

# U.S. Drought Monitor

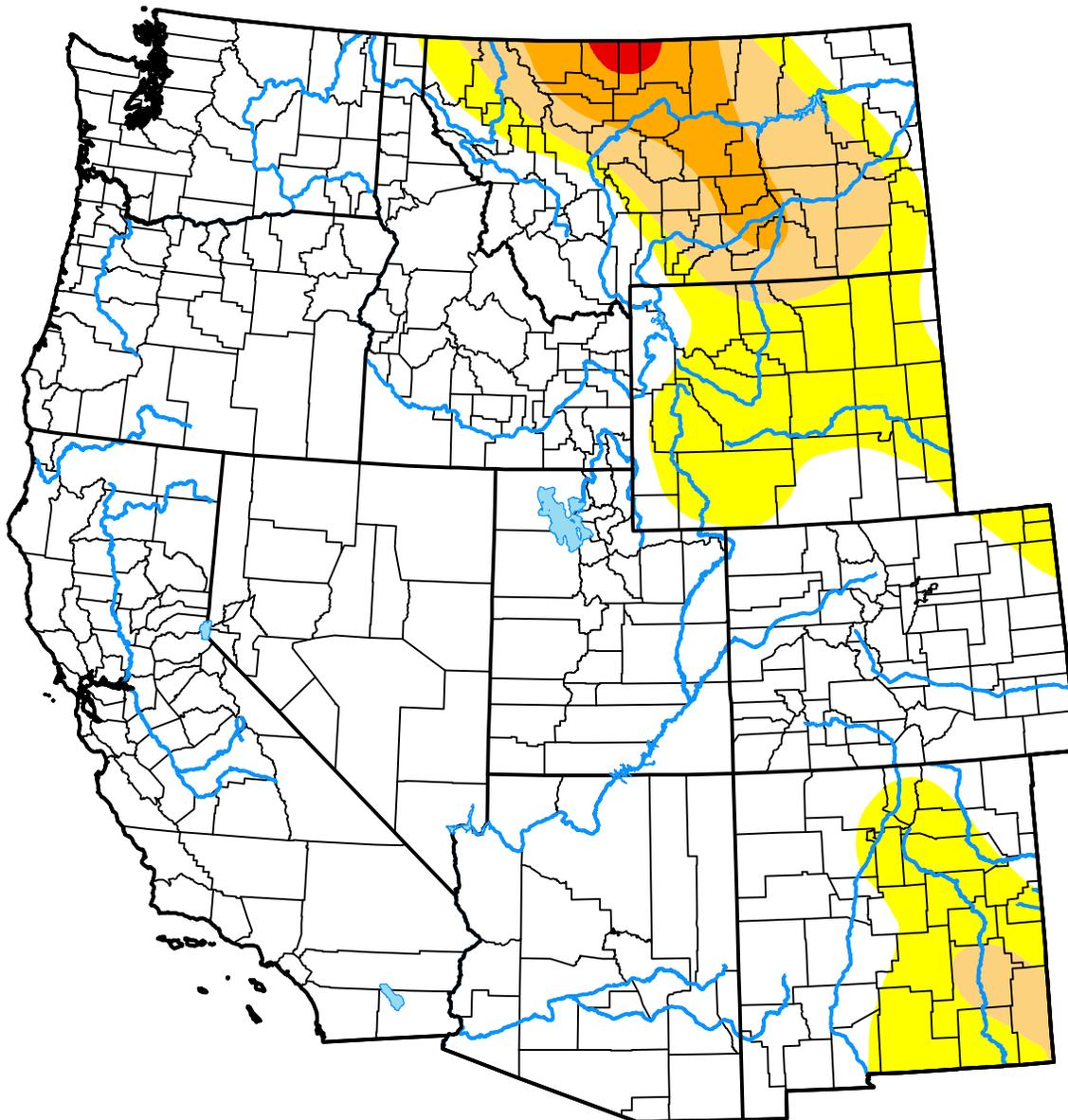
## West

**December 19, 2000**  
*(Released Thursday, Dec. 21, 2000)*

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	80.33	12.03	5.04	2.39	0.20	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-12-2000</i>	78.19	14.24	4.98	2.39	0.20	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-19-2000</i>	40.97	31.64	16.88	9.92	0.60	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2000</i>	80.42	19.41	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2000</i>	38.65	32.39	18.18	9.49	1.30	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-01-1900</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-



**Intensity:**

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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