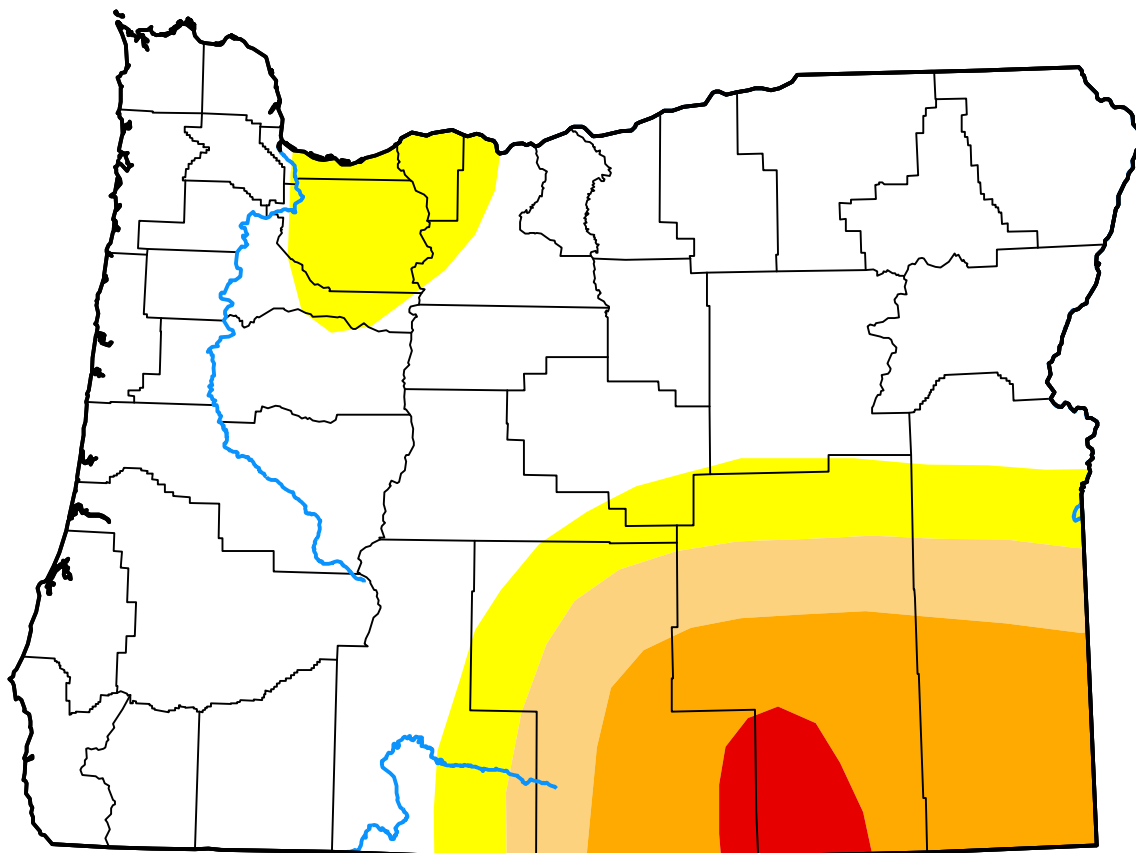


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	65.89	34.11	22.14	14.57	2.26	0.00
Last Week <i>12-16-2004</i>	69.80	30.20	22.14	14.57	2.26	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-23-2004</i>	60.98	39.02	27.12	17.29	5.09	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	30.88	69.12	58.37	36.85	20.18	6.06
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	61.16	38.84	27.12	17.29	5.09	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-24-2003</i>	28.48	71.52	62.82	45.45	26.46	7.13

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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