.88  | 27.42 | 25.31 | 24.01 | 13.38 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-14-2015</i>              | 15.52 | 23.43 | 26.99 | 21.09 | 12.97 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-19-2015</i>           | 37.46 | 19.11 | 23.70 | 9.14  | 10.59 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2014</i> | 34.96 | 15.14 | 24.90 | 13.87 | 11.14 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2014</i>    | 20.90 | 26.66 | 20.77 | 20.06 | 11.60 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-22-2014</i>           | 37.92 | 16.42 | 17.58 | 24.76 | 3.31  | 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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