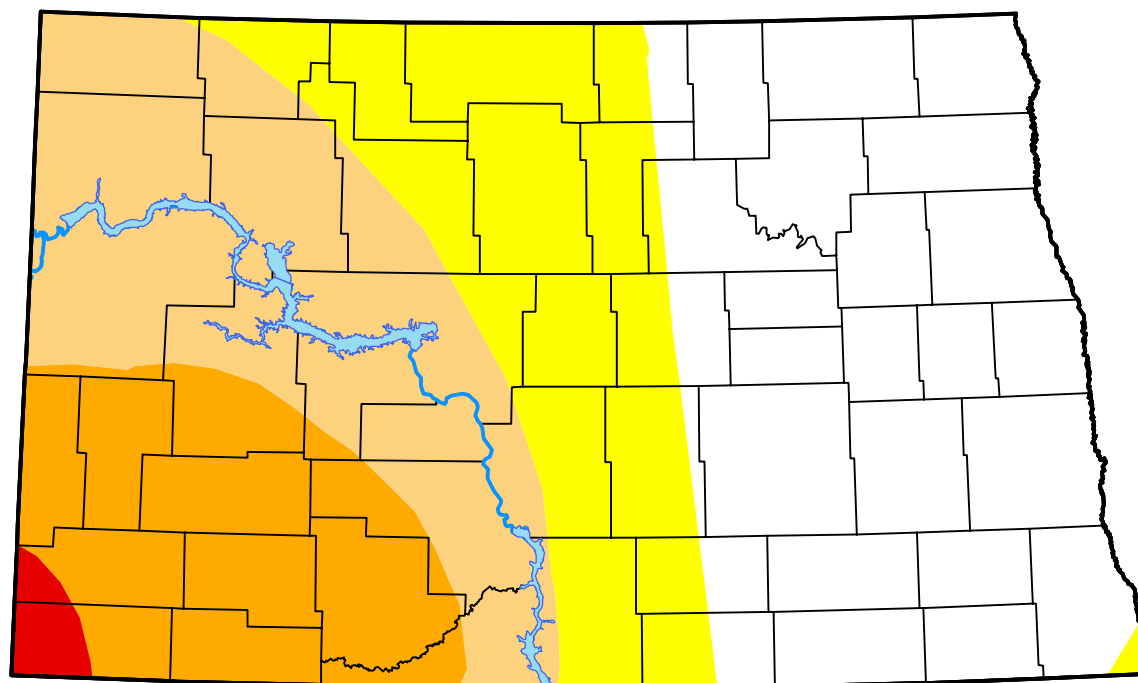


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	37.95	62.05	40.78	17.04	1.05	0.00
Last Week <i>03-17-2005</i>	37.95	62.05	40.78	17.04	1.05	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-23-2004</i>	45.34	54.66	28.74	17.39	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	45.12	54.88	28.74	17.39	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	55.82	44.18	25.44	17.36	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-25-2004</i>	0.65	99.35	42.86	5.36	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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