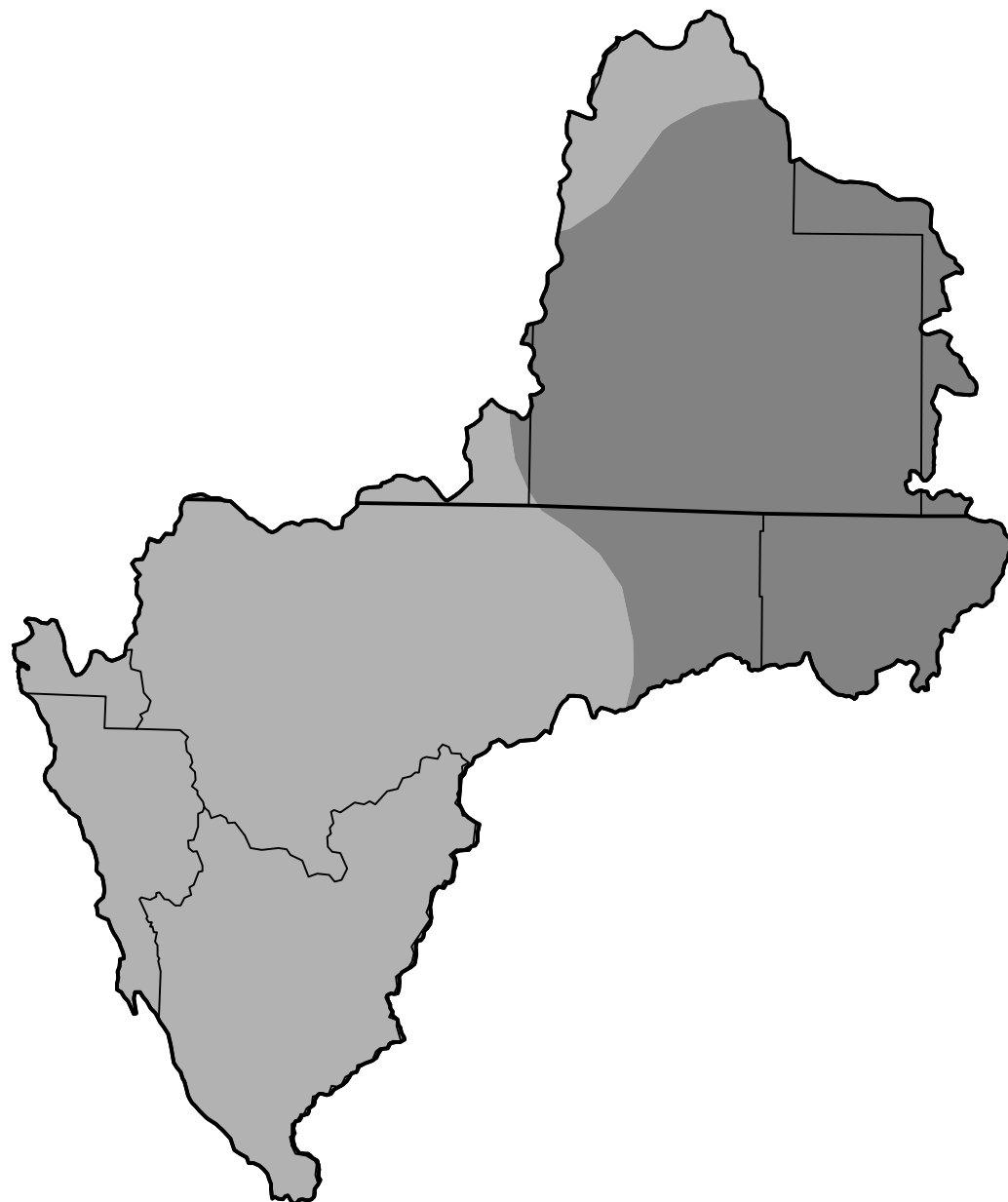


# U.S. Drought Monitor Klamath River Basin

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None | D0-D4  | D1-D4  | D2-D4  | D3-D4 | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 43.45 | 0.00  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-11-2015</i>              | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 43.45 | 0.00  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-19-2015</i>           | 0.00 | 100.00 | 99.33  | 98.27  | 43.45 | 1.40  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-30-2014</i> | 0.00 | 100.00 | 99.00  | 94.74  | 68.99 | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2014</i>    | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 99.55  | 91.40 | 19.92 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-19-2014</i>           | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 91.40 | 19.97 |

**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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