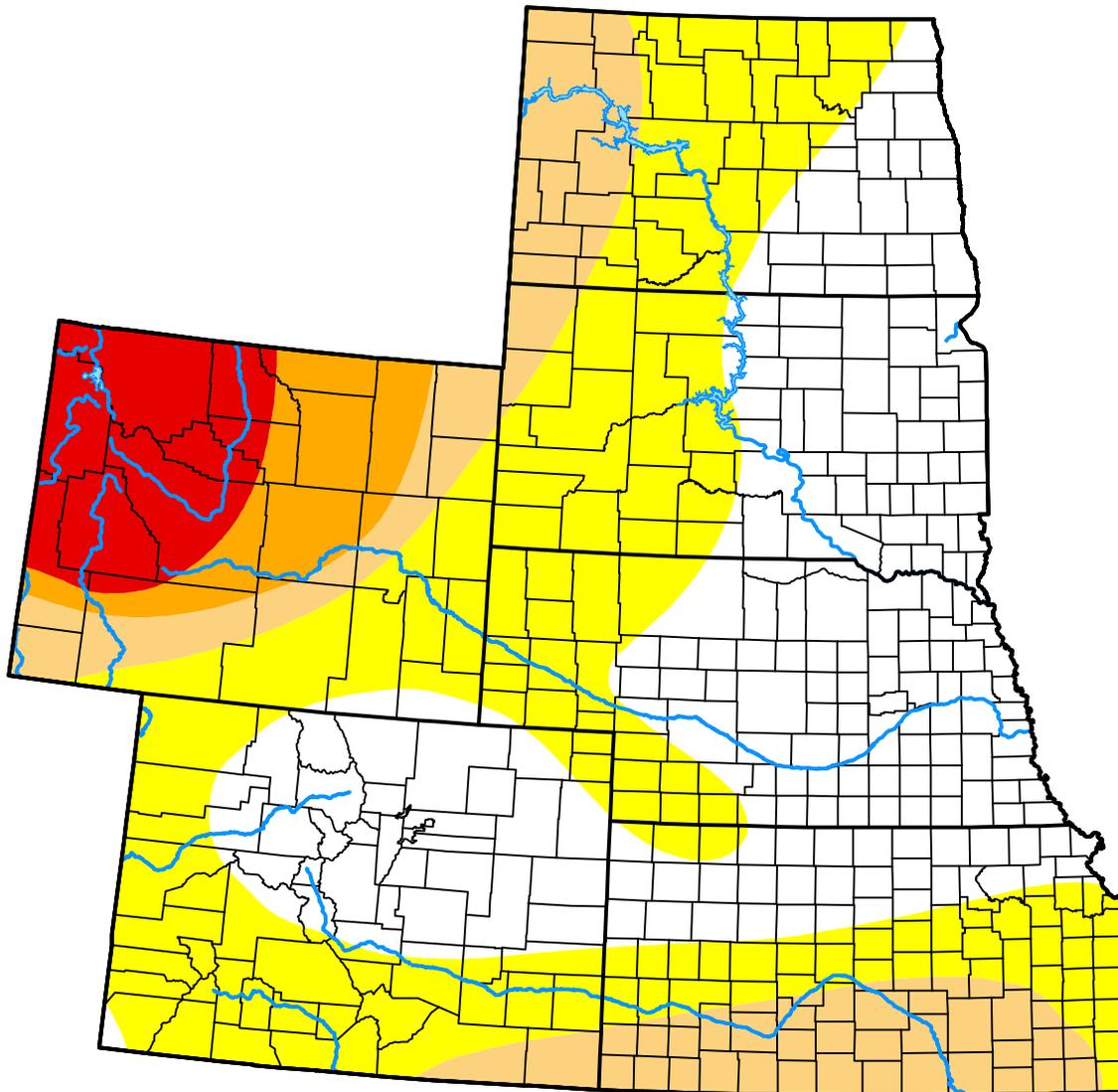


# U.S. Drought Monitor High Plains

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	38.26	37.15	13.86	4.58	6.14	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-04-2001</i>	38.51	39.19	11.17	4.91	6.22	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-11-2001</i>	46.29	38.51	4.25	2.76	8.19	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	67.31	28.06	2.07	2.56	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	65.74	19.60	3.71	2.76	8.19	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-12-2000</i>	59.21	34.93	4.11	1.76	0.00	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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