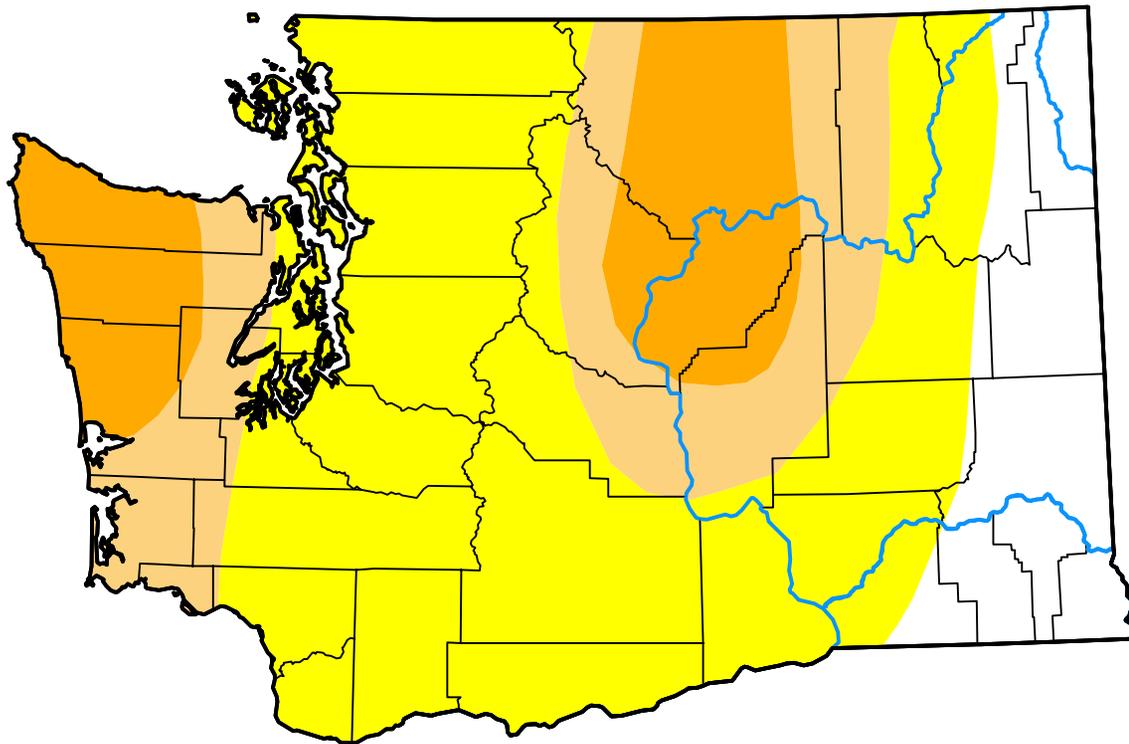


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	13.80	86.20	33.37	15.51	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-27-2009</i>	25.14	74.86	33.09	15.51	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-04-2009</i>	50.20	49.80	10.92	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	57.14	42.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	66.41	33.59	5.07	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-04-2008</i>	66.55	33.45	5.07	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

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