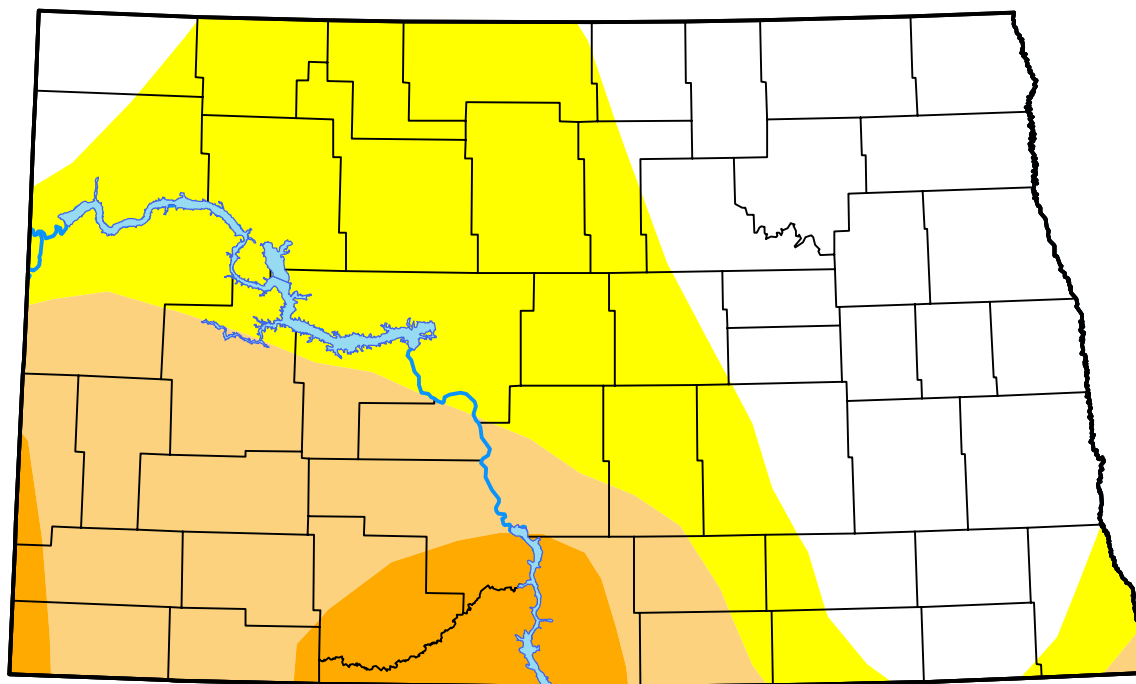


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	35.25	34.88	23.30	6.58	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-13-2004</i>	17.78	47.53	27.03	7.66	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-19-2004</i>	0.00	58.77	35.83	5.40	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	0.00	60.81	33.25	5.94	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i>	0.00	67.27	30.45	2.28	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-22-2003</i>	69.25	18.22	12.28	0.25	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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