

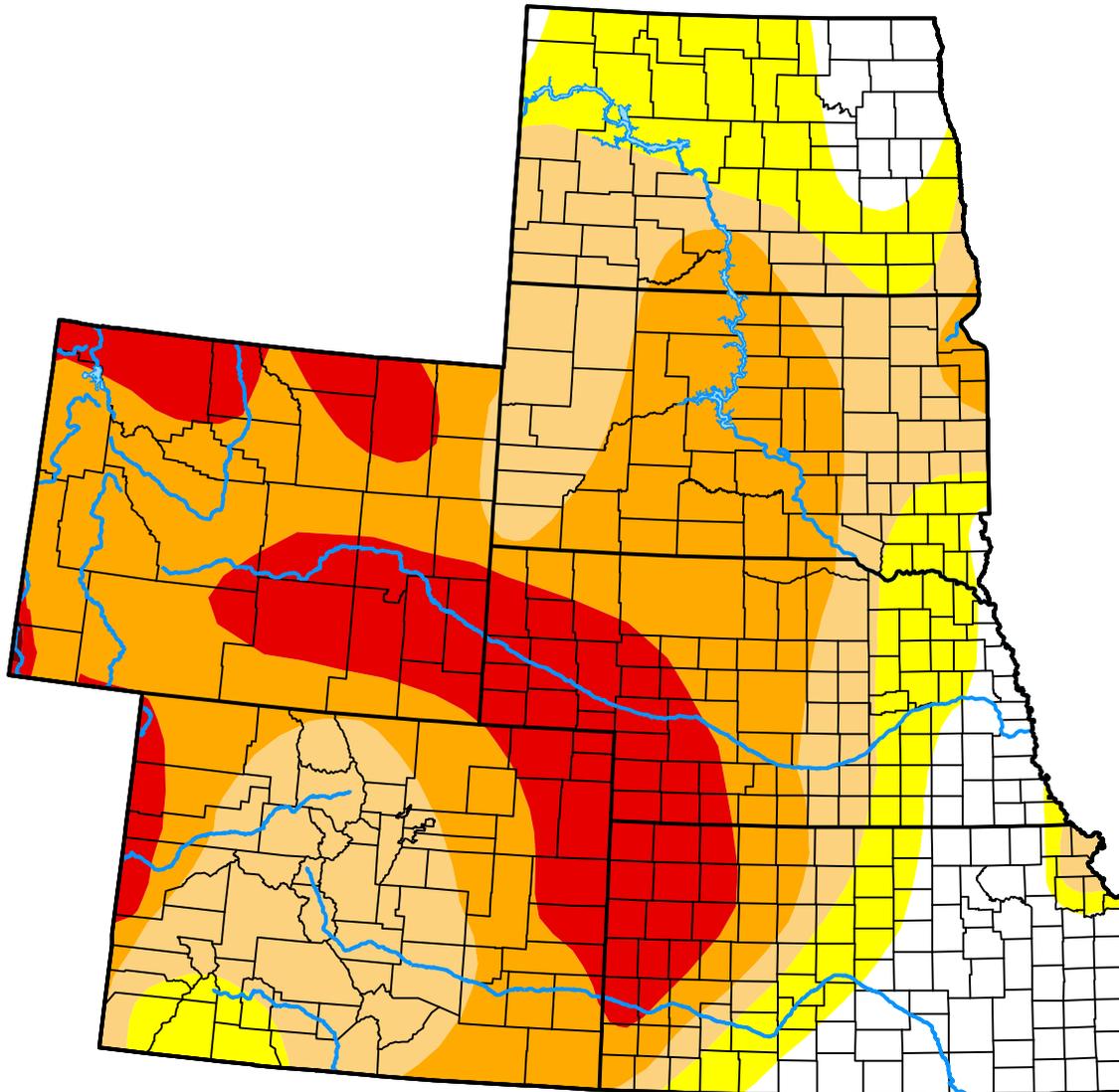
U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	12.12	13.91	23.77	33.77	16.39	0.04
Last Week <i>04-20-2004</i>	11.98	13.75	22.61	33.25	18.37	0.04
3 Months Ago <i>01-27-2004</i>	4.60	20.06	21.66	36.48	17.08	0.12
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	4.23	20.34	18.08	40.91	16.16	0.28
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	1.95	20.54	26.51	40.16	10.52	0.32
One Year Ago <i>04-29-2003</i>	8.35	10.18	22.91	29.59	27.41	1.55



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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