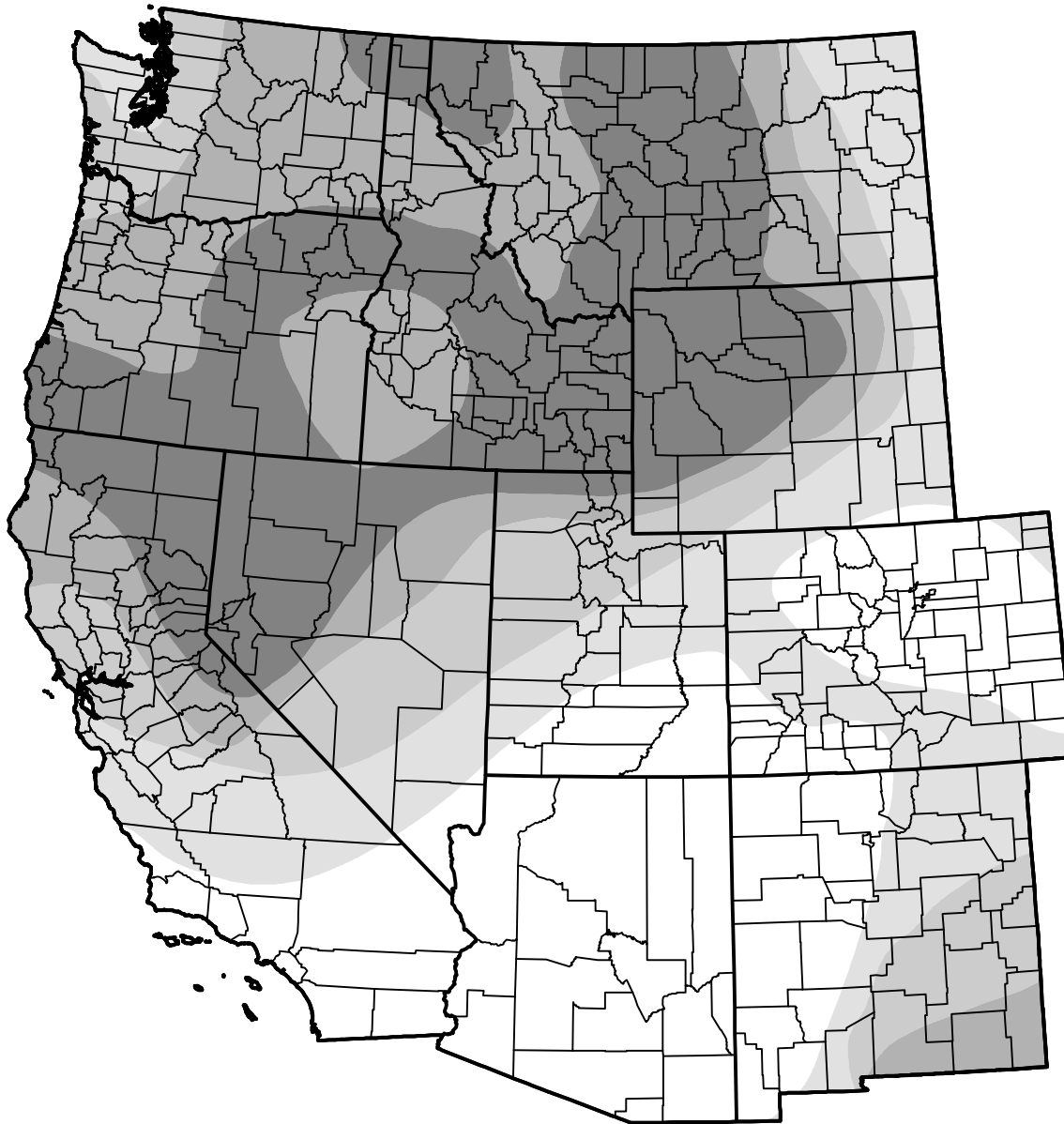


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	26.51	73.49	56.88	44.32	25.37	0.00
Last Week <i>10-16-2001</i>	26.55	73.45	56.40	44.32	25.37	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-24-2001</i>	40.33	59.67	47.80	35.59	8.43	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	78.09	21.91	7.09	2.72	0.20	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	27.96	72.04	56.60	44.09	23.80	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-24-2000</i>	41.06	58.94	24.37	6.62	0.34	0.00

Intensity:



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