

# U.S. Drought Monitor

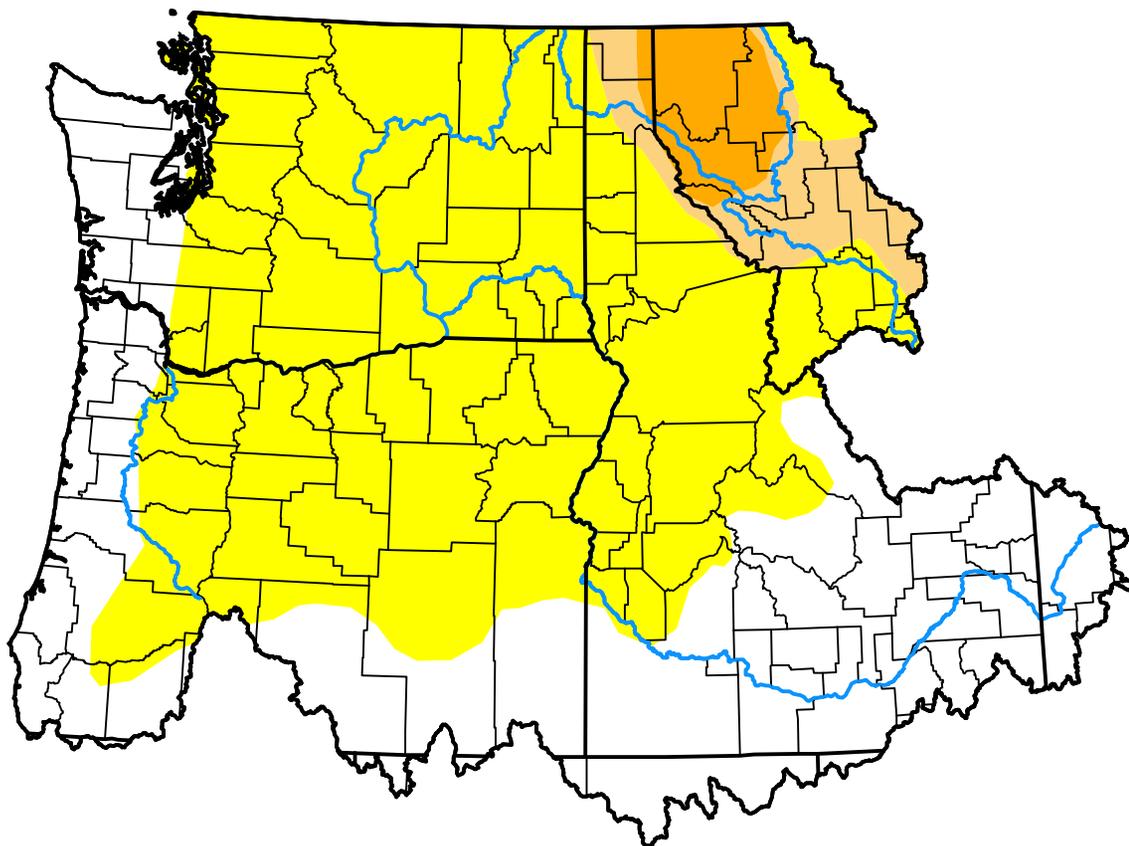
## Pacific Northwest Watershed

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	35.67	64.33	7.44	3.27	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-10-2017</i>	42.91	57.09	4.37	1.80	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-18-2017</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	81.42	18.58	3.29	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	5.10	94.90	28.52	5.68	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-18-2016</i>	11.35	88.65	23.70	6.34	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



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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