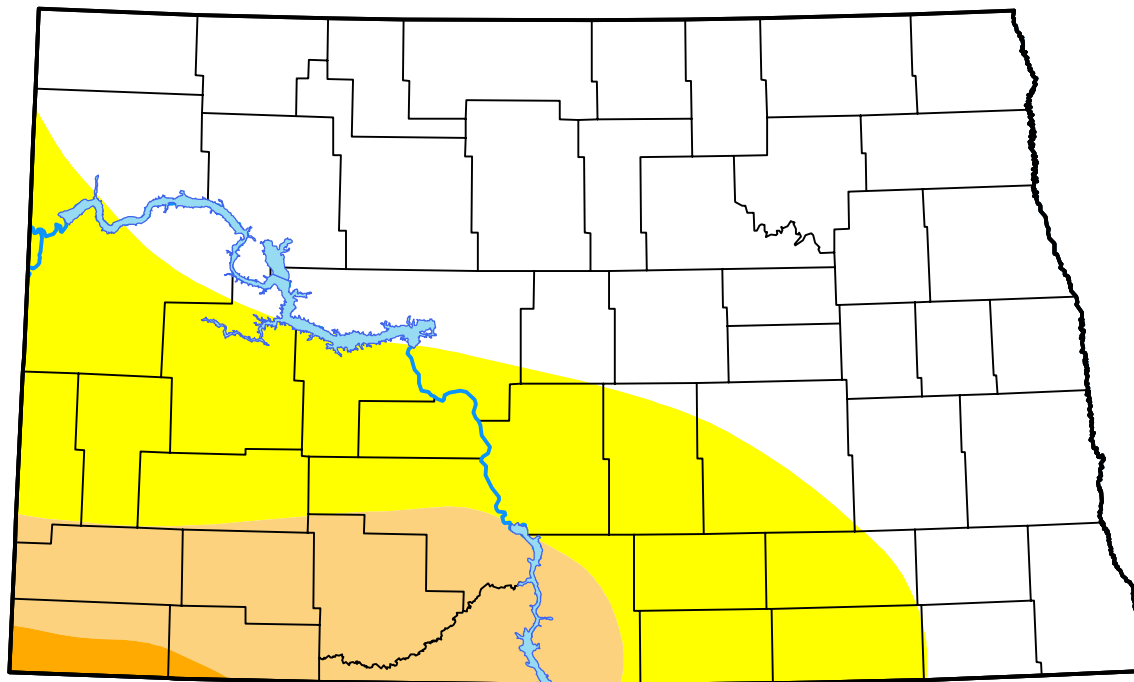


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	58.44	41.56	13.50	1.01	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-31-2003</i>	85.33	14.67	6.55	1.22	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-08-2003</i>	23.29	76.71	32.55	1.64	0.03	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	23.48	76.52	32.86	13.65	1.91	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	75.31	24.69	3.93	0.11	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-08-2002</i>	59.12	40.88	13.15	2.49	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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