

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

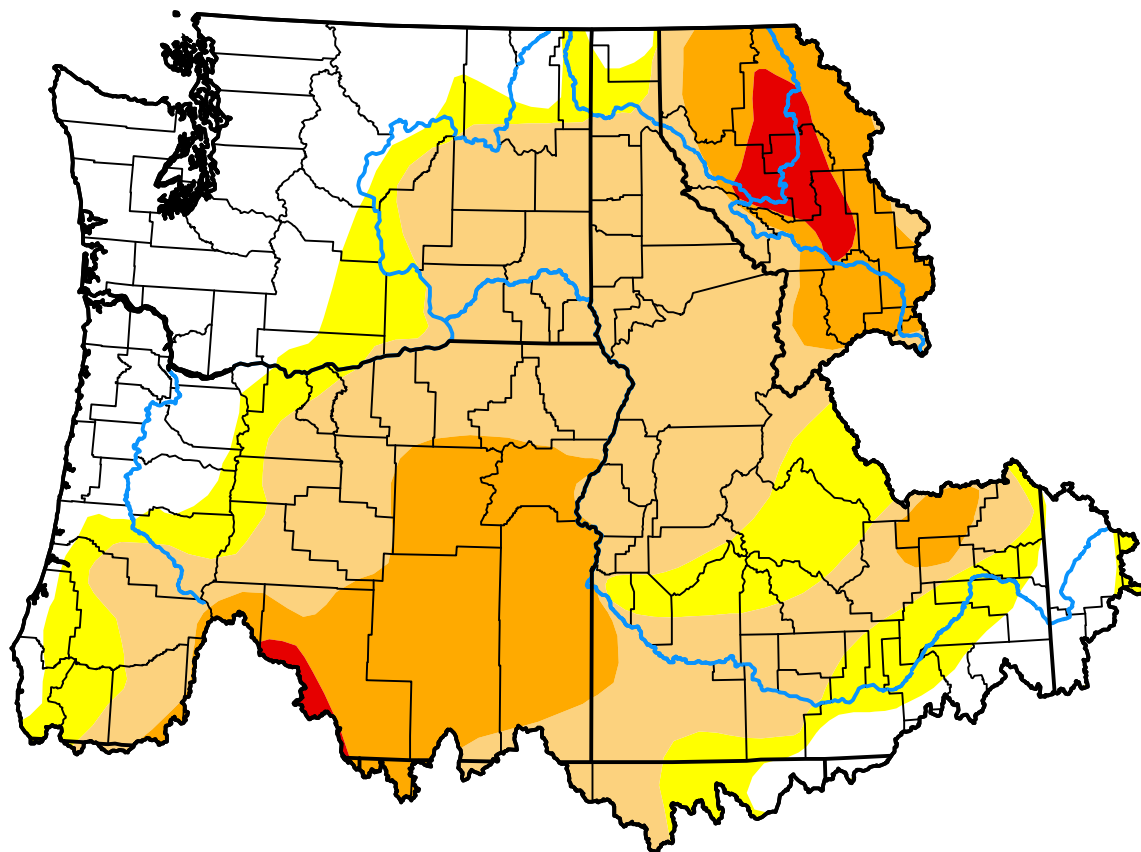
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 24.68 | 16.25 | 38.51 | 18.32 | 2.24  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>01-14-2016              | 24.37 | 15.14 | 38.47 | 19.64 | 2.39  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>10-22-2015           | 2.55  | 4.33  | 14.07 | 24.06 | 54.98 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>12-31-2015 | 24.34 | 13.47 | 23.85 | 24.04 | 14.30 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-01-2015    | 0.03  | 5.88  | 12.17 | 26.69 | 55.22 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>01-22-2015           | 39.38 | 16.35 | 20.27 | 12.87 | 11.14 | 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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