

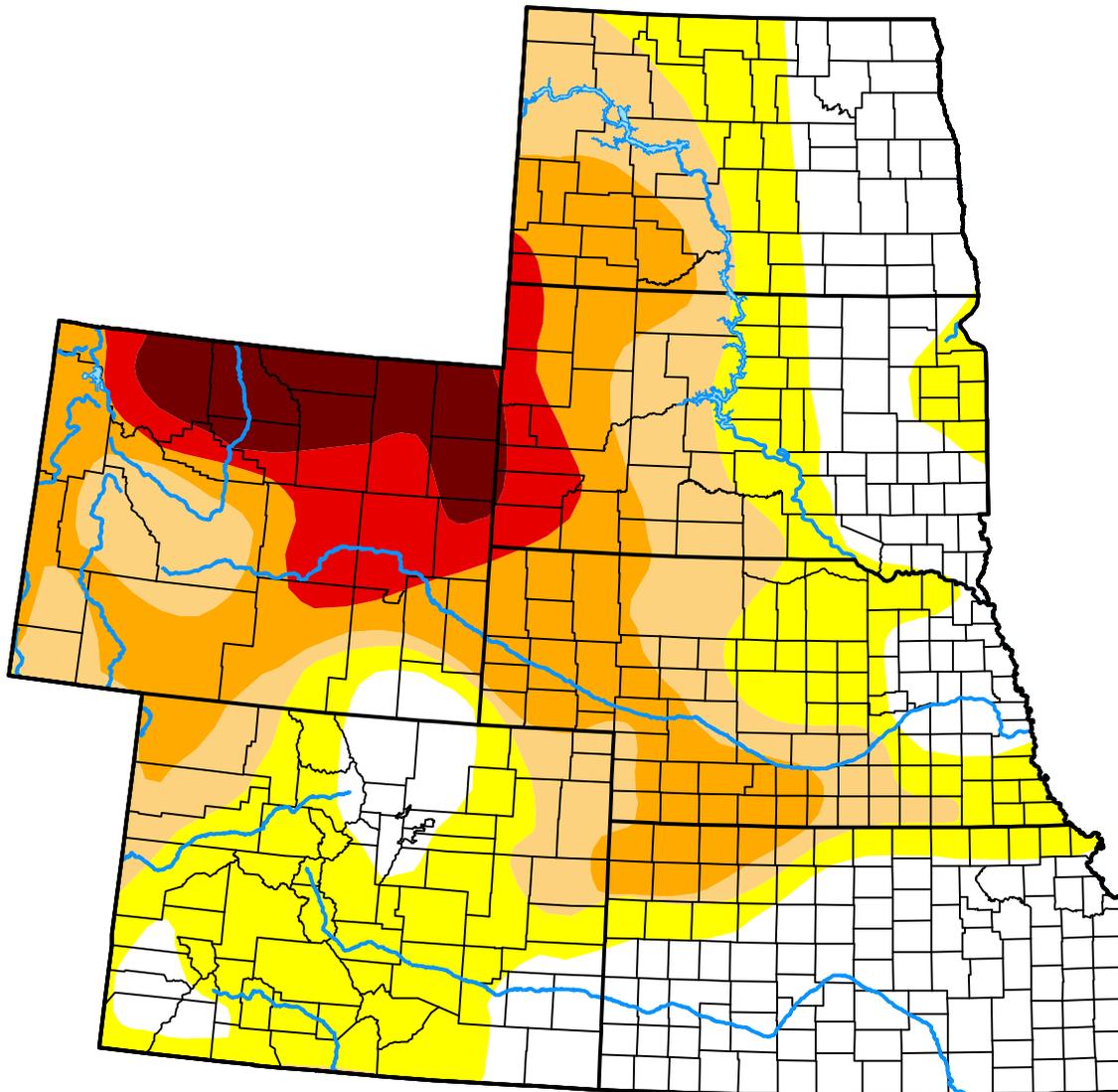
U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

March 29, 2005
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	29.29	70.71	45.05	27.68	9.89	4.27
Last Week <i>03-22-2005</i>	28.88	71.12	45.55	29.27	10.07	4.27
3 Months Ago <i>12-28-2004</i>	32.03	67.97	46.62	26.02	6.76	1.49
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	32.03	67.97	46.62	26.02	6.76	1.49
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	36.53	63.47	50.59	29.73	9.40	1.54
One Year Ago <i>03-30-2004</i>	12.11	87.89	72.67	51.99	17.58	0.12



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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