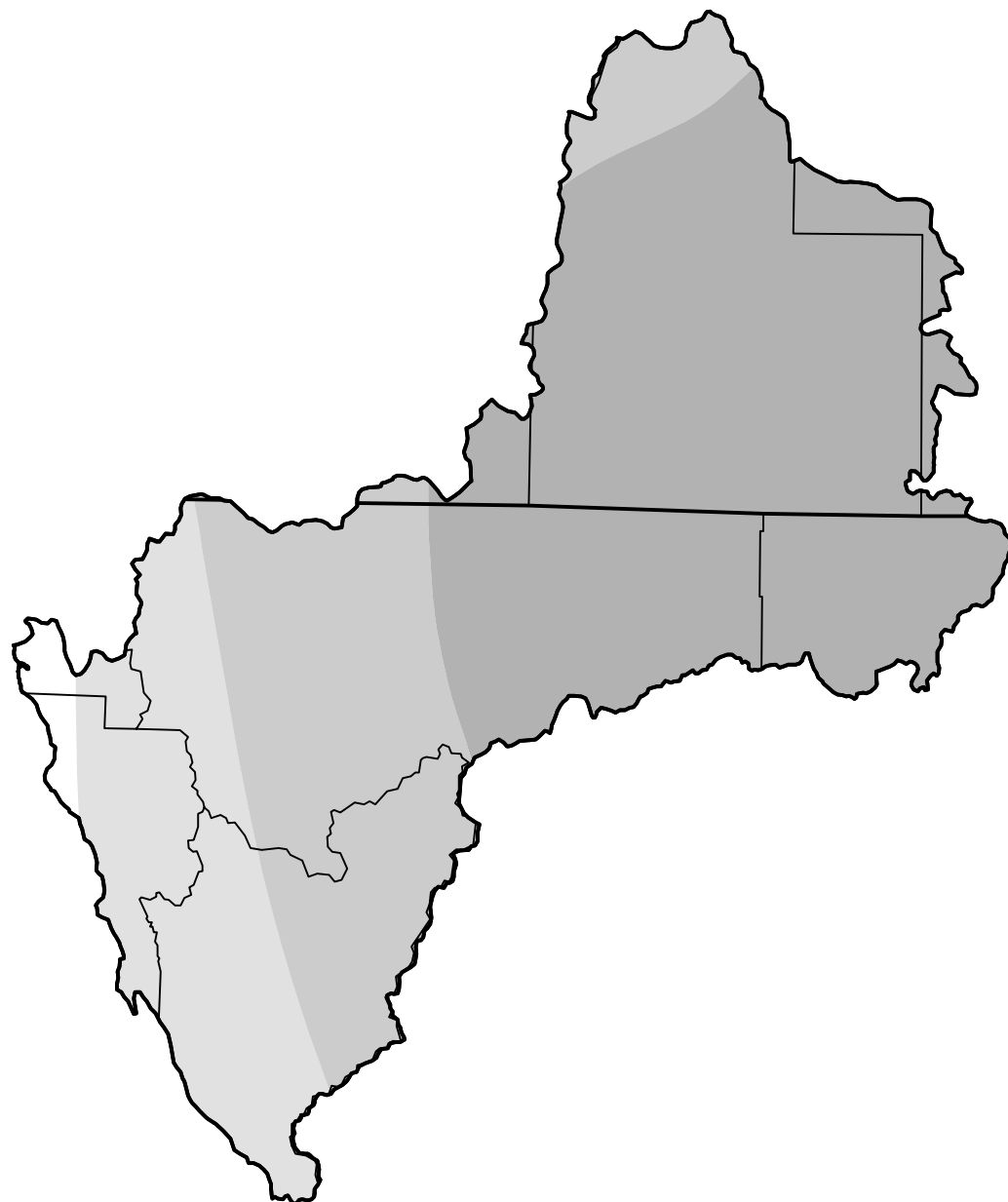


# U.S. Drought Monitor Klamath River Basin

**December 18, 2001**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None   | D0-D4  | D1-D4  | D2-D4  | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 1.45   | 98.55  | 79.86  | 53.82  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-11-2001</i>              | 0.00   | 100.00 | 79.86  | 71.19  | 17.30 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-18-2001</i>           | 0.00   | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 82.21 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2001</i> | 100.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-25-2001</i>    | 0.00   | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 82.21 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-19-2000</i>           | 100.00 | 0.00   | 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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