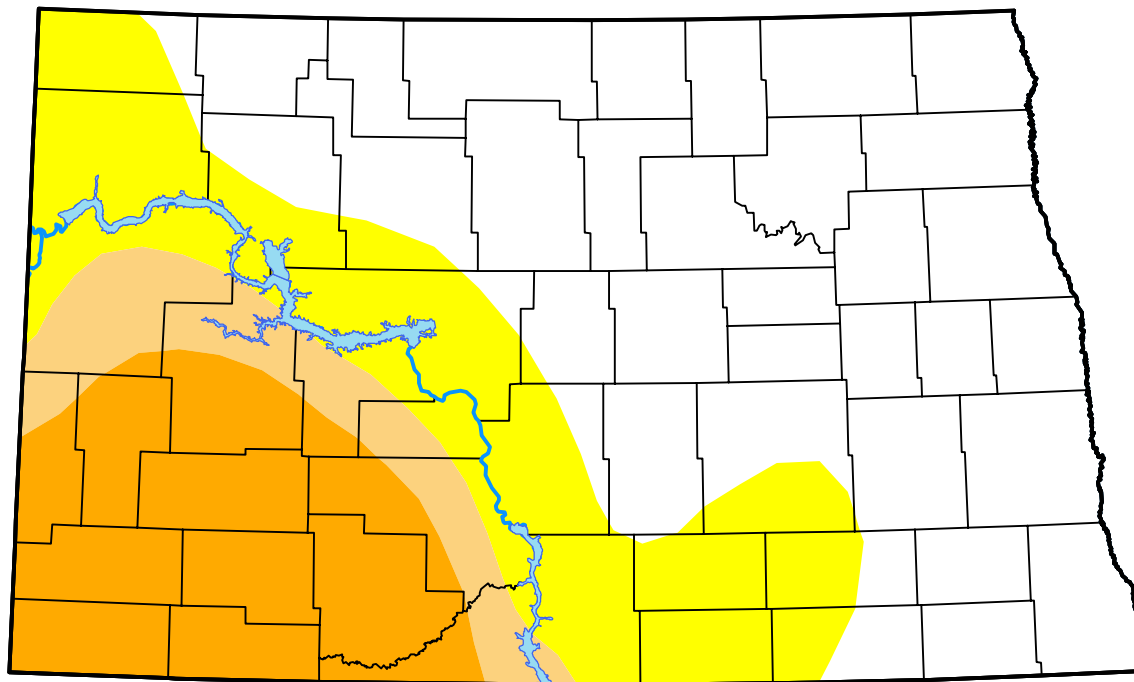


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	53.22	22.43	6.99	17.36	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-19-2004</i>	50.05	25.15	9.80	15.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-27-2004</i>	46.67	23.46	26.72	3.15	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>08-28-2003</i>	0.00	71.59	16.82	10.89	0.70	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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