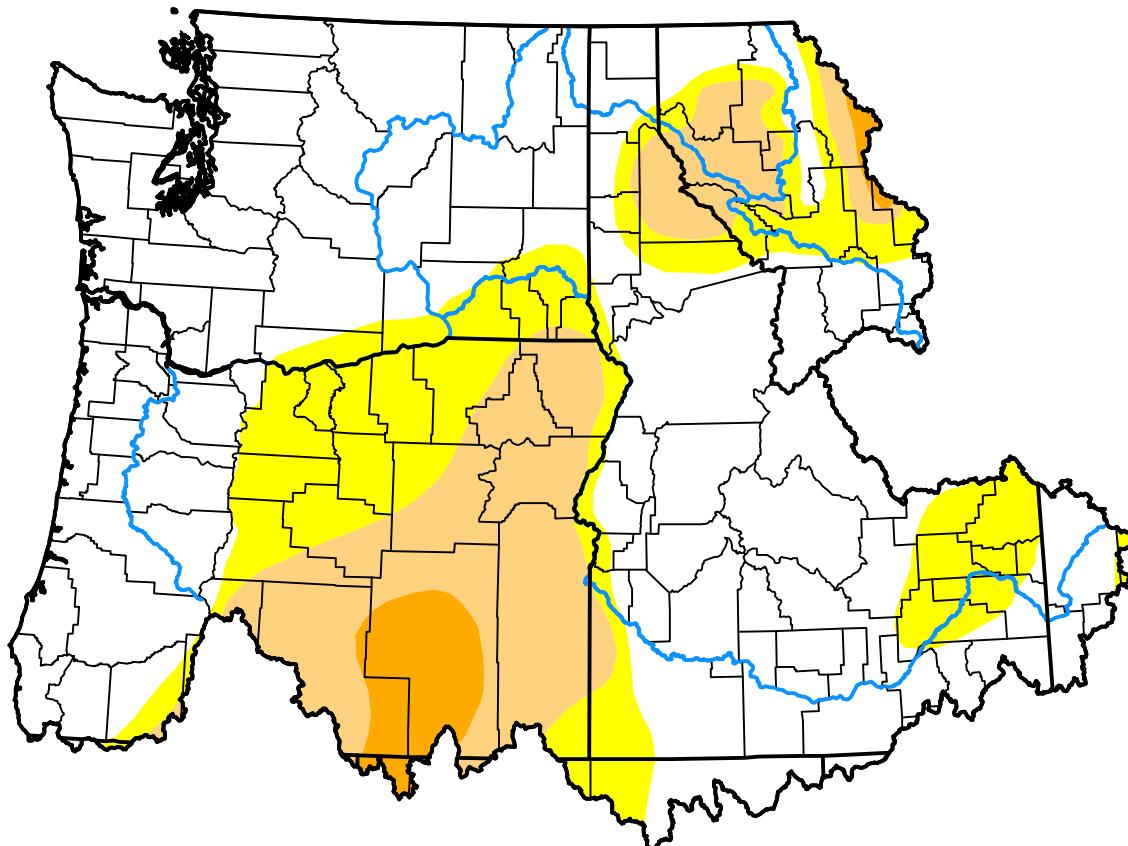


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed



March 22, 2016

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	62.65	37.35	18.60	3.17	0.00	0.00
Last Week 03-17-2016	42.02	57.98	20.41	7.22	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 12-24-2015	19.14	80.86	67.71	48.58	17.45	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015	24.34	75.66	62.19	38.34	14.30	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-01-2015	0.03	99.97	94.08	81.91	55.22	0.00
One Year Ago 03-26-2015	33.44	66.56	46.70	19.98	10.66	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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