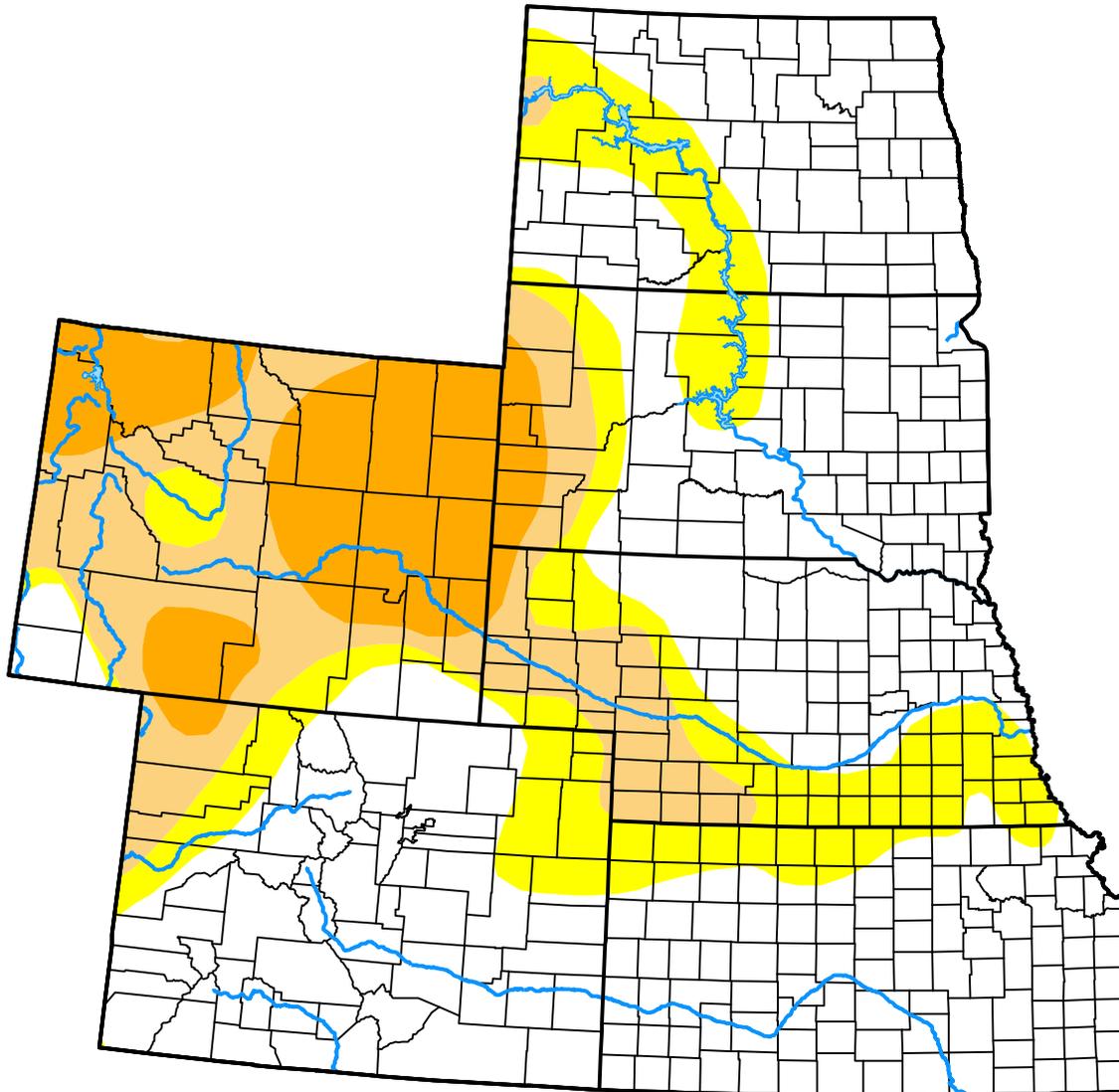


U.S. Drought Monitor High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 59.78 | 40.22 | 23.84 | 10.97 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>06-28-2005</i> | 58.05 | 41.95 | 25.40 | 10.97 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>04-05-2005</i> | 32.73 | 67.27 | 43.79 | 26.93 | 9.89 | 4.27 |
| 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>07-06-2004</i> | 28.11 | 71.89 | 59.58 | 41.77 | 14.10 | 2.48 |



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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