

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

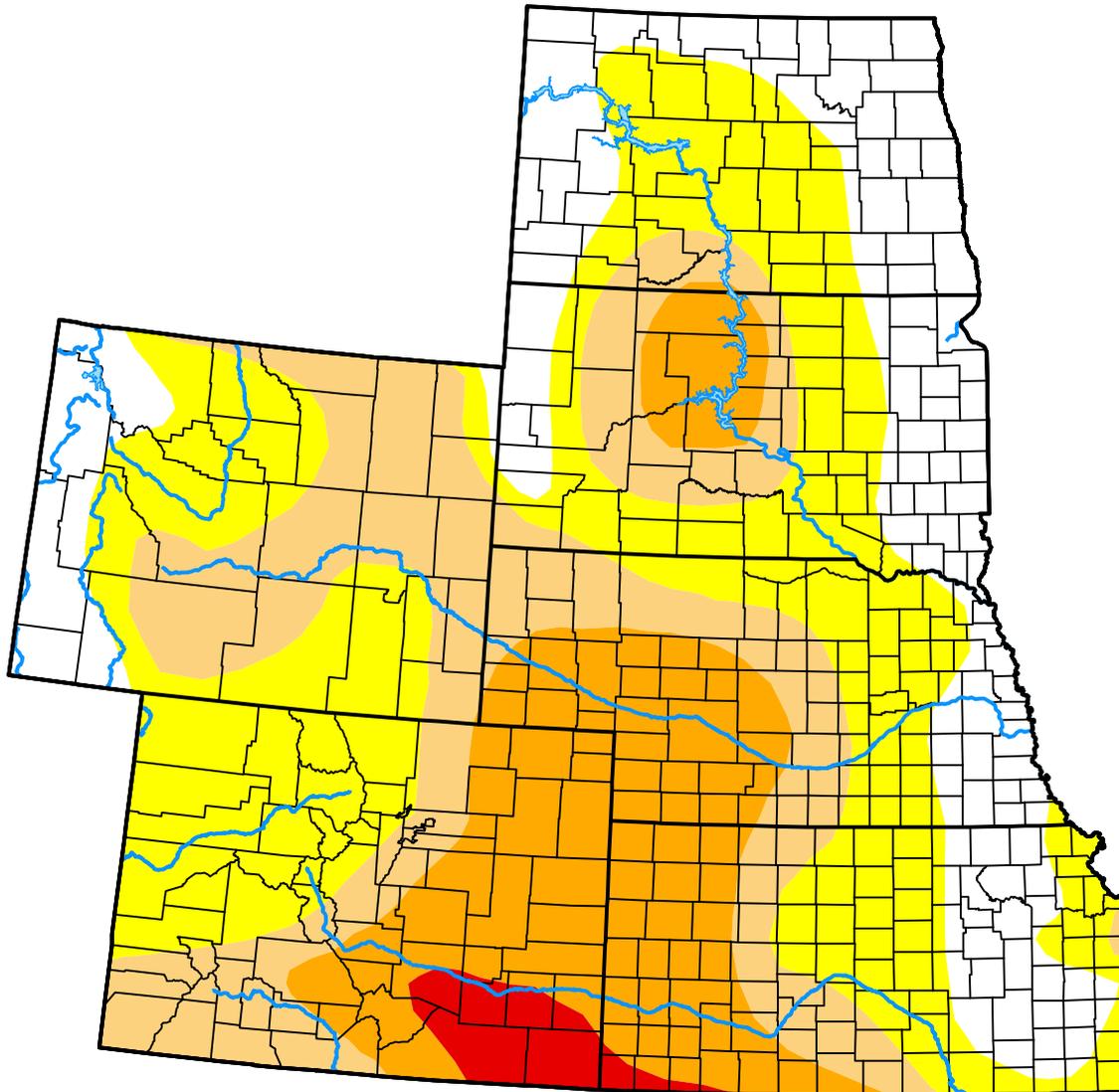
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	21.61	35.04	22.74	18.45	2.16	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-23-2006</i>	29.74	29.86	24.66	14.22	1.53	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-28-2006</i>	31.20	34.28	31.37	2.99	0.17	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2006</i>	46.85	32.67	20.28	0.20	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2005</i>	47.32	26.40	19.50	6.78	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-31-2005</i>	39.11	27.53	15.72	15.34	2.30	0.00



**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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