

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

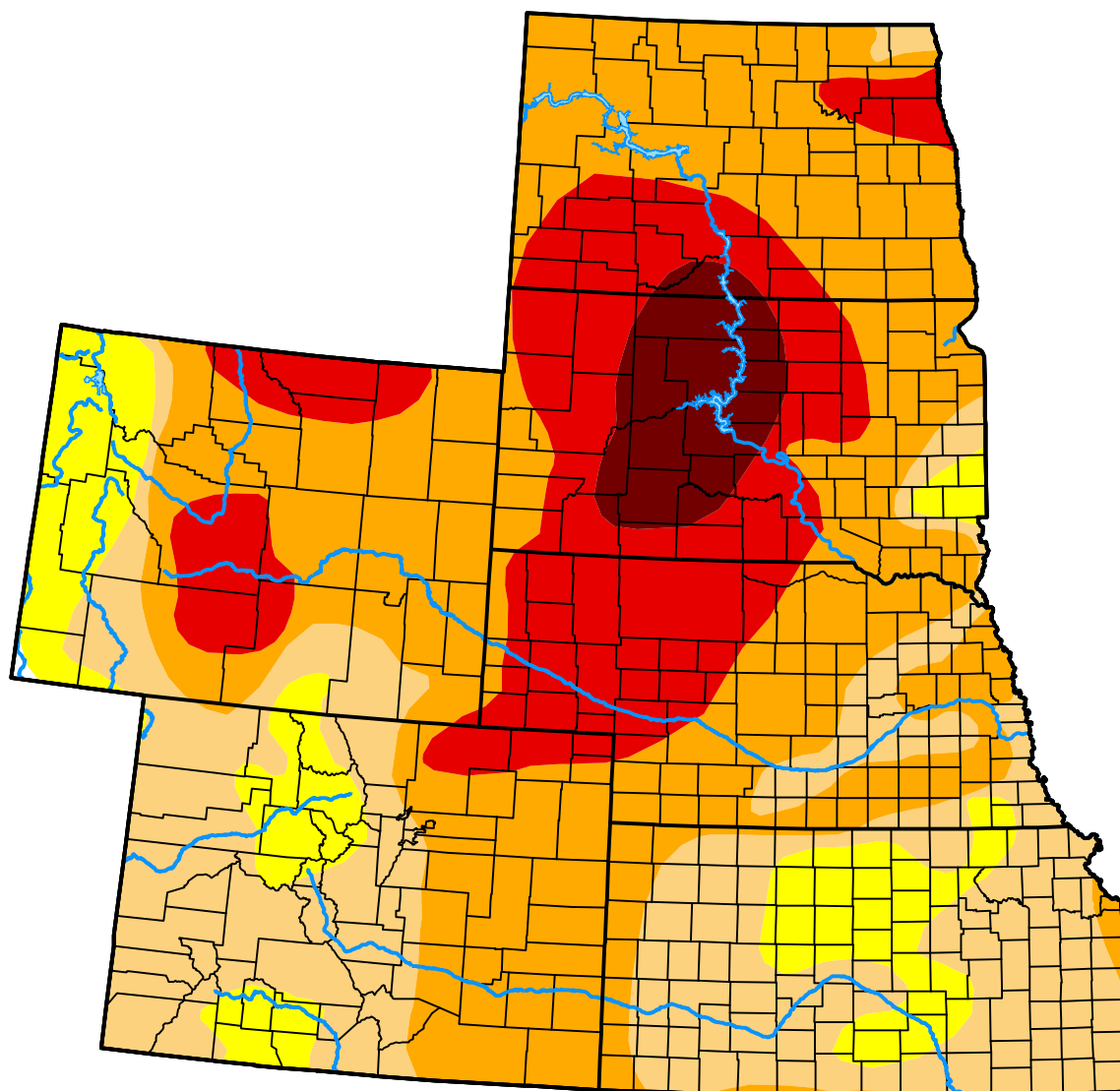
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.07	10.52	26.56	40.19	18.32	4.33
Last Week <i>08-01-2006</i>	0.82	12.35	29.85	38.31	15.17	3.50
3 Months Ago <i>05-09-2006</i>	34.91	27.73	27.99	9.07	0.30	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	46.85	32.67	20.28	0.20	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	47.32	26.40	19.50	6.78	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-09-2005</i>	31.22	38.85	16.81	13.11	0.00	0.00



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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