

U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

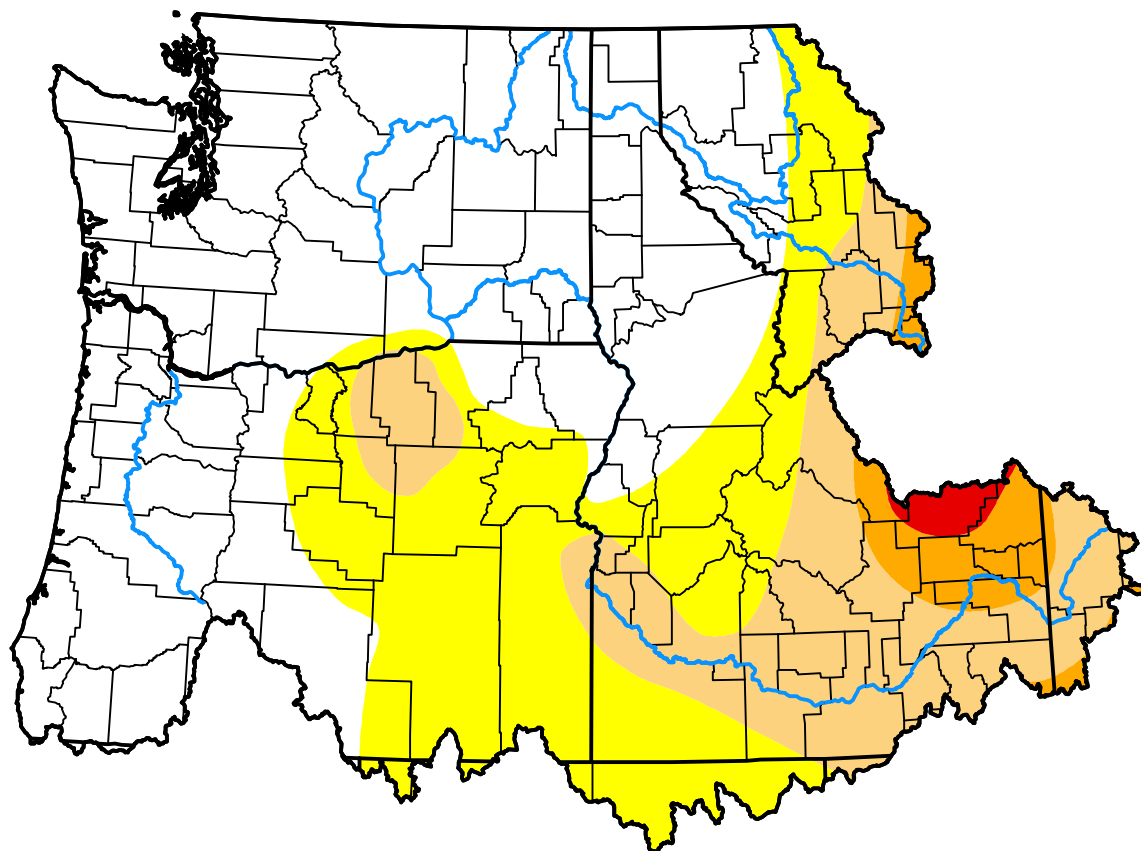
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	53.54	25.84	16.46	3.46	0.70	0.00
Last Week 05-09-2002	53.79	25.53	15.77	4.29	0.62	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-14-2002	40.61	15.35	20.07	22.55	1.42	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2002	10.81	7.32	8.66	50.11	23.10	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2001	0.00	0.00	8.74	47.01	44.25	0.00
One Year Ago 05-17-2001	0.00	1.40	41.62	56.40	0.58	0.00



Intensity:

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