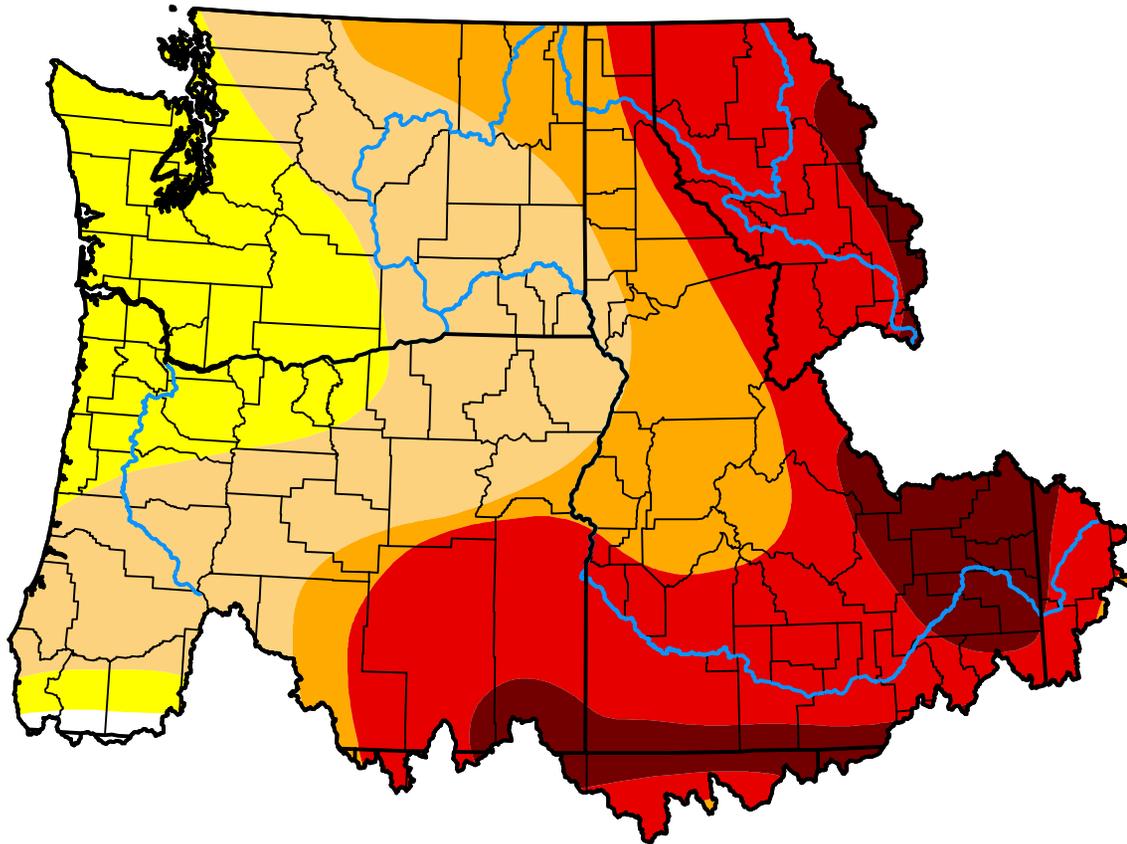


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

**September 16, 2003**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.51	99.49	82.71	55.94	40.12	9.46
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-11-2003</i>	0.74	99.26	95.50	57.61	40.85	9.03
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-19-2003</i>	46.78	53.22	33.57	22.99	12.33	0.20
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	14.88	85.12	59.77	46.01	3.89	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	17.71	82.29	46.76	36.03	6.54	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-19-2002</i>	24.34	75.66	48.45	38.08	6.61	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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