

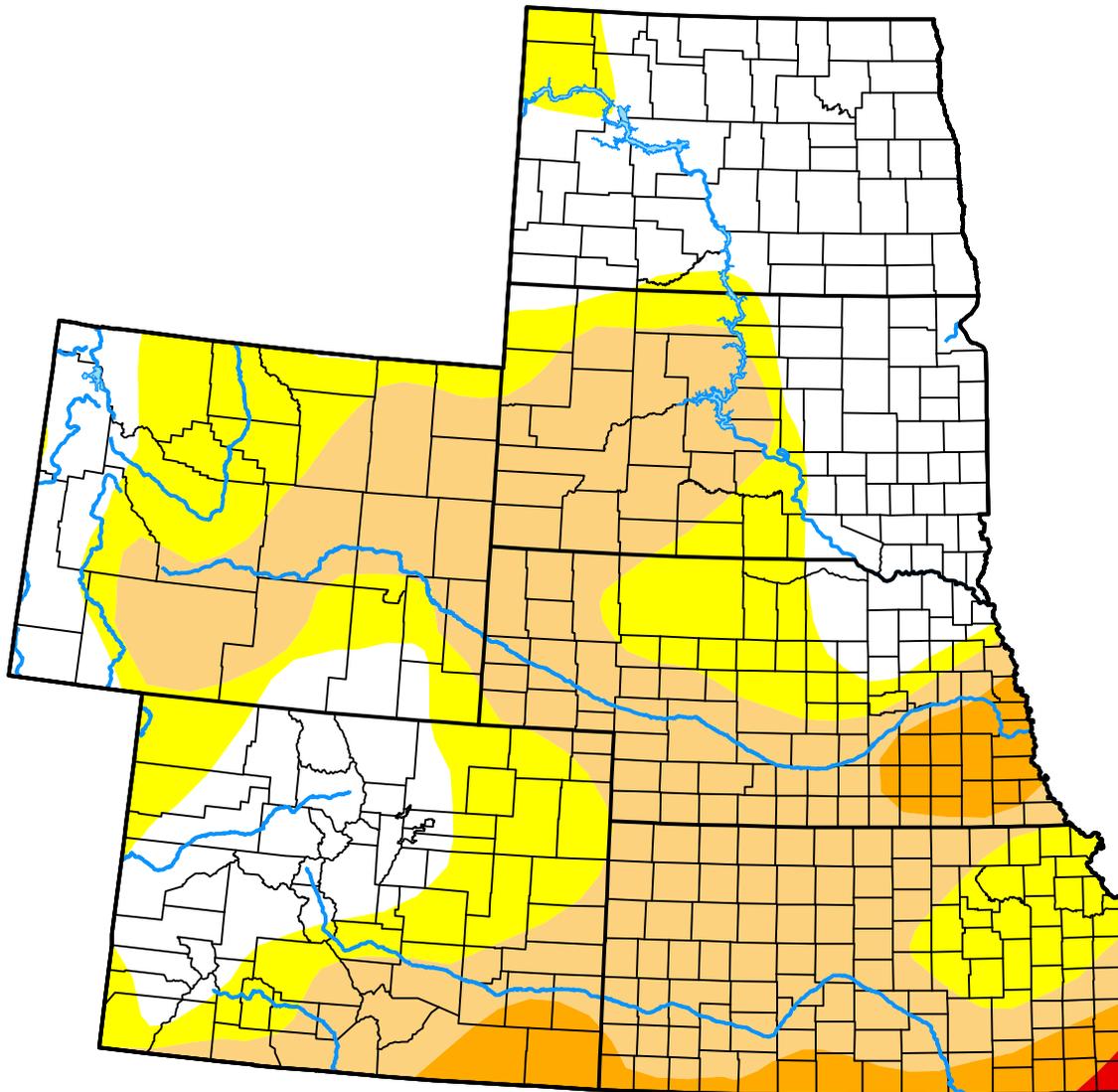
U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	33.27	66.73	41.68	5.52	0.16	0.00
Last Week <i>03-07-2006</i>	31.33	68.67	36.57	4.48	0.17	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-13-2005</i>	49.29	50.71	20.96	0.03	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	46.85	53.15	20.48	0.20	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	47.32	52.68	26.28	6.78	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-15-2005</i>	28.88	71.12	45.55	29.27	10.07	4.27



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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