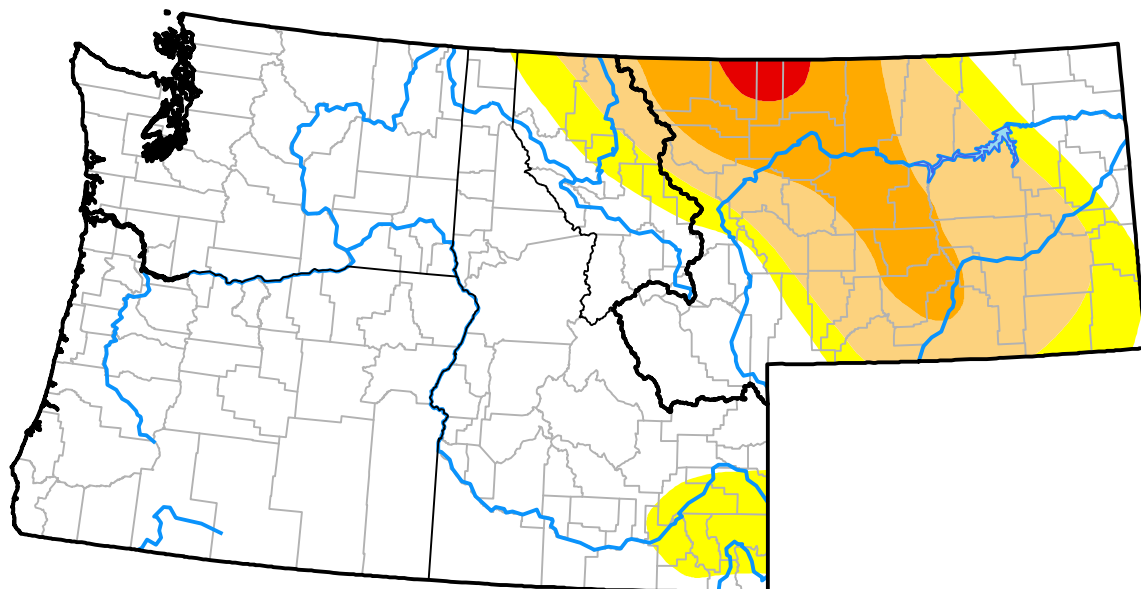


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Pacific Northwest RDEWS

**December 12, 2000**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 92.60 | 5.90  | 1.50  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-07-2000</i>              | 91.92 | 6.58  | 1.50  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-14-2000</i>           | 63.88 | 14.59 | 13.56 | 7.58 | 0.39 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-06-2000</i> | 99.41 | 0.59  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2000</i>    | 63.88 | 13.04 | 16.09 | 6.22 | 0.76 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b>                                | -     | -     | -     | -    | -    | -    |

### 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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