

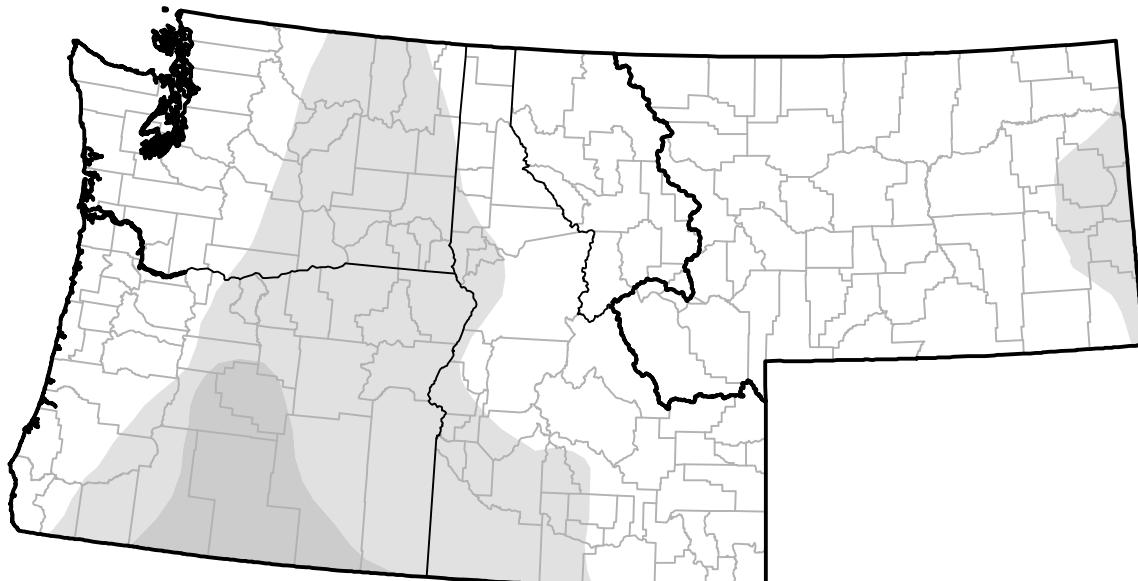
# U.S. Drought Monitor

# Northwest RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	65.18	29.41	5.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 12-29-2011	54.87	39.49	5.64	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 10-06-2011	79.00	21.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-05-2012	65.18	29.41	5.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-29-2011	79.21	20.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 01-06-2011	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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