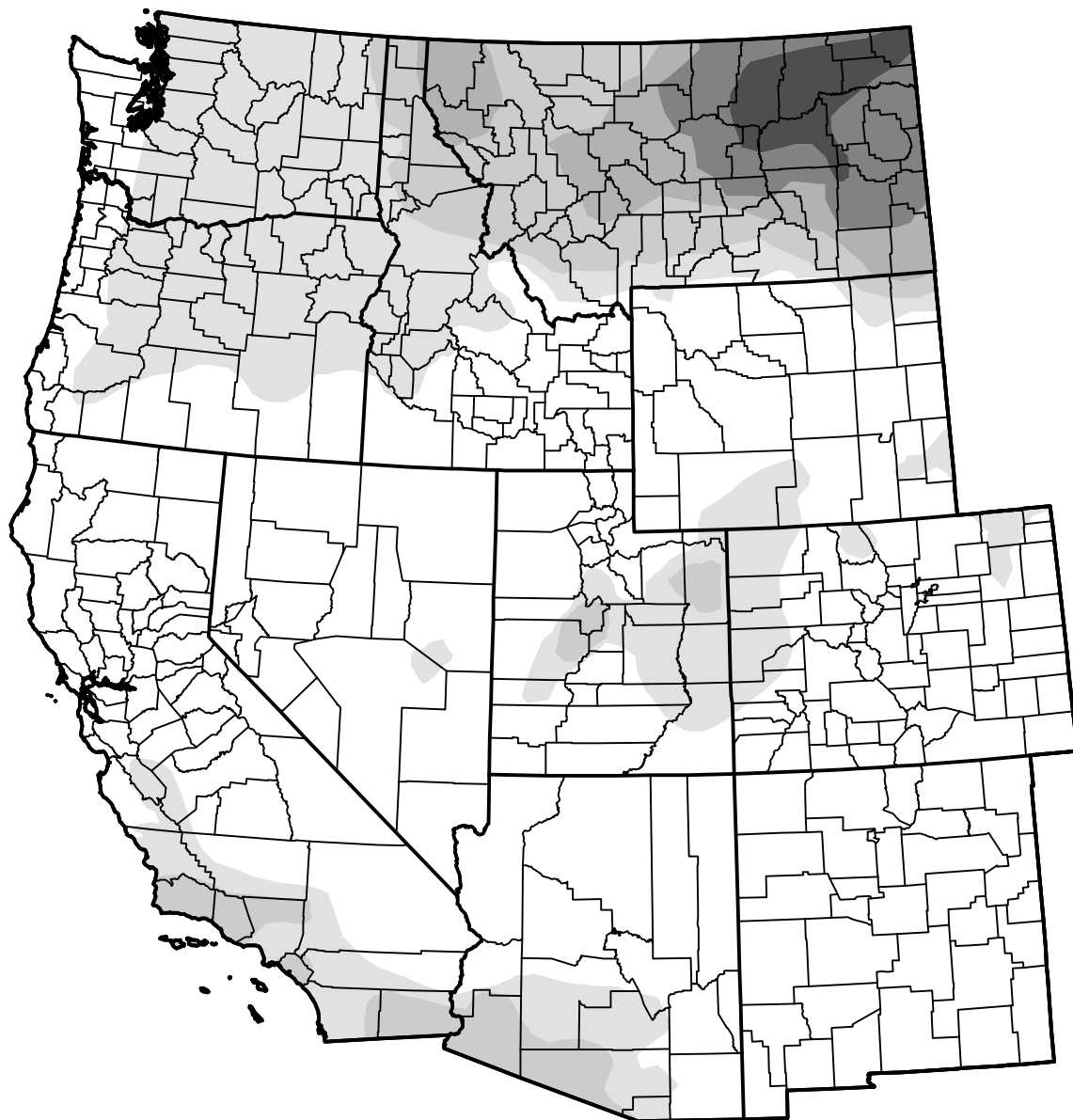


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	64.77	19.96	7.80	3.22	2.79	1.47
Last Week <i>08-15-2017</i>	64.18	24.14	5.82	2.75	1.64	1.47
3 Months Ago <i>05-23-2017</i>	86.38	9.16	4.29	0.16	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	54.19	24.30	12.98	3.42	2.67	2.44
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	27.78	41.27	17.50	7.68	2.97	2.81
One Year Ago <i>08-23-2016</i>	23.76	42.32	20.97	6.96	3.19	2.81

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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