

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

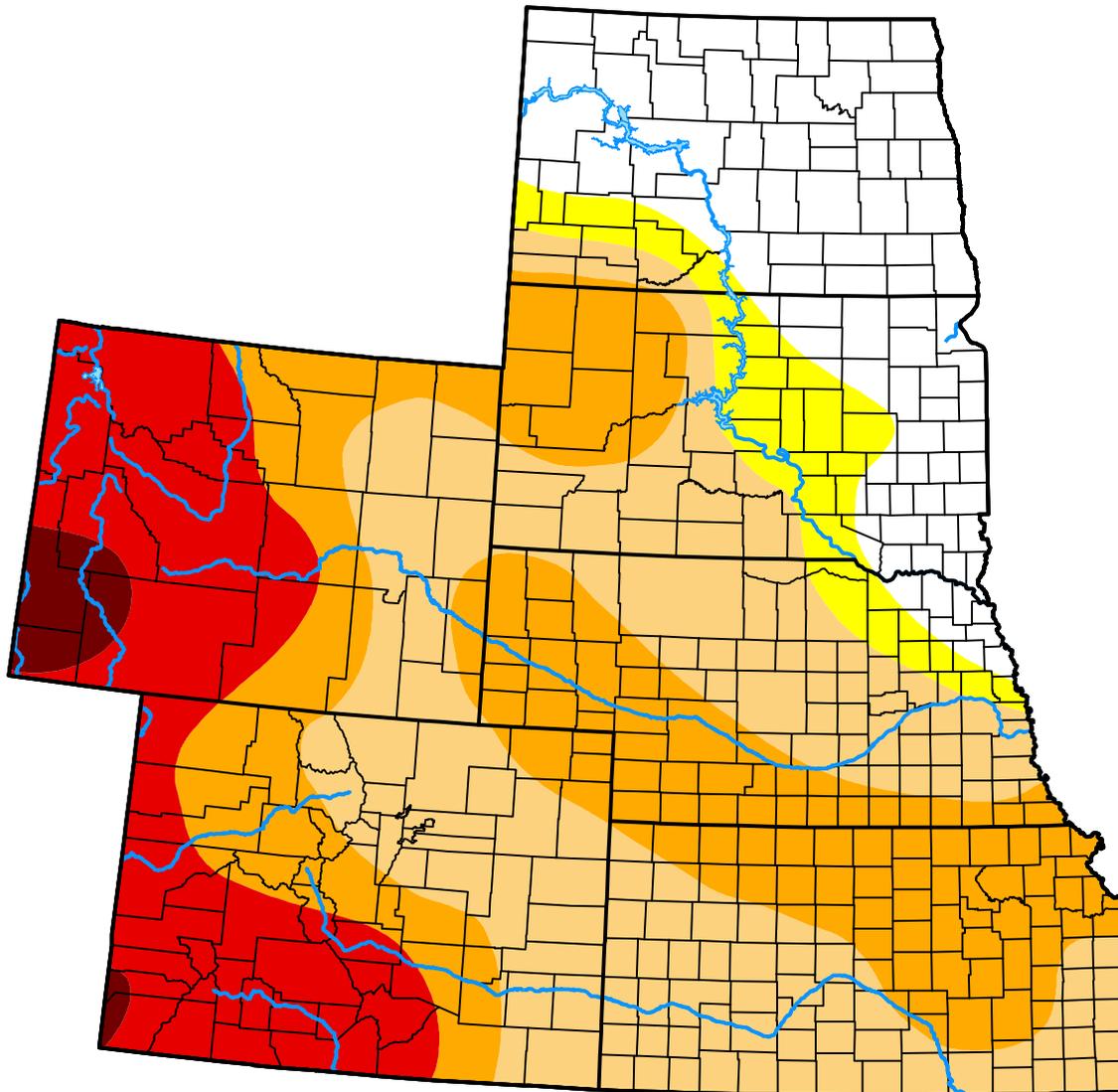
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	17.21	82.79	77.37	45.32	17.51	1.74
Last Week <i>07-22-2003</i>	18.41	81.59	68.70	36.33	17.65	1.56
3 Months Ago <i>04-29-2003</i>	8.35	91.65	81.46	58.56	28.96	1.55
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	11.41	88.59	76.64	66.65	45.68	4.79
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	16.41	83.59	73.36	65.12	49.12	11.49
One Year Ago <i>07-30-2002</i>	12.24	87.76	77.86	69.59	60.49	17.54



Intensity:



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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