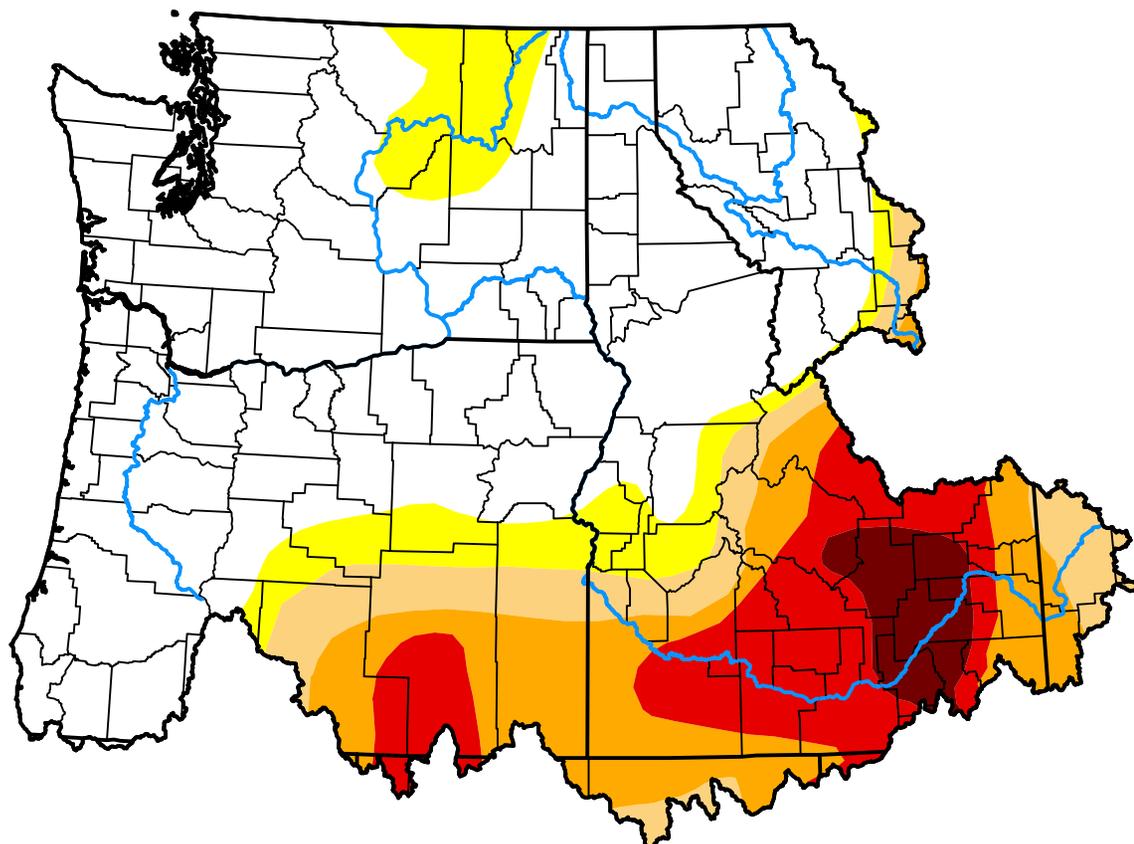


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	59.46	40.54	31.46	24.44	12.87	2.96
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-07-2004</i>	59.46	40.54	31.46	24.44	12.87	2.26
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-15-2004</i>	33.53	66.47	42.73	28.78	15.25	3.41
<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>09-30-2004</i>	59.46	40.54	31.46	24.43	12.87	2.26
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-16-2003</i>	14.52	85.48	79.27	58.10	38.94	9.06

***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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