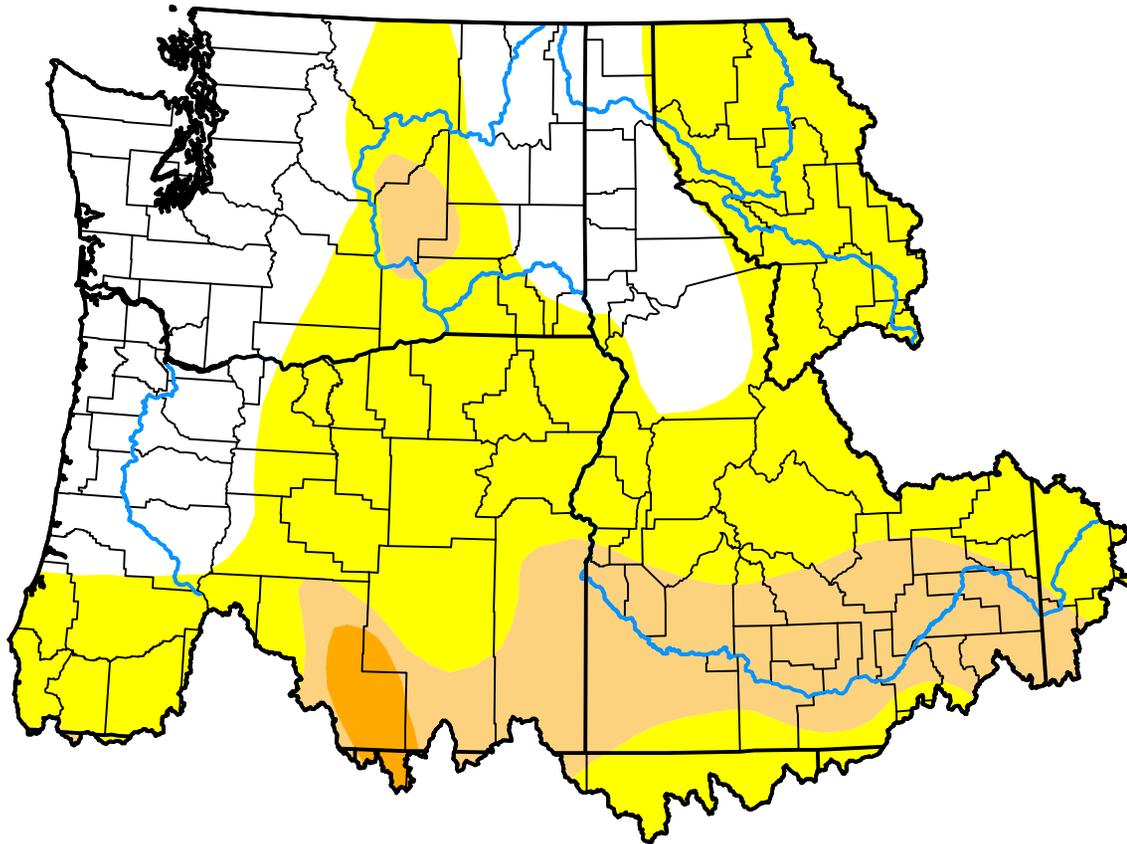


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

**September 2, 2008**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	30.05	69.95	19.03	1.49	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-28-2008</i>	30.08	69.92	18.99	1.49	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-05-2008</i>	57.57	42.43	16.52	1.68	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	40.25	59.75	52.18	23.87	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2007</i>	13.95	86.05	60.55	55.22	14.79	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-06-2007</i>	19.63	80.37	59.91	54.93	13.12	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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