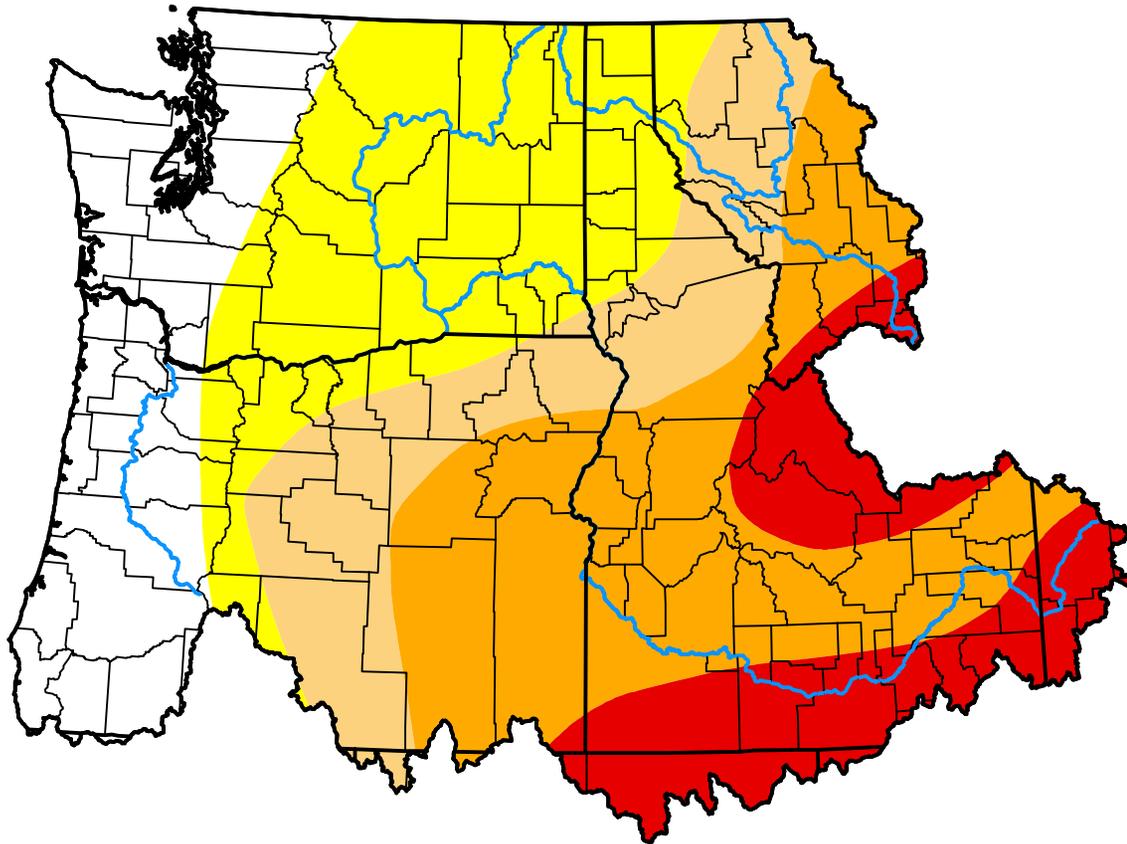


U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	18.15	24.80	16.86	25.82	14.36	0.01
Last Week <i>01-30-2003</i>	18.08	23.14	9.85	32.74	15.48	0.71
3 Months Ago <i>11-07-2002</i>	0.00	22.82	30.39	41.53	5.25	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>02-07-2002</i>	30.02	23.87	22.28	22.39	1.43	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>

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