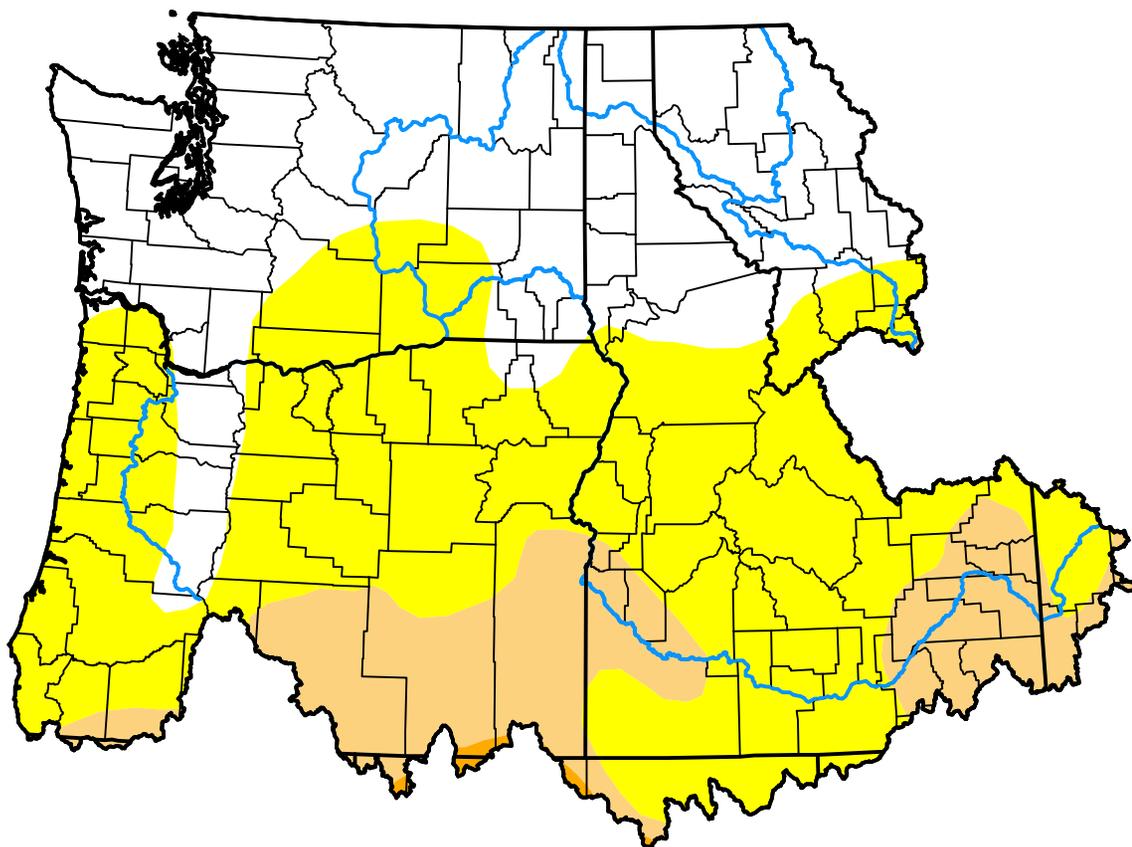


U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	36.57	47.82	15.28	0.32	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-02-2013</i>	62.37	22.84	14.47	0.32	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-07-2013</i>	62.66	15.47	20.29	1.58	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	67.23	7.49	23.71	1.58	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	52.78	12.67	32.89	1.39	0.27	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-10-2012</i>	79.70	13.64	6.24	0.42	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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