

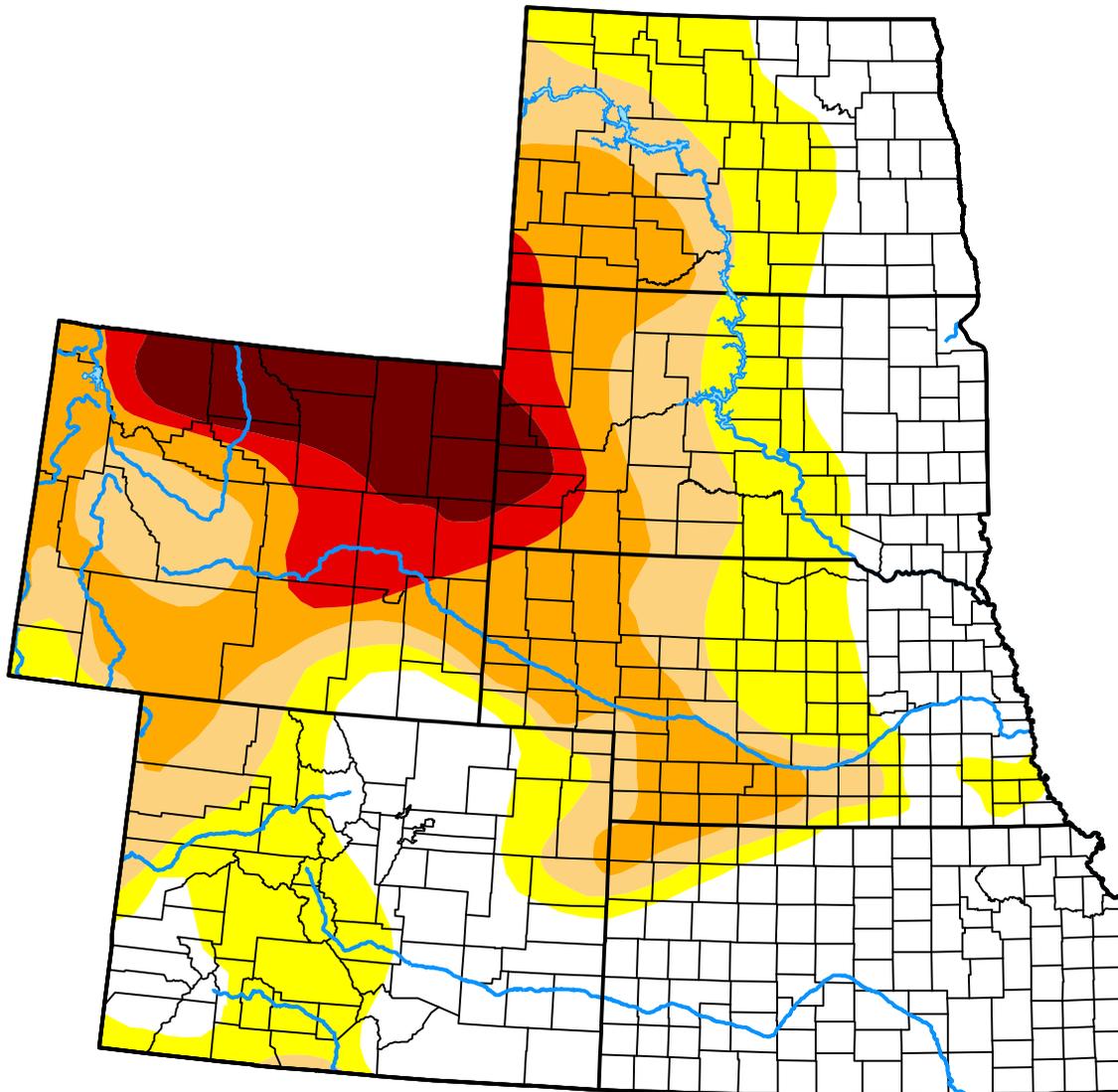
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

**April 19, 2005**  
*(Released Thursday, Apr. 21, 2005)*  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	39.32	60.68	40.17	25.96	9.71	5.13
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-12-2005</i>	40.71	59.29	40.17	25.96	9.89	4.71
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-18-2005</i>	31.89	68.11	45.64	26.40	7.59	1.43
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	32.03	67.97	46.62	26.02	6.76	1.49
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	36.53	63.47	50.59	29.73	9.40	1.54
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-20-2004</i>	11.98	88.02	74.27	51.66	18.41	0.04



**Intensity:**



*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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