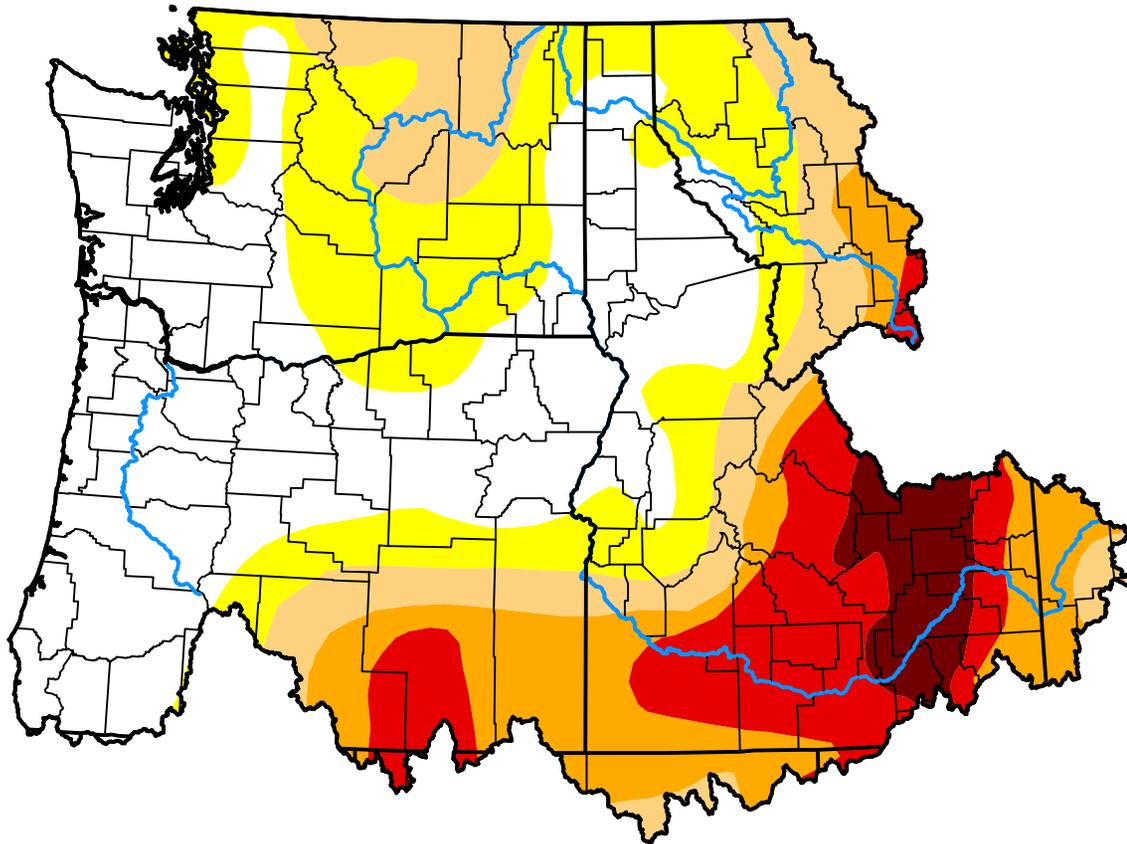


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

**August 24, 2004**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	37.85	62.15	39.91	26.76	14.27	3.66
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-19-2004</i>	23.10	76.90	43.76	29.34	15.72	3.77
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-27-2004</i>	30.93	69.07	48.37	30.09	17.36	3.54
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	23.49	76.51	70.90	40.83	25.04	12.46
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2003</i>	0.56	99.44	82.72	55.88	40.34	8.78
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-28-2003</i>	0.81	99.19	94.68	53.66	40.67	8.45

***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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