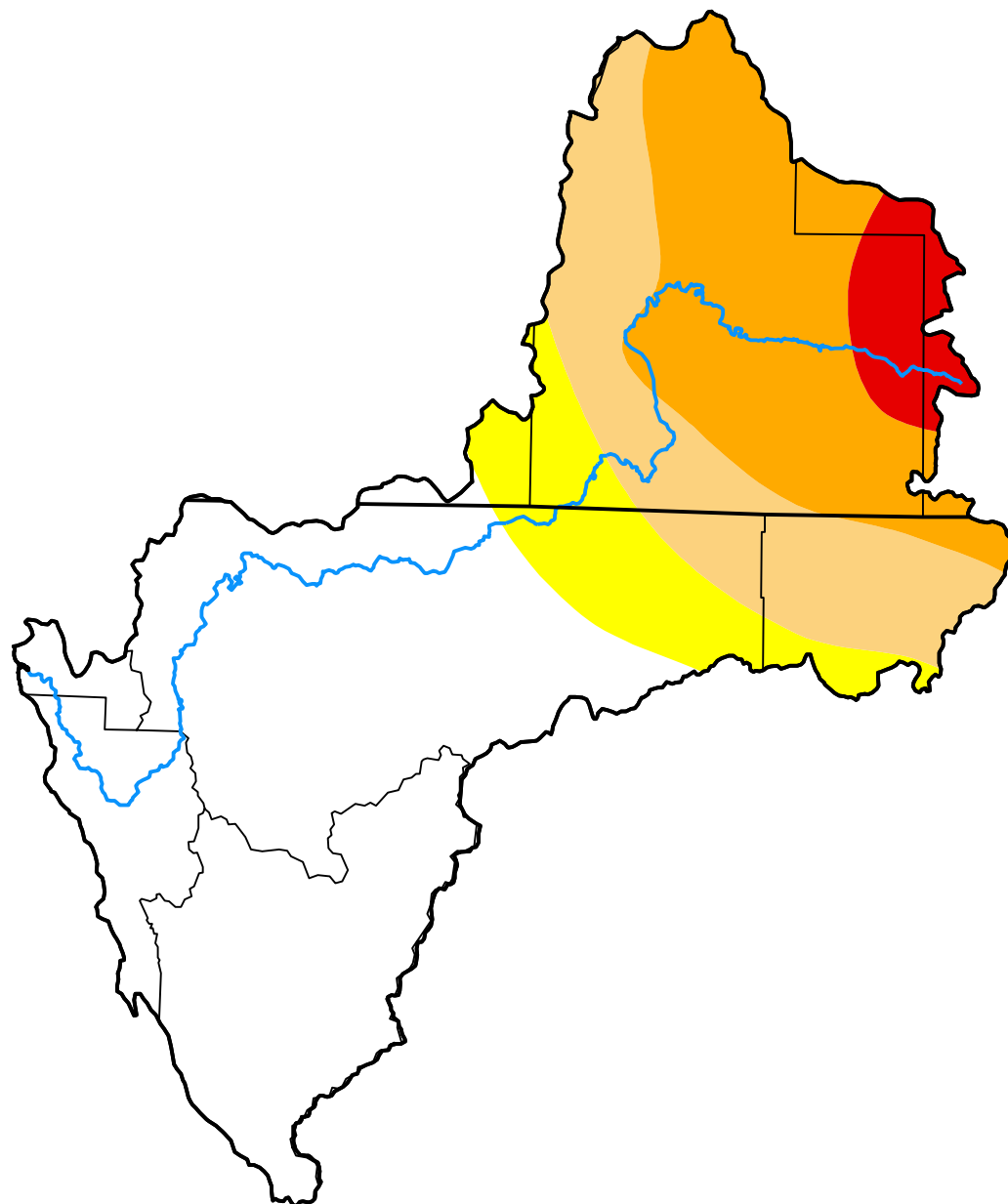


U.S. Drought Monitor Klamath River Basin

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	50.20	49.80	40.13	24.09	4.23	0.00
Last Week 12-16-2003	50.44	49.56	41.06	24.42	3.24	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-23-2003	67.82	32.18	18.66	1.24	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2002	95.14	4.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2003	68.75	31.25	18.32	0.77	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-24-2002	48.60	51.40	13.07	0.00	0.00	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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