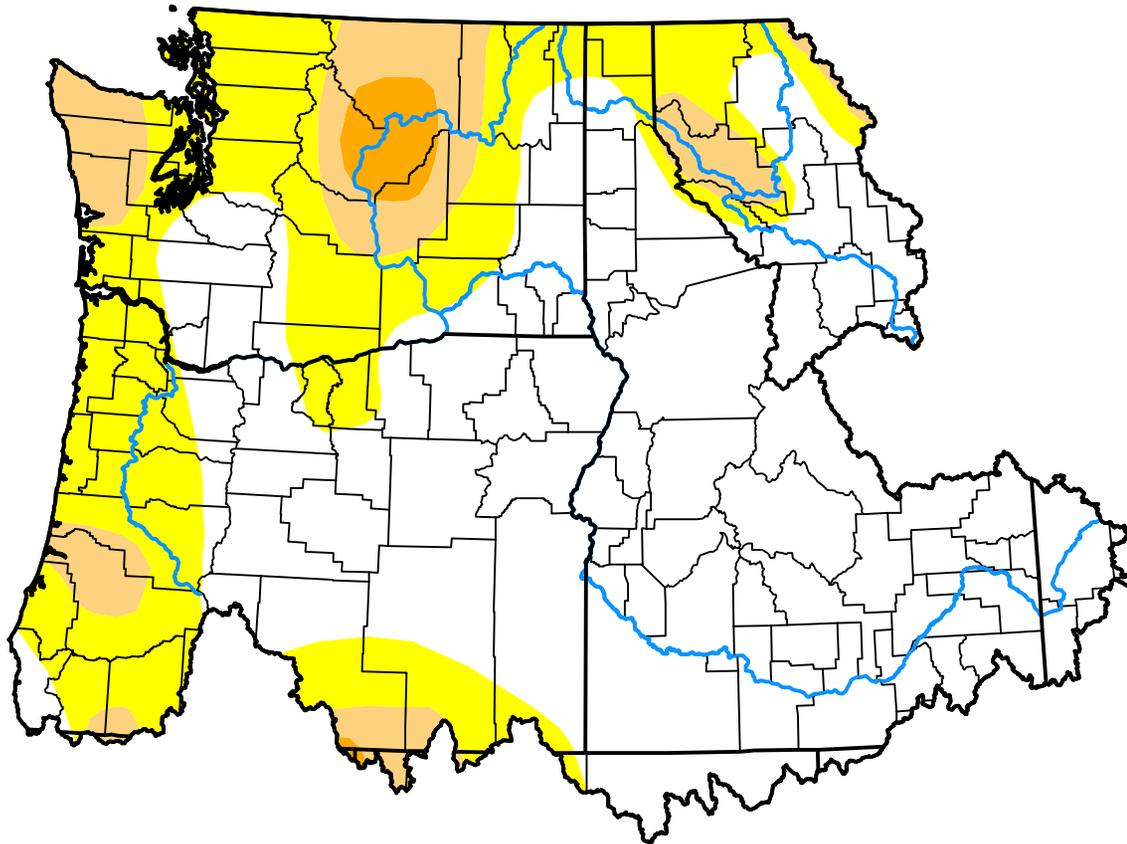


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	63.50	36.50	10.80	1.70	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-30-2009</i>	60.72	39.28	9.76	0.52	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-07-2009</i>	42.98	57.02	17.27	0.14	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	34.86	65.14	23.19	1.77	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	37.11	62.89	17.50	1.62	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-07-2008</i>	29.92	70.08	18.99	1.49	0.00	0.00

*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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