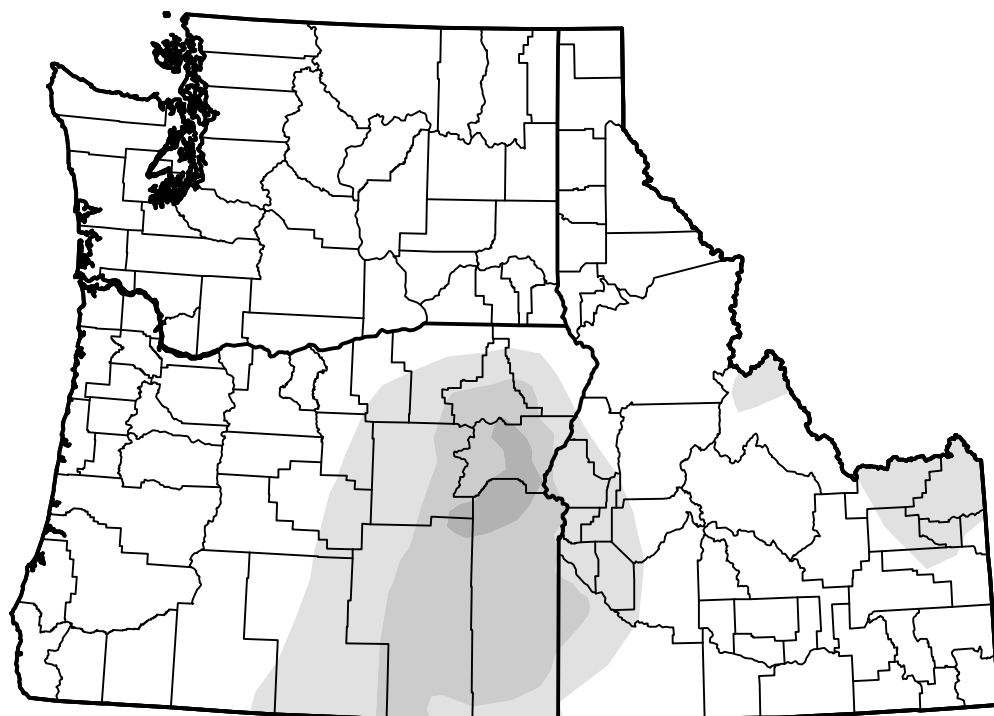


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northwest Climate Hub

**November 22, 2016**  
 (Released Wednesday, Nov. 23, 2016)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 86.92 | 13.08 | 2.81  | 0.31  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>11-17-2016</i>              | 86.92 | 13.08 | 2.81  | 0.31  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-25-2016</i>           | 73.13 | 26.87 | 6.64  | 1.41  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2015</i> | 70.69 | 29.31 | 17.92 | 10.29 | 4.73  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>    | 70.76 | 29.24 | 7.57  | 1.44  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>11-25-2015</i>           | 57.22 | 42.78 | 23.23 | 19.80 | 11.81 | 0.00 |

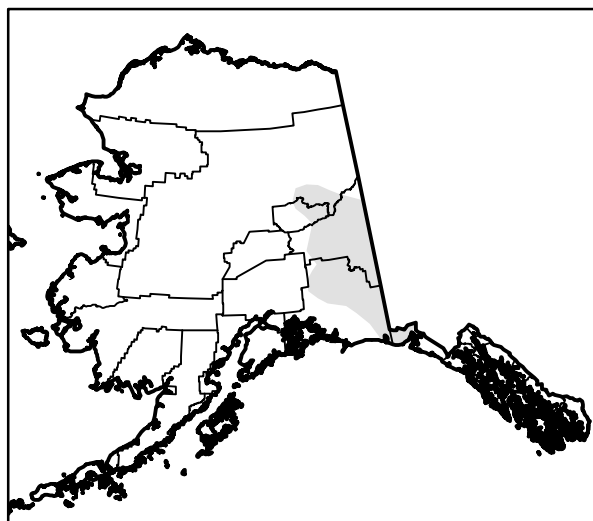
**Intensity:**



*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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