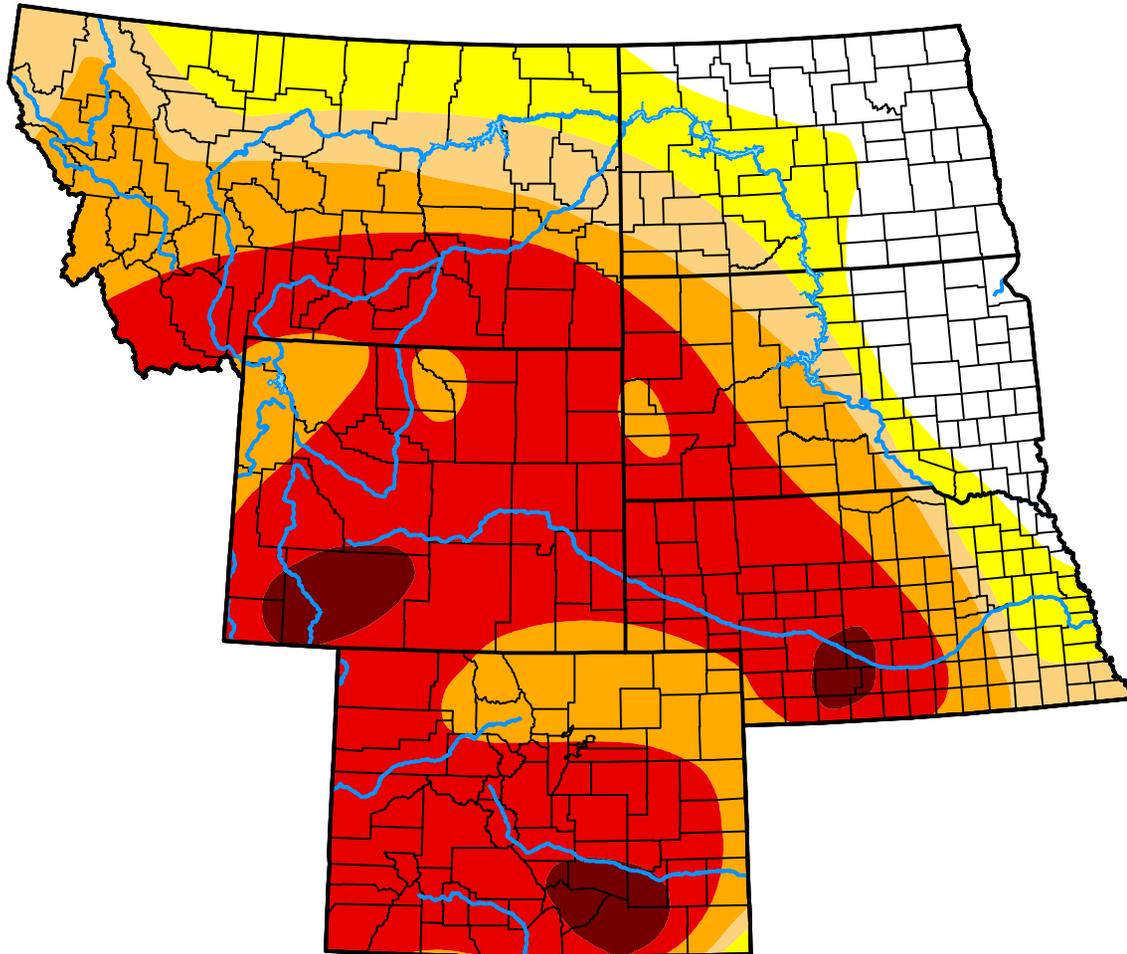


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	11.37	88.63	76.39	66.19	44.58	3.52
Last Week <i>11-19-2002</i>	10.95	89.05	76.30	65.94	44.70	3.66
3 Months Ago <i>08-27-2002</i>	14.85	85.15	75.48	64.32	55.44	17.86
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	29.07	70.93	44.41	32.06	17.34	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	14.70	85.30	70.88	59.85	46.19	9.48
One Year Ago <i>11-27-2001</i>	29.69	70.31	35.44	29.02	19.53	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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