

U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

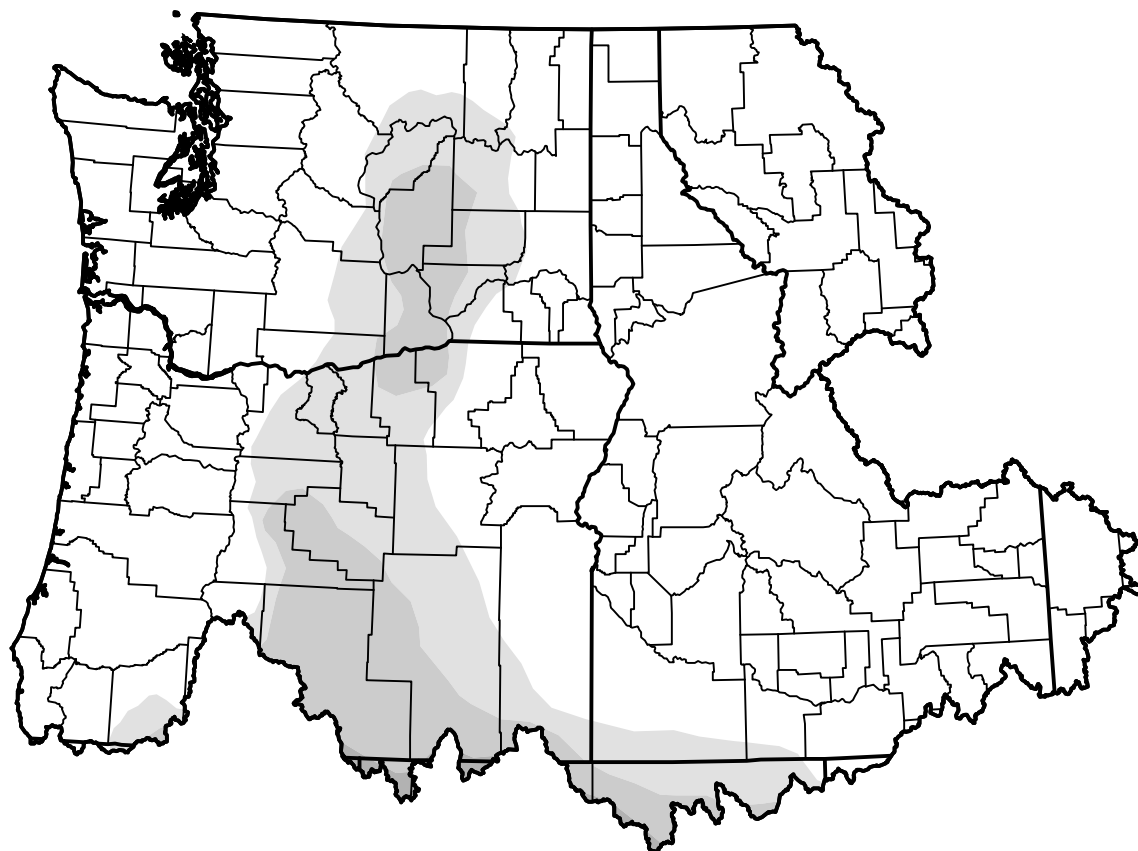
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	77.40	13.41	8.83	0.37	0.00	0.00
Last Week 03-22-2012	72.78	17.40	9.46	0.37	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 12-29-2011	38.82	54.45	6.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	53.75	39.19	7.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	89.09	10.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 03-31-2011	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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