

U.S. Drought Monitor

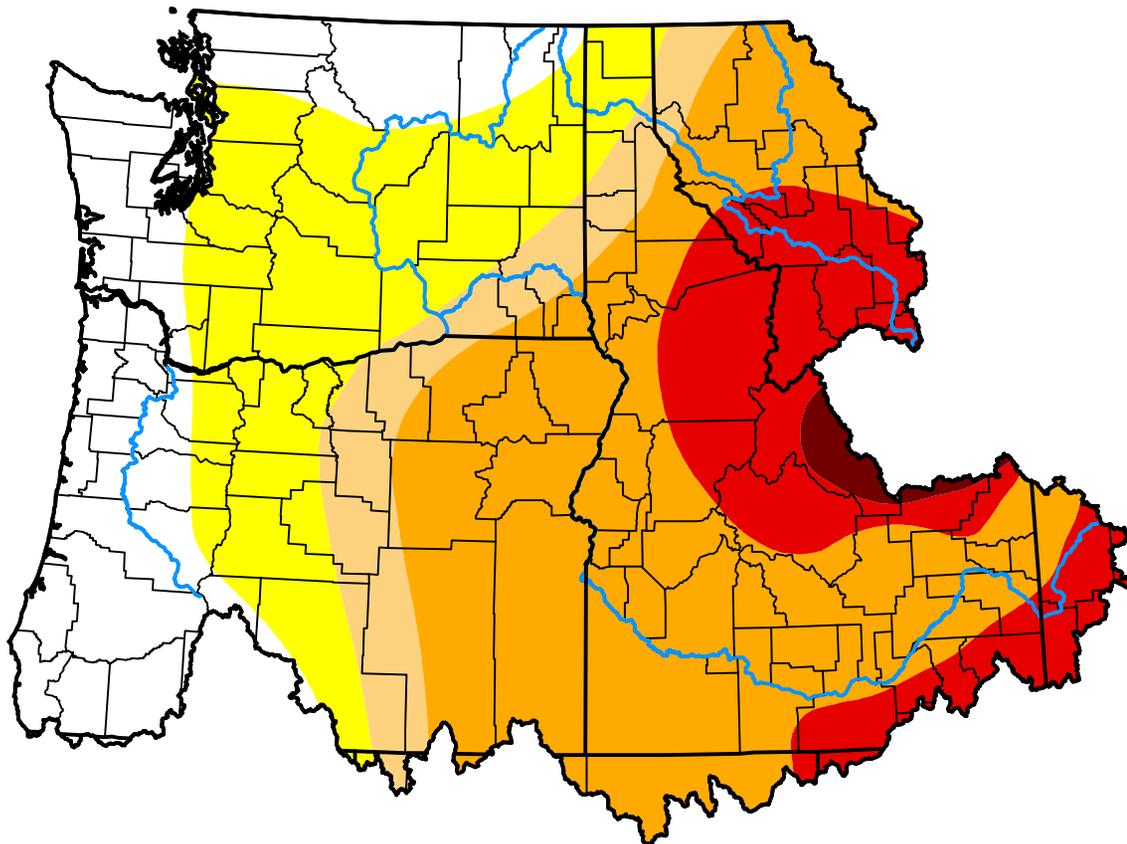
Pacific Northwest Watershed

January 14, 2003
 (Released Thursday, Jan. 16, 2003)

Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	19.09	21.15	8.54	35.93	14.31	0.98
Last Week <i>01-09-2003</i>	18.43	22.13	12.89	42.96	3.59	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-17-2002</i>	13.90	37.46	10.91	32.89	4.84	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	14.88	25.35	13.76	42.11	3.89	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	17.71	35.53	10.73	29.50	6.54	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-17-2002</i>	21.77	19.84	22.43	31.53	4.43	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>

Author:

Richard Tinker
 CPC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP



droughtmonitor.unl.edu