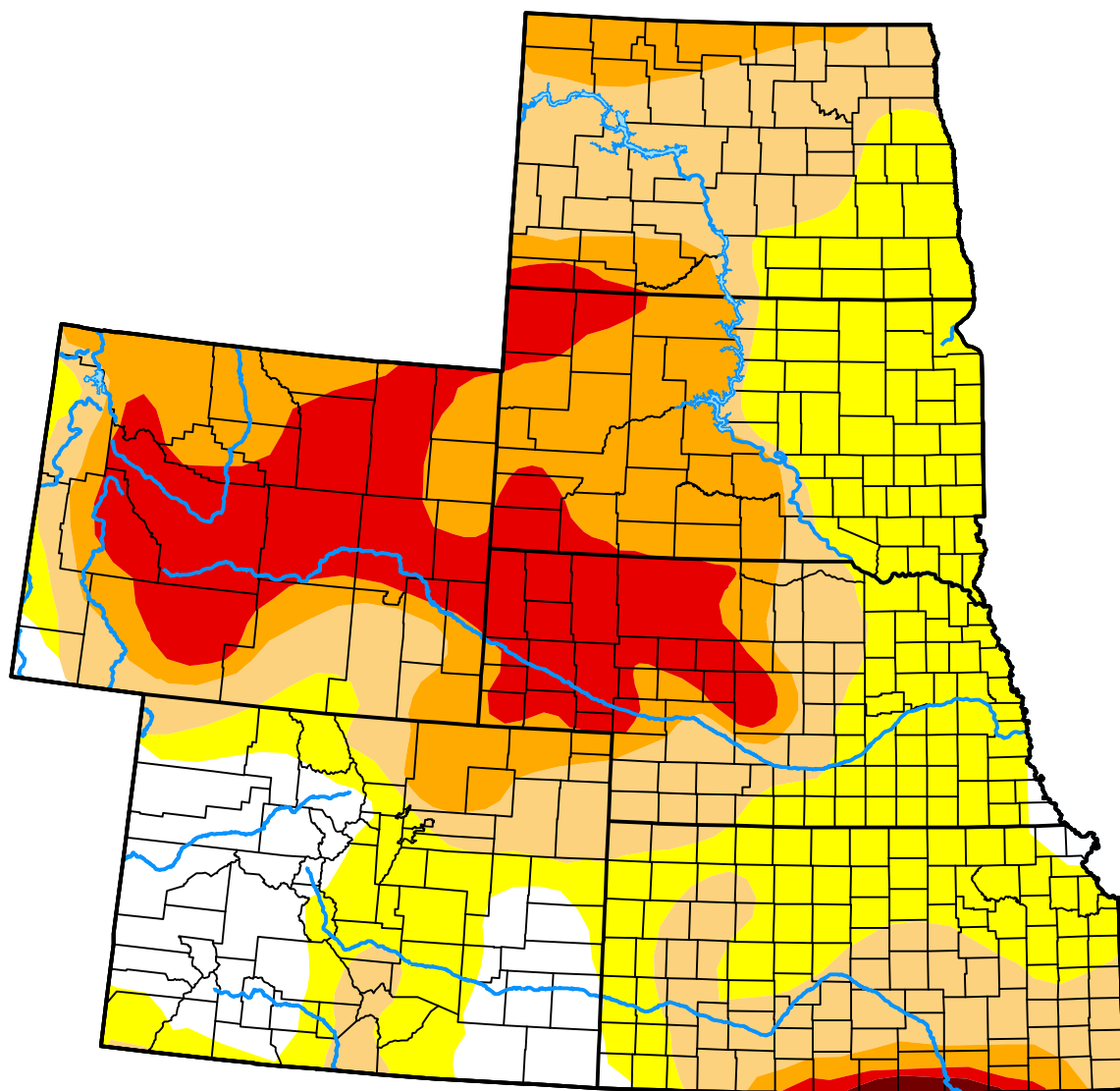


U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	10.16	89.84	59.75	34.77	15.35	0.24
Last Week <i>12-05-2006</i>	9.62	90.38	58.48	34.42	15.23	0.02
3 Months Ago <i>09-12-2006</i>	6.11	93.89	75.49	39.89	23.25	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>09-26-2006</i>	9.61	90.39	60.10	32.67	16.02	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-13-2005</i>	49.29	50.71	20.96	0.03	0.00	0.00

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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