

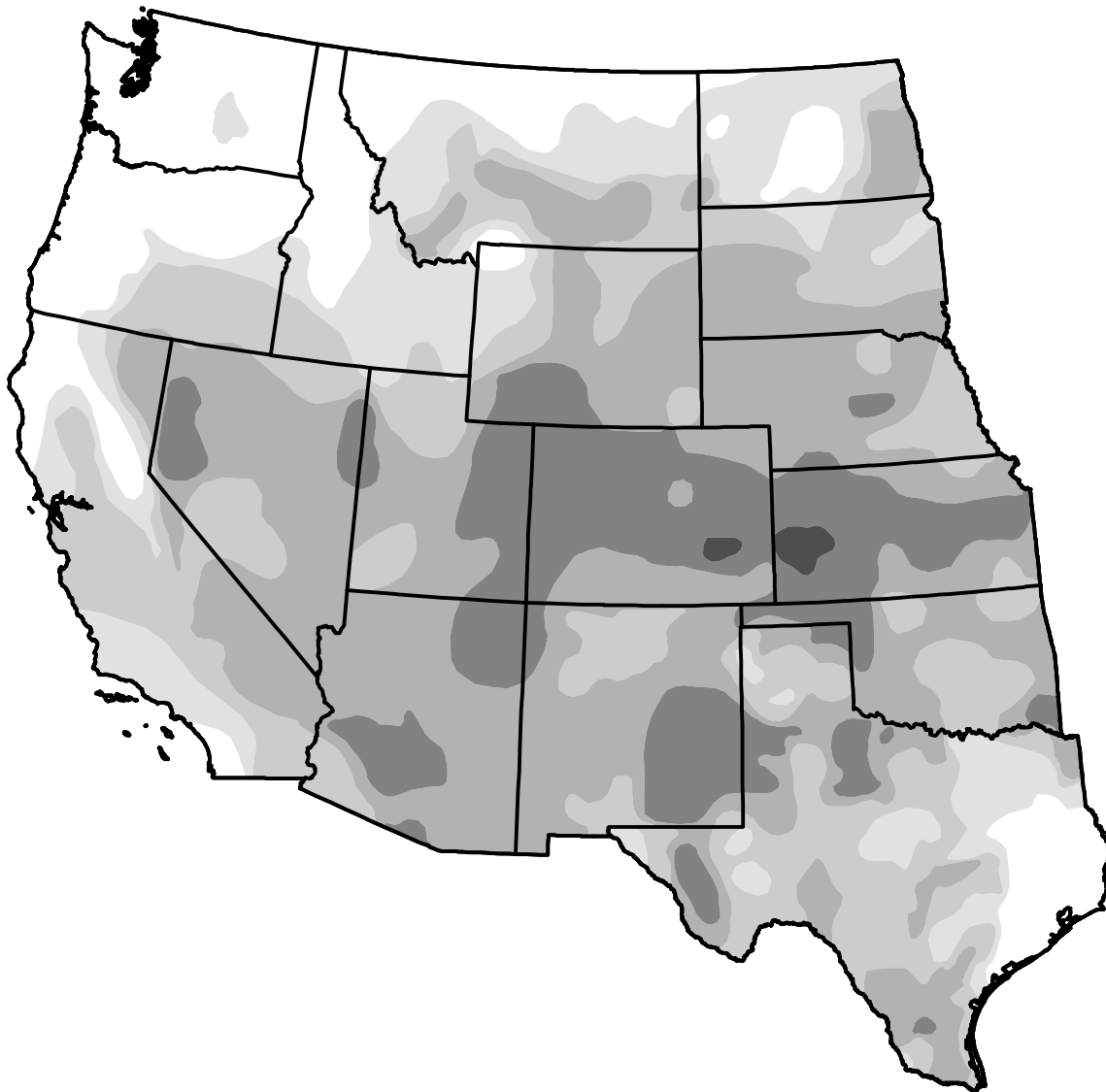
# U.S. Drought Monitor Bureau of Reclamation

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	15.62	12.85	22.50	33.88	14.77	0.38
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-10-2012</i>	15.25	14.64	25.63	31.10	13.06	0.31
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-17-2012</i>	35.12	21.67	20.31	16.45	4.47	1.99
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2012</i>	40.12	20.87	15.95	9.95	7.76	5.36
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2011</i>	54.09	11.95	3.83	5.77	6.11	18.24
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-19-2011</i>	62.30	5.01	4.25	5.07	6.81	16.55



***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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