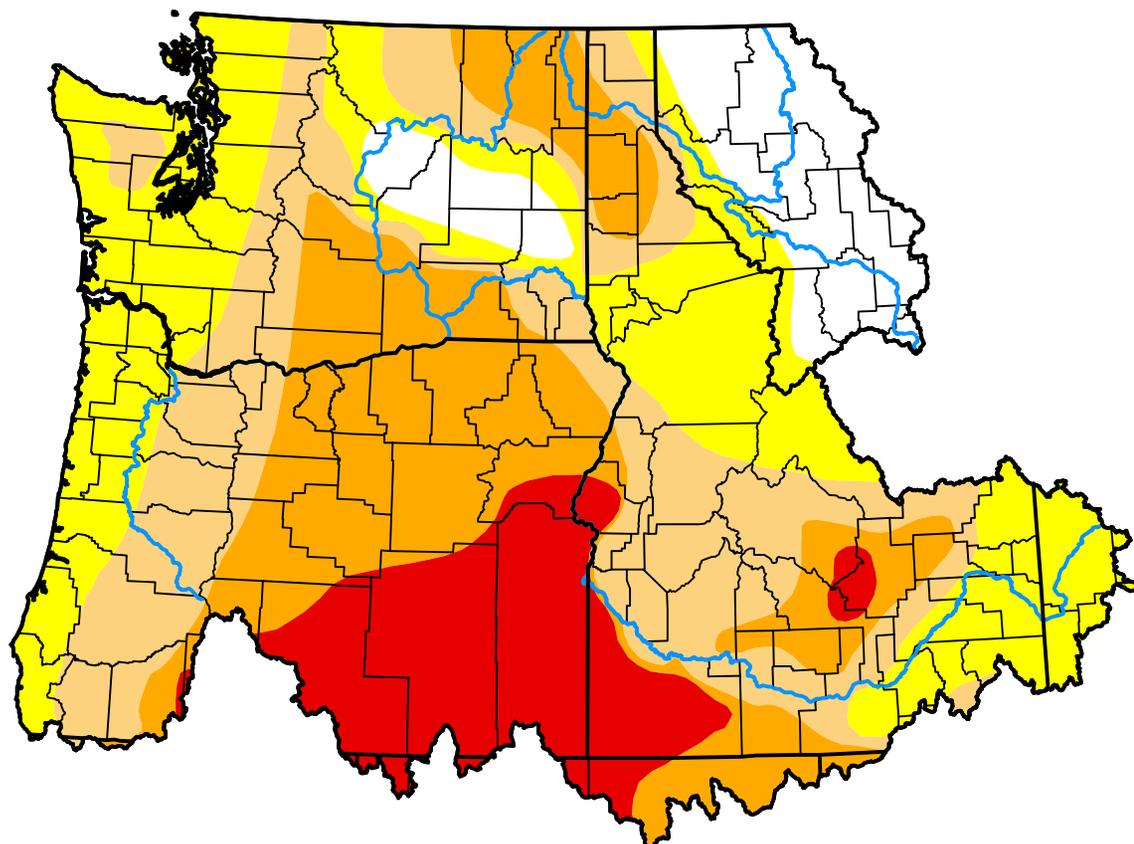


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

**May 19, 2015**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	9.88	27.42	25.31	24.01	13.38	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-14-2015</i>	15.52	23.43	26.99	21.09	12.97	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-19-2015</i>	37.46	19.11	23.70	9.14	10.59	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2014</i>	34.96	15.14	24.90	13.87	11.14	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2014</i>	20.90	26.66	20.77	20.06	11.60	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-22-2014</i>	37.92	16.42	17.58	24.76	3.31	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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