

U.S. Drought Monitor Pacific Northwest Watershed

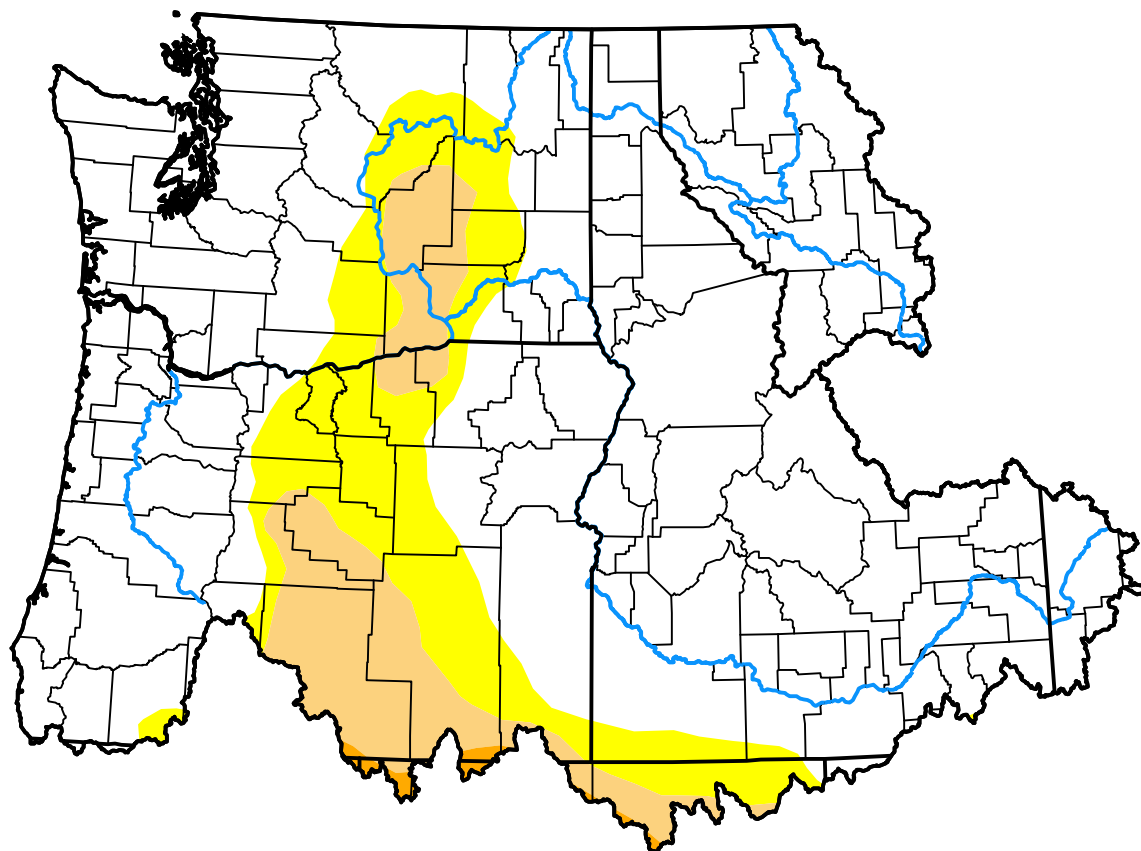
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	77.62	13.24	8.72	0.42	0.00	0.00
Last Week 04-19-2012	77.62	13.24	8.76	0.37	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-26-2012	46.21	40.82	12.96	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	53.75	39.19	7.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	89.09	10.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 04-28-2011	100.00	0.00	0.00	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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