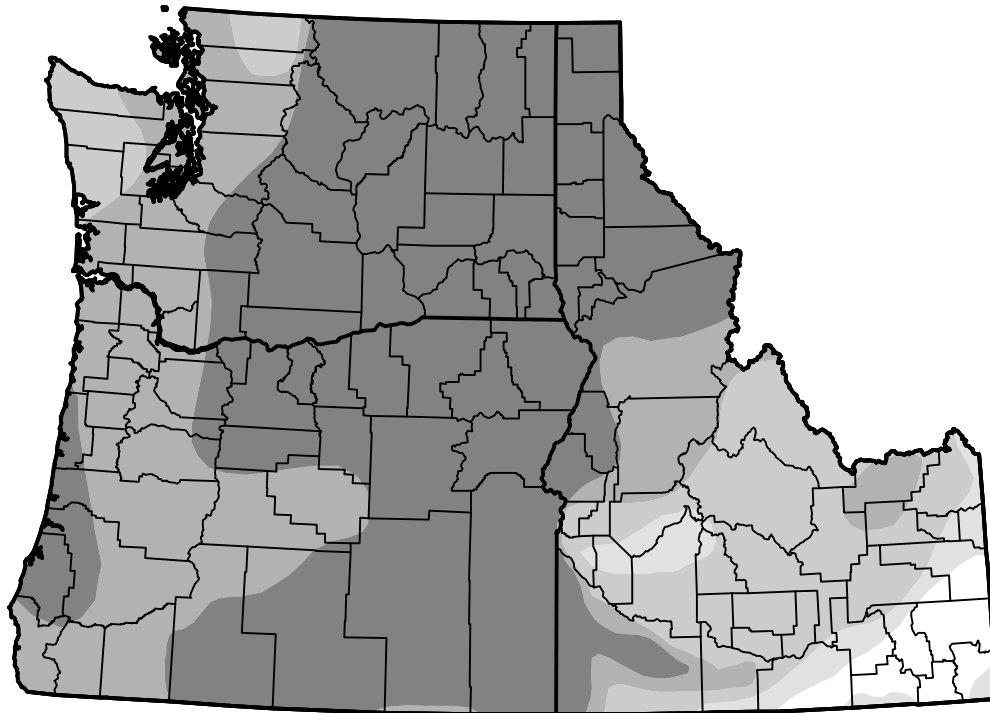


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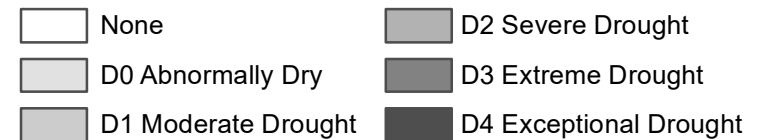
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	54.98	16.96	4.43	7.39	16.24	0.00
Last Week <i>10-15-2015</i>	53.54	18.40	4.05	7.76	16.24	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-23-2015</i>	30.52	27.80	18.63	18.37	4.68	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	78.34	5.11	7.74	4.49	4.32	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	40.30	28.78	6.34	8.26	16.32	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-23-2014</i>	74.86	7.40	7.52	5.74	4.47	0.00

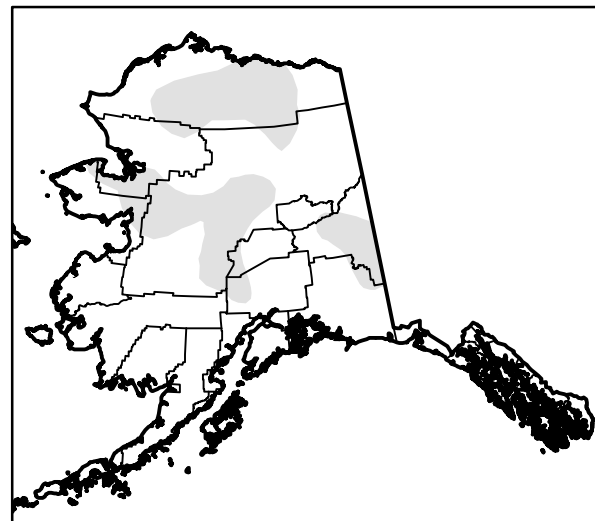
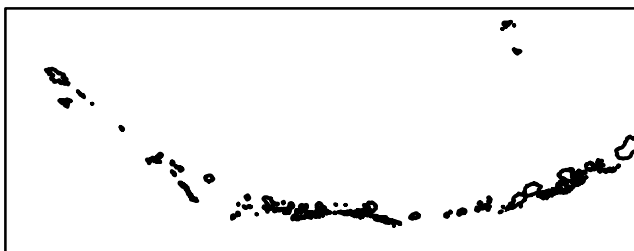
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