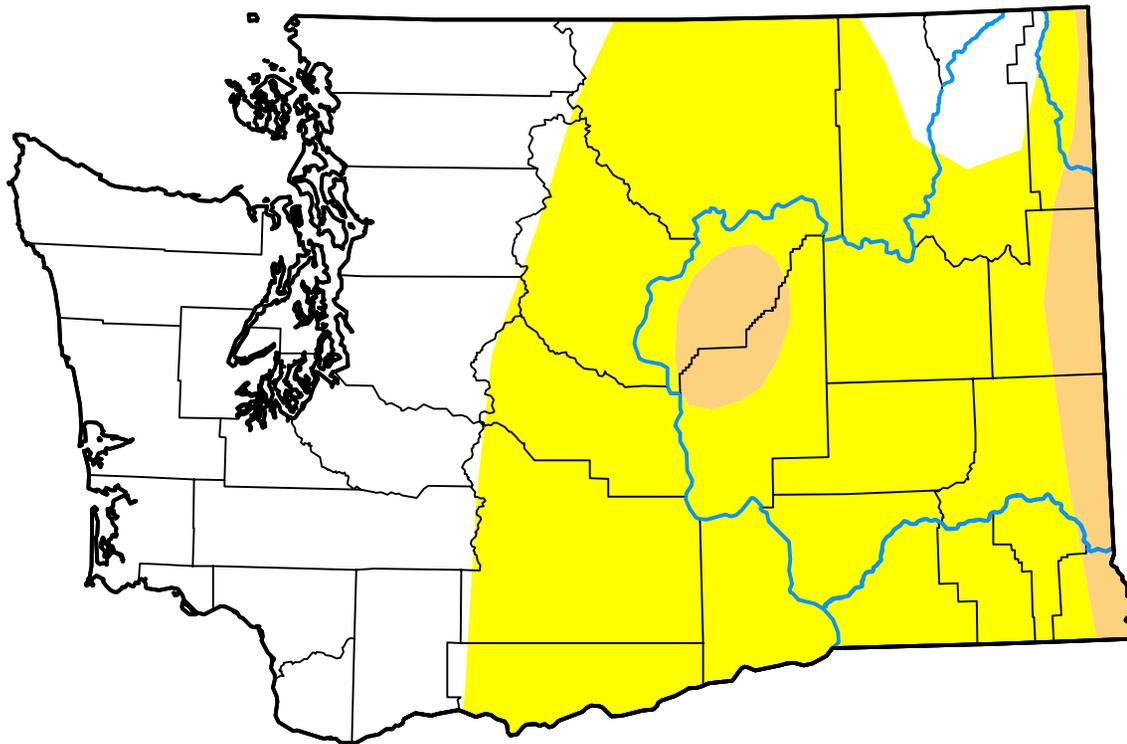


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	41.41	58.59	6.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-25-2010</i>	16.82	83.18	6.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-31-2009</i>	43.49	56.51	17.55	7.82	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2009</i>	43.49	56.51	17.55	7.82	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i>	0.00	100.00	30.54	9.68	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-02-2009</i>	44.36	55.64	11.90	0.00	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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