

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

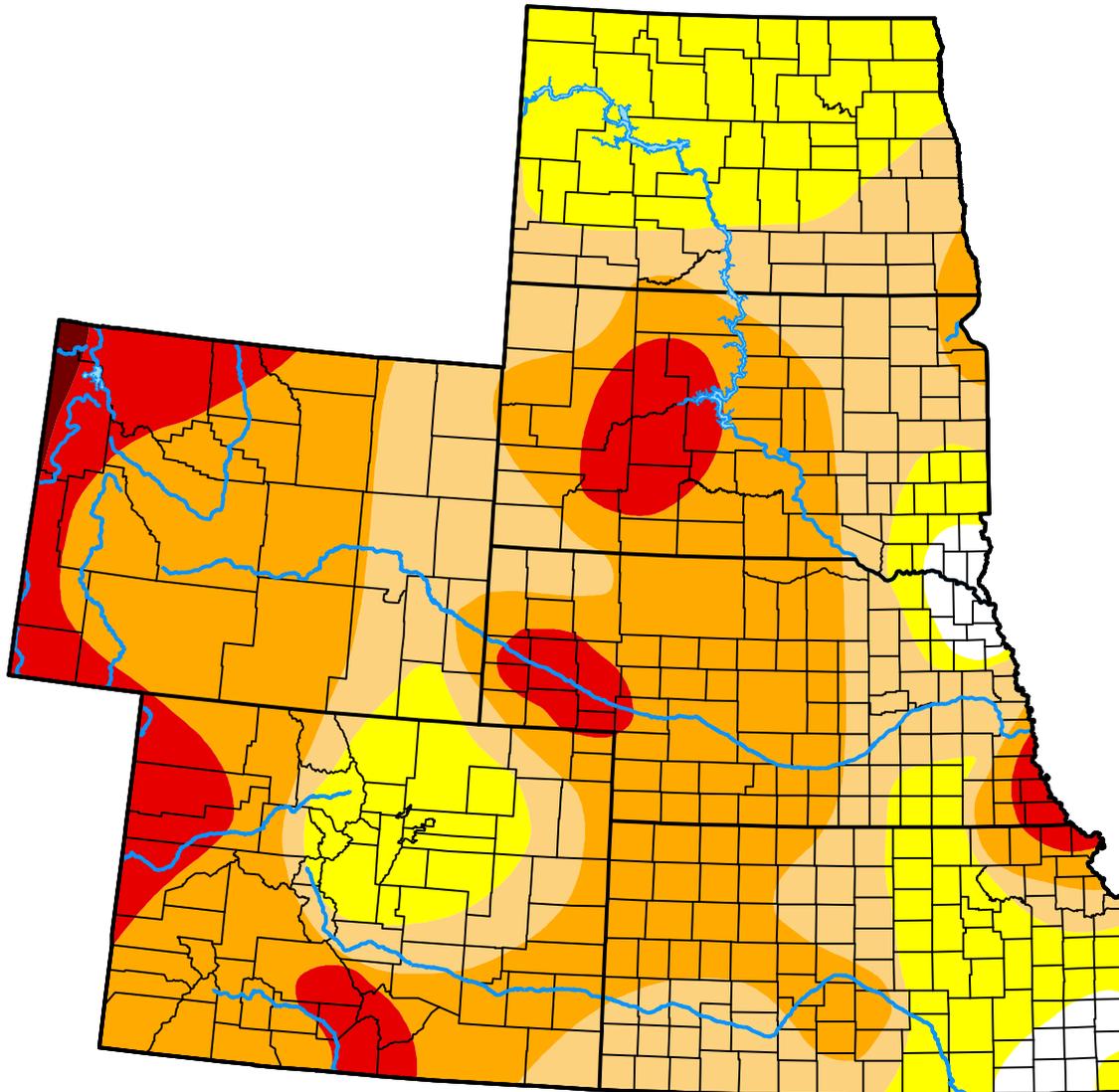
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	1.95	20.54	26.51	40.16	10.52	0.32
Last Week <i>09-23-2003</i>	2.05	20.63	26.12	40.35	10.55	0.30
3 Months Ago <i>07-01-2003</i>	44.48	20.01	10.80	11.70	11.82	1.19
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	11.41	11.95	9.99	20.96	40.89	4.79
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	16.41	10.23	8.24	16.00	37.64	11.49
One Year Ago <i>10-01-2002</i>	16.41	10.23	8.24	16.00	37.64	11.49



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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