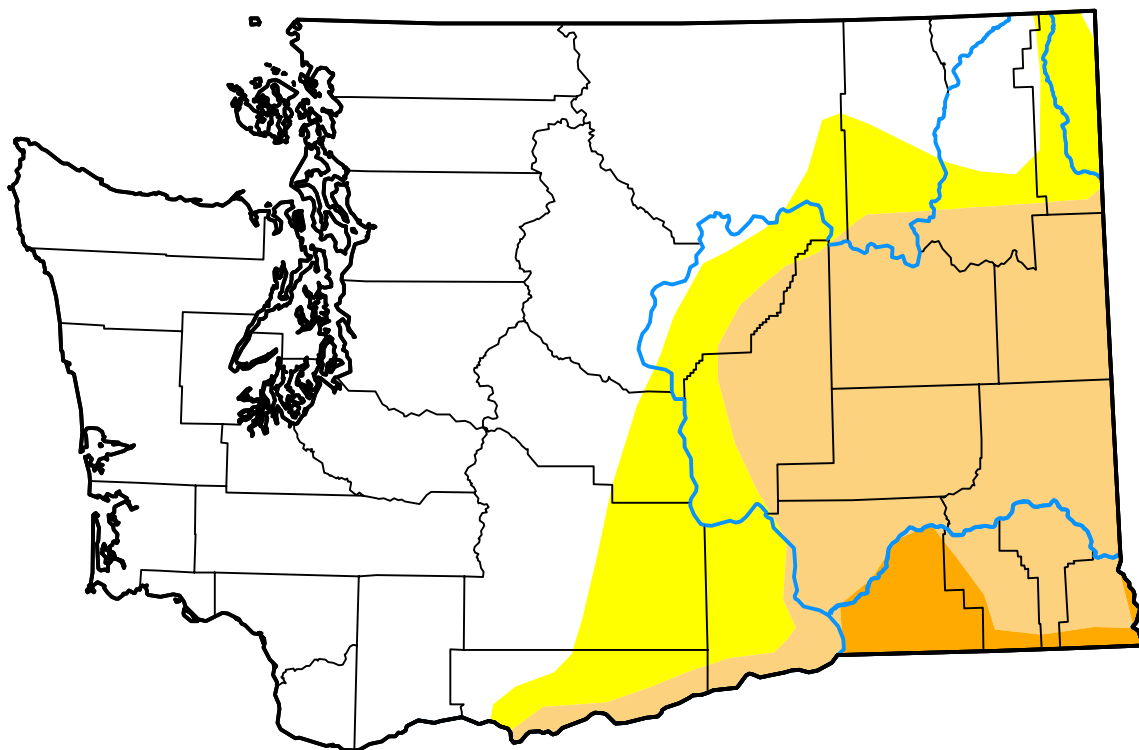


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	60.44	39.56	25.67	2.72	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-24-2015</i>	45.98	54.02	39.75	26.31	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-01-2015</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	67.96	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	51.87	48.13	36.15	14.83	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	67.96	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-31-2014</i>	51.87	48.13	36.15	14.83	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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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