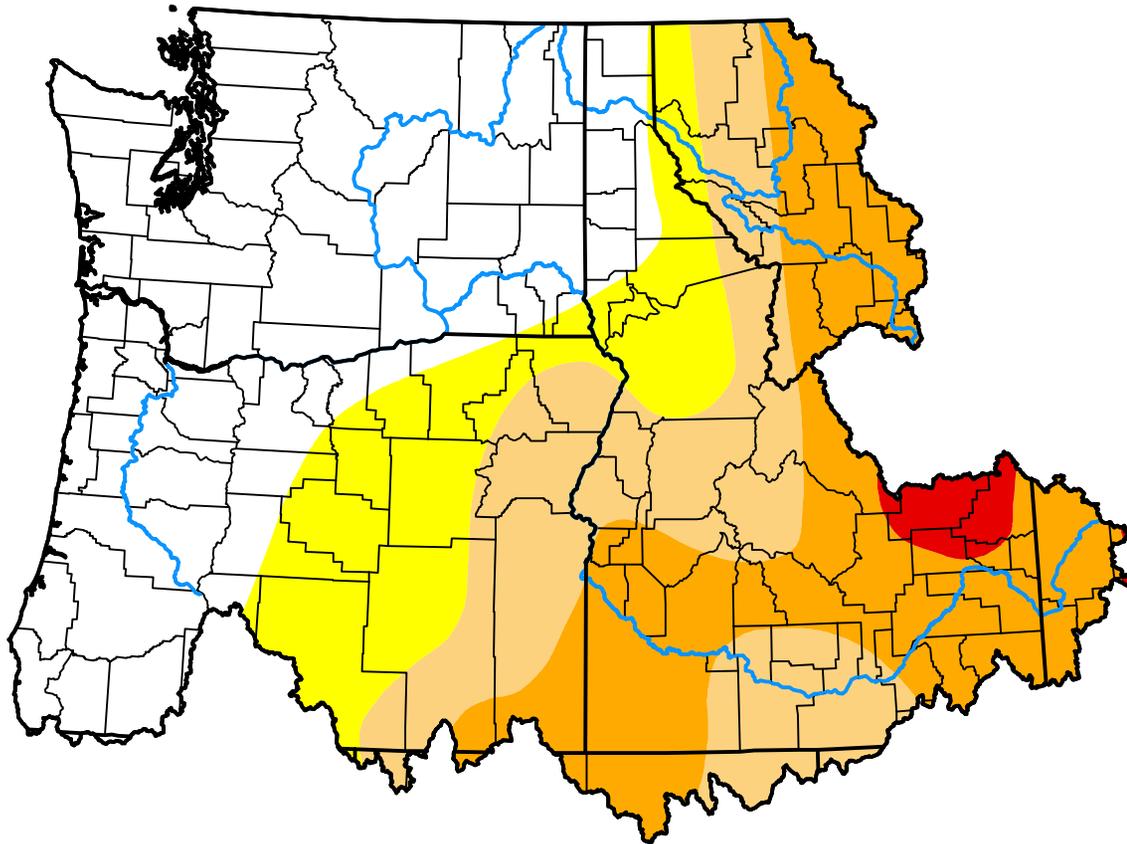


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	41.48	15.24	19.88	21.88	1.51	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-21-2002</i>	40.70	15.30	19.94	22.54	1.52	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-29-2001</i>	0.00	5.14	5.46	46.32	43.09	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	10.81	7.32	8.66	50.11	23.10	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2001</i>	0.00	0.00	8.74	47.01	44.25	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-01-2001</i>	0.00	12.41	87.40	0.19	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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