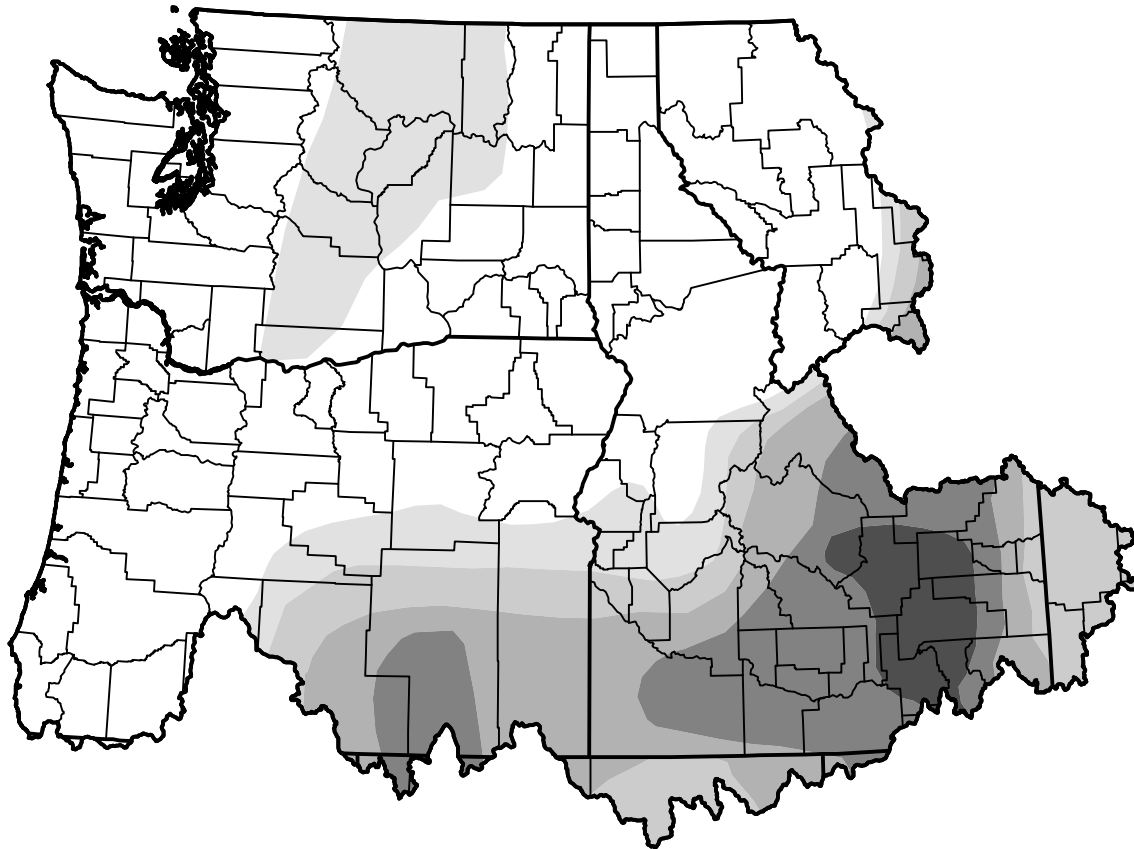


# U.S. Drought Monitor Northwest RFC

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	55.95	12.99	7.89	10.36	9.85	2.96
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-24-2004</i>	55.10	13.45	8.09	10.52	9.88	2.96
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-02-2004</i>	55.15	10.84	7.88	11.88	10.65	3.59
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	23.50	5.59	30.10	15.80	12.59	12.43
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	59.46	9.09	7.04	11.57	10.58	2.26
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-04-2003</i>	17.98	6.09	18.92	27.08	14.68	15.25

*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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