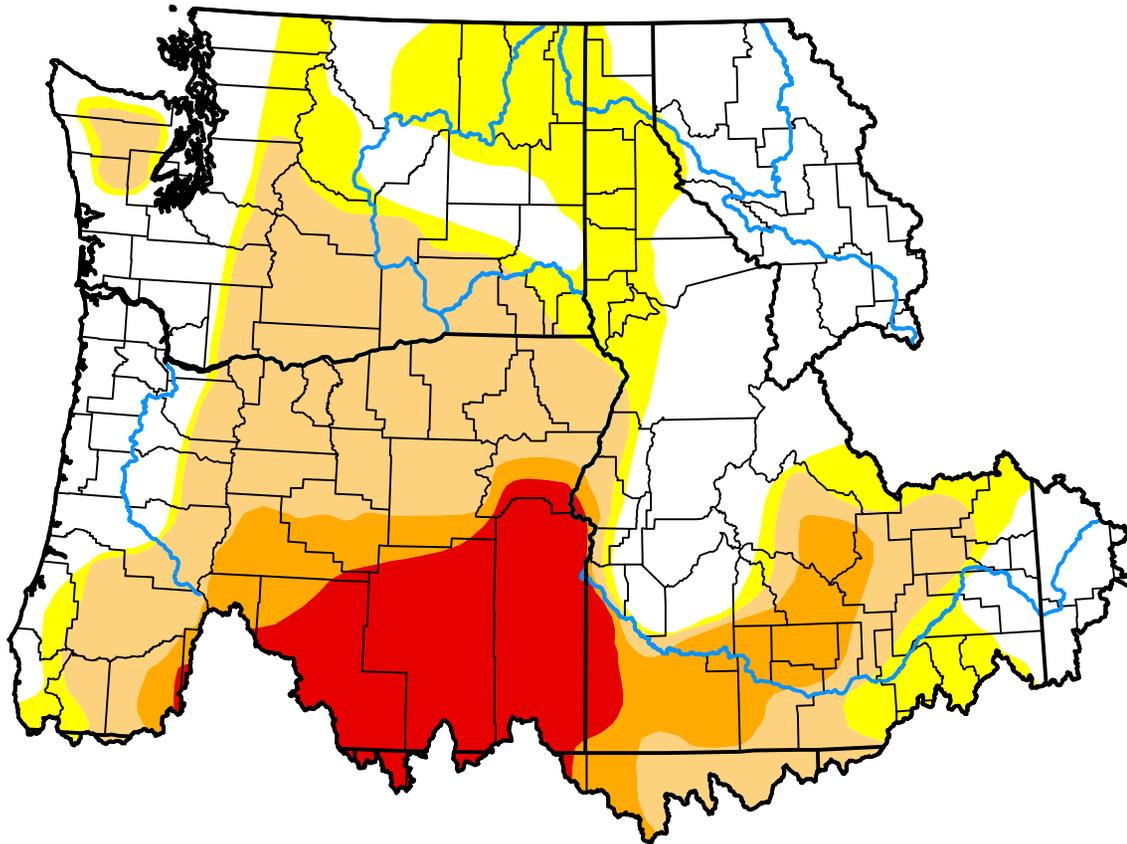


U.S. Drought Monitor

Pacific Northwest Watershed

February 24, 2015
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 36.05 | 17.48 | 26.68 | 9.13 | 10.66 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>02-19-2015</i> | 37.46 | 19.11 | 23.70 | 9.14 | 10.59 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>11-26-2014</i> | 32.51 | 15.90 | 24.40 | 15.74 | 11.45 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i> | 34.96 | 15.14 | 24.90 | 13.87 | 11.14 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i> | 20.90 | 26.66 | 20.77 | 20.06 | 11.60 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>02-27-2014</i> | 16.60 | 21.30 | 30.44 | 31.02 | 0.65 | 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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