

U.S. Drought Monitor Pacific Northwest Watershed

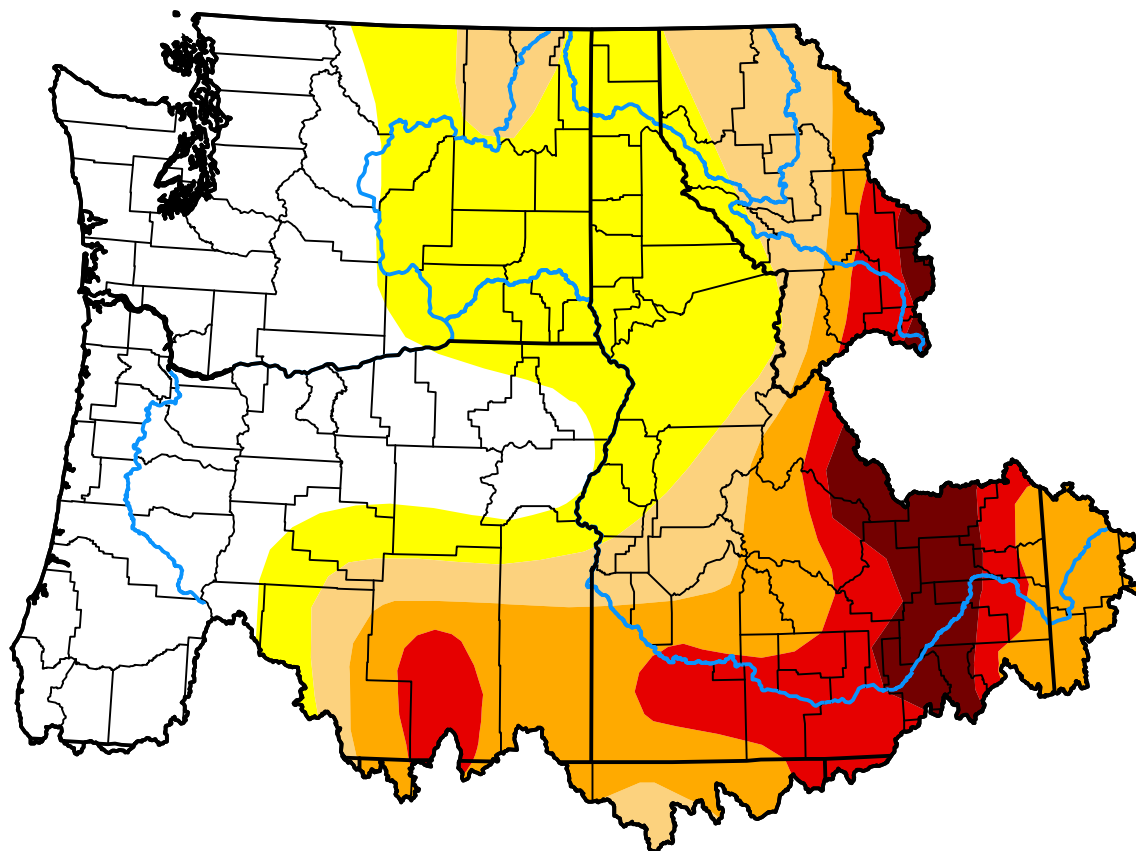
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	33.50	66.50	42.29	29.58	13.99	4.37
Last Week 04-15-2004	33.50	66.50	35.40	27.71	12.91	4.19
3 Months Ago 01-22-2004	23.84	76.16	50.20	29.76	18.92	5.55
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2003	23.49	76.51	70.90	40.83	25.04	12.46
Start of Water Year 10-02-2003	0.56	99.44	82.72	55.88	40.34	8.78
One Year Ago 04-24-2003	49.02	50.98	41.14	31.09	15.98	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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