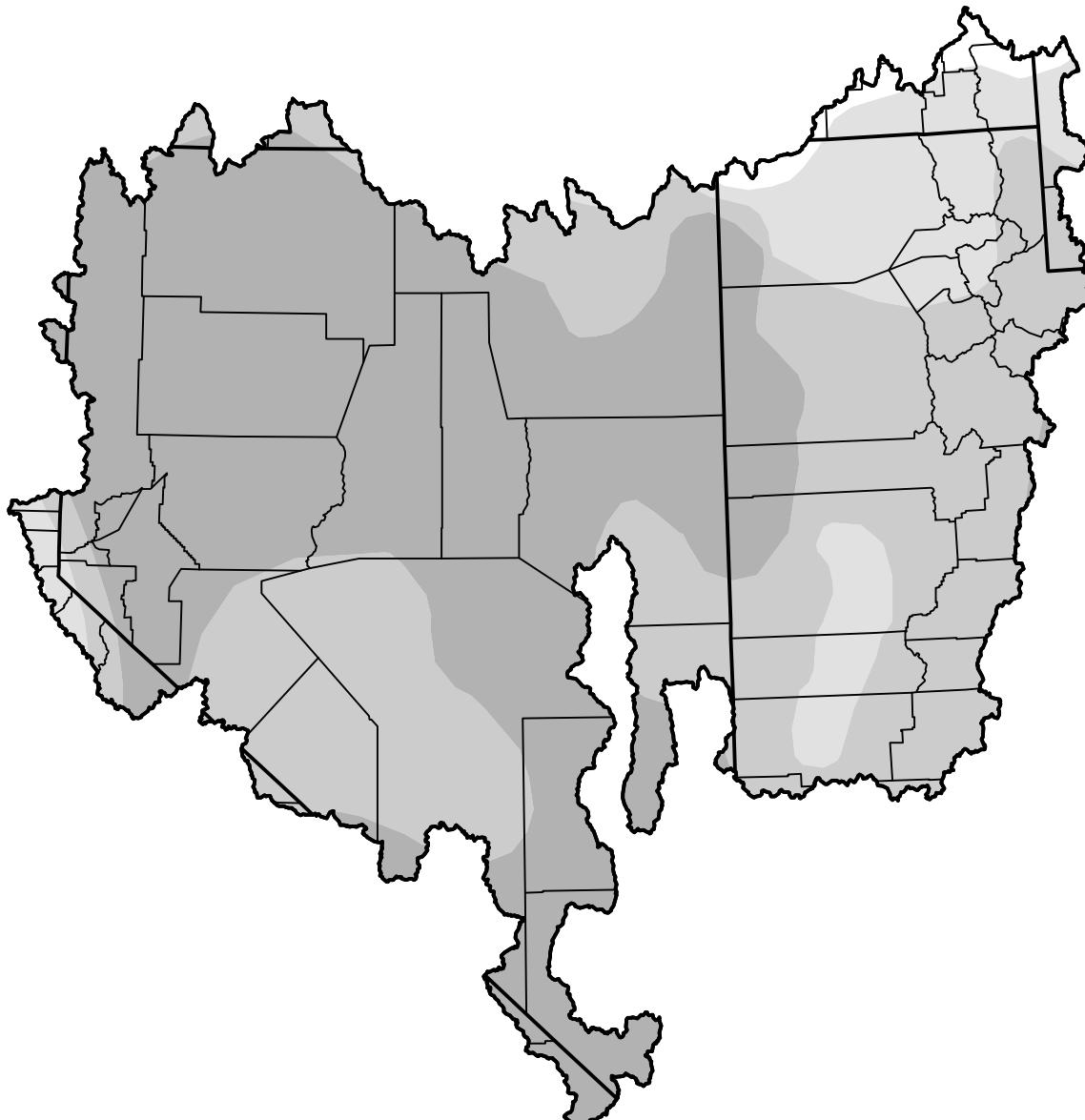


U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Basin Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	1.32	98.68	87.94	50.76	0.00	0.00
Last Week 05-10-2012	1.32	98.68	87.94	46.32	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-16-2012	2.74	97.26	73.37	0.64	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	39.07	60.93	25.23	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	93.46	6.54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 05-19-2011	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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