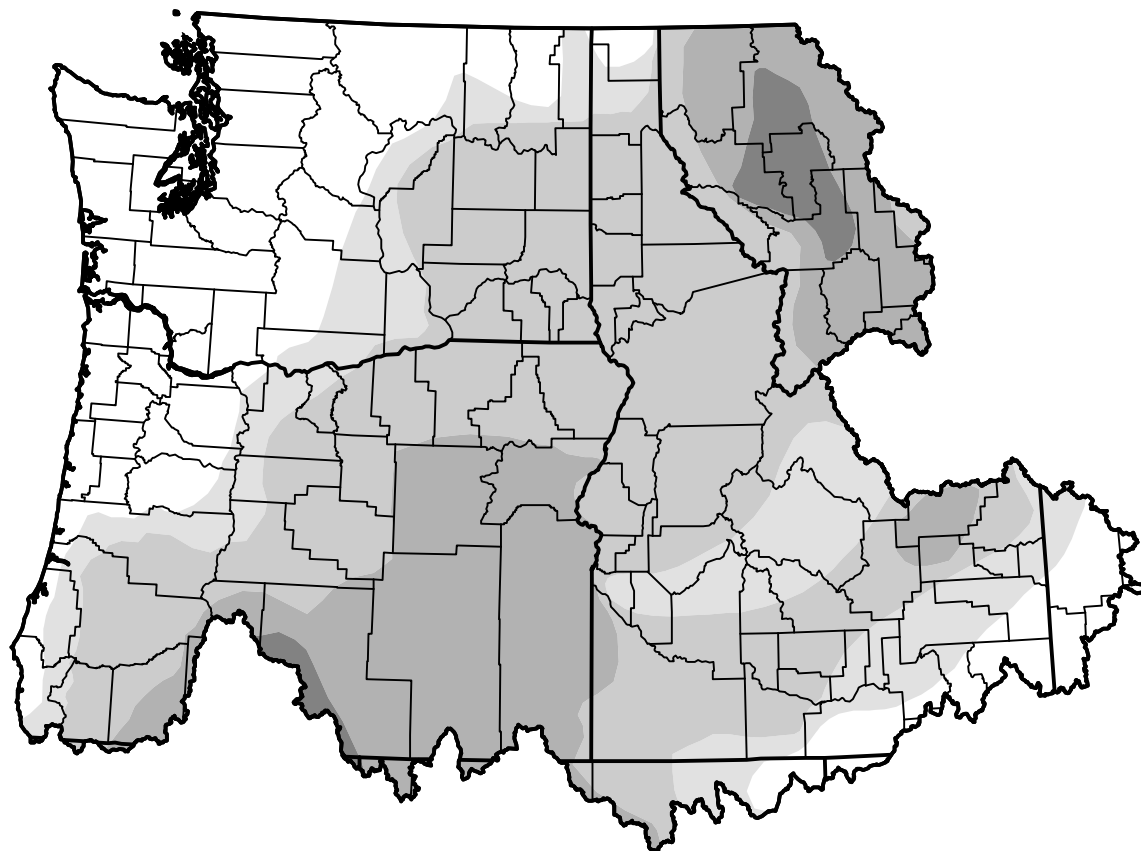


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	24.34	15.17	38.47	19.64	2.39	0.00
Last Week <i>12-31-2015</i>	24.34	13.47	23.85	24.04	14.30	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-08-2015</i>	2.55	4.33	10.68	27.45	54.98	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	24.34	13.47	23.85	24.04	14.30	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	0.03	5.88	12.17	26.69	55.22	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-08-2015</i>	35.21	15.43	24.83	13.39	11.14	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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