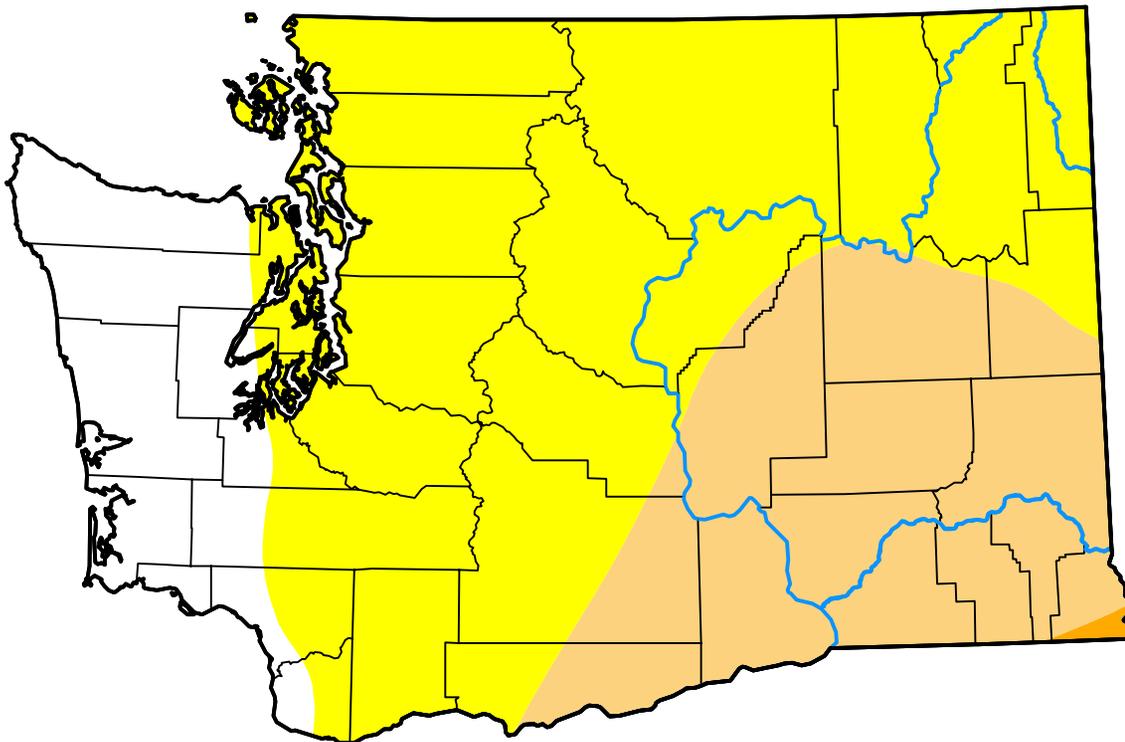


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	13.25	86.75	28.32	0.23	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-12-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	27.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-19-2002</i>	47.51	52.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	22.17	77.83	66.87	43.49	1.49	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	40.96	59.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-20-2001</i>	22.98	77.02	63.81	46.73	0.90	0.00



Intensity:



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