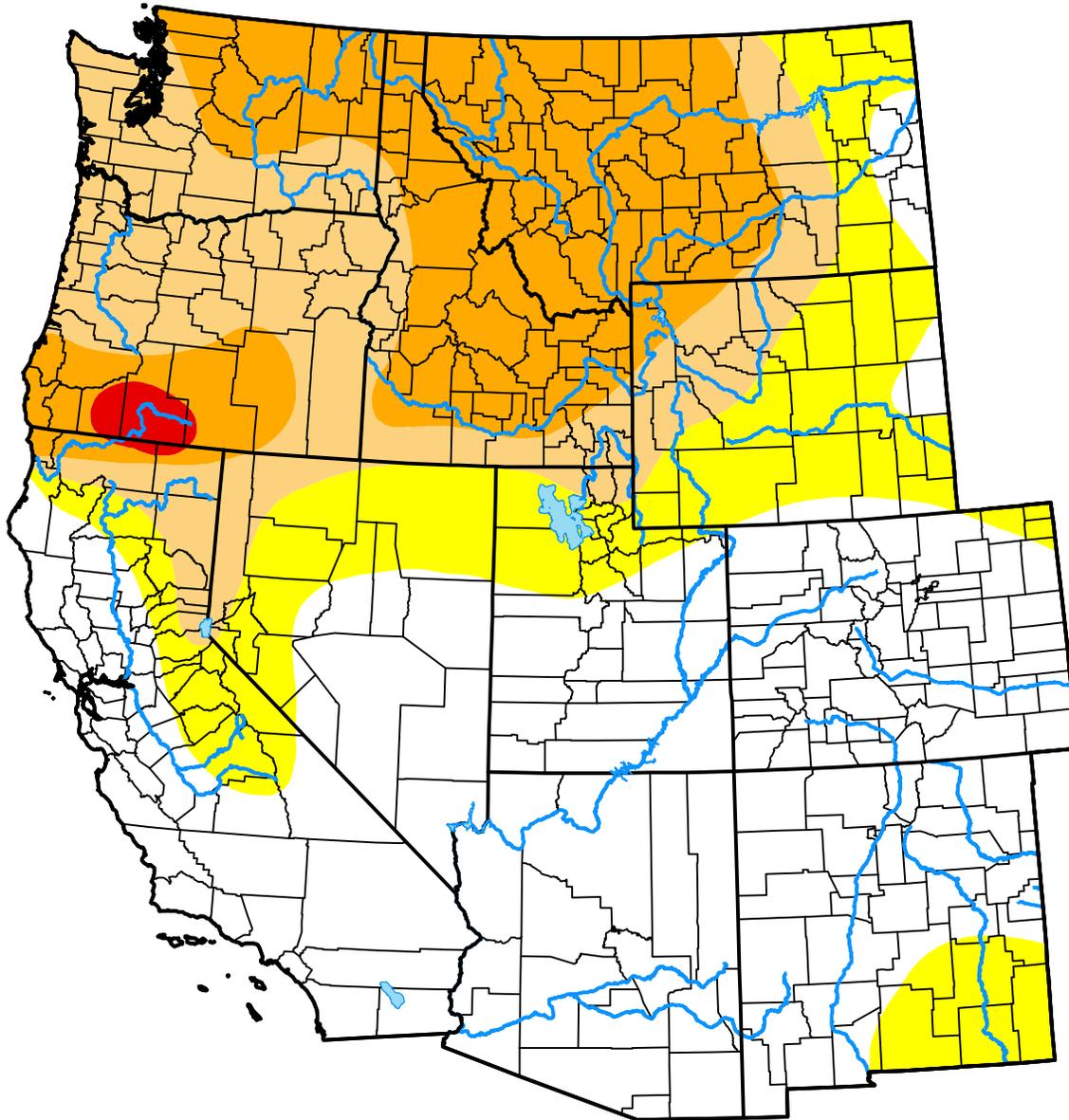


# U.S. Drought Monitor West

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	47.10	17.11	16.32	18.85	0.62	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-27-2001</i>	48.88	14.72	19.28	17.12	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	78.09	14.82	4.37	2.53	0.20	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	78.09	14.82	4.37	2.53	0.20	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>04-04-2000</i>	82.07	12.70	3.61	1.62	0.00	0.00

***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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