

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

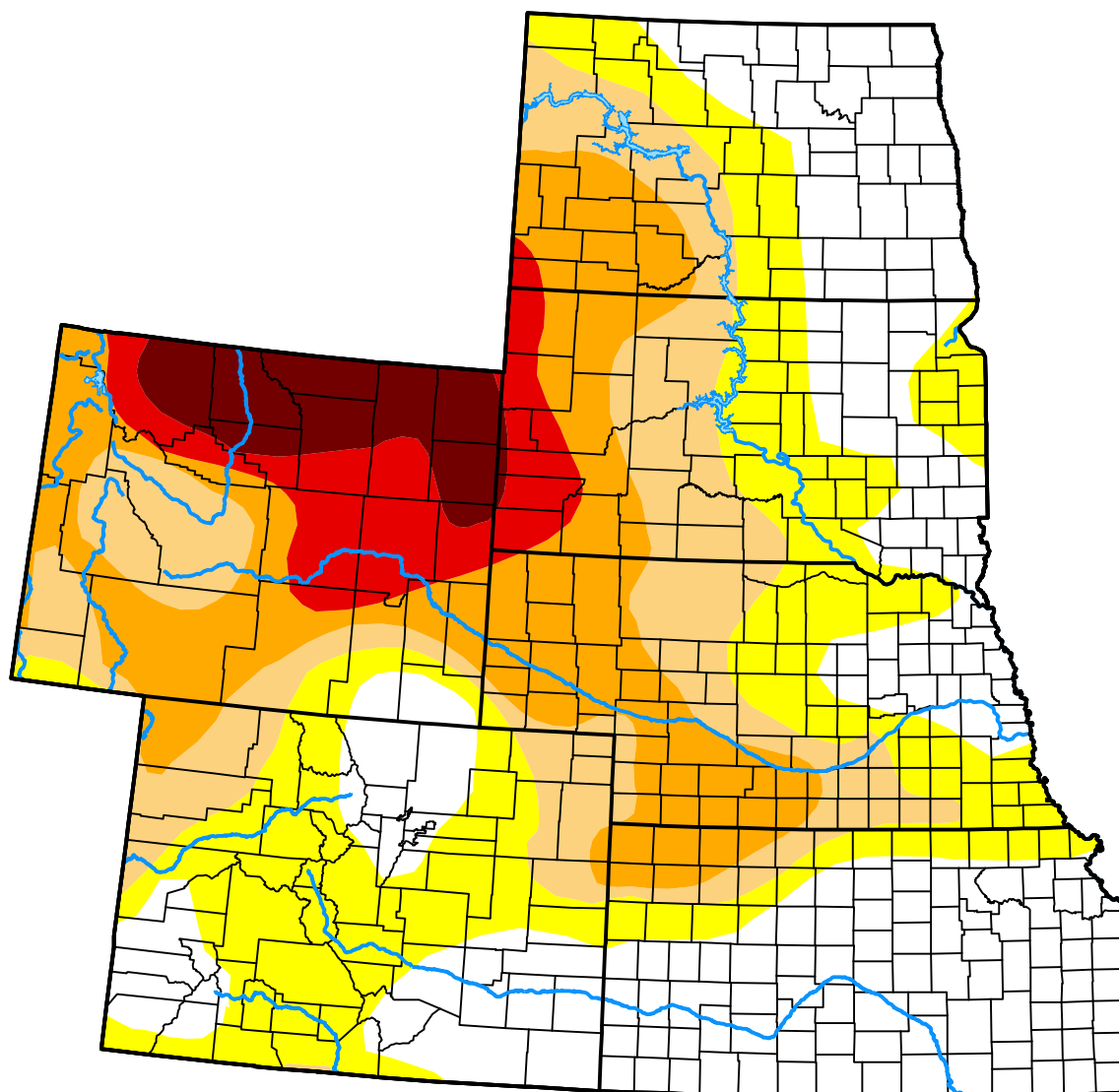
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	32.73	23.48	16.86	17.04	5.61	4.27
Last Week <i>03-29-2005</i>	29.29	25.66	17.37	17.79	5.61	4.27
3 Months Ago <i>01-04-2005</i>	32.03	21.35	20.60	19.26	5.27	1.49
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	32.03	21.35	20.60	19.26	5.27	1.49
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	36.53	12.89	20.85	20.33	7.87	1.54
One Year Ago <i>04-06-2004</i>	12.00	15.58	21.05	33.71	17.53	0.12



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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