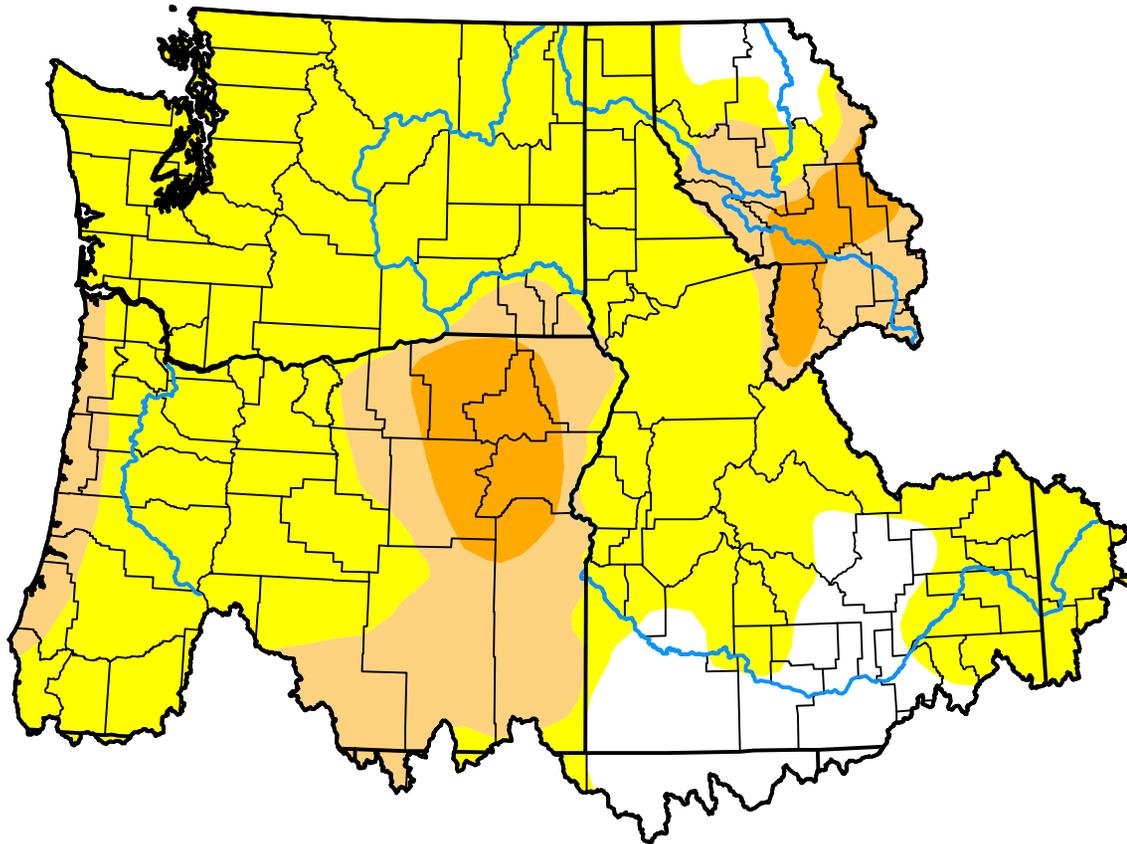


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest Watershed

**August 16, 2016**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	11.35	64.94	17.36	6.34	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-11-2016</i>	11.35	64.94	17.36	6.34	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-19-2016</i>	65.71	25.80	8.00	0.49	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2015</i>	24.34	13.47	23.85	24.04	14.30	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2015</i>	0.03	5.88	12.17	26.69	55.22	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-20-2015</i>	0.03	5.60	12.36	37.92	44.09	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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