

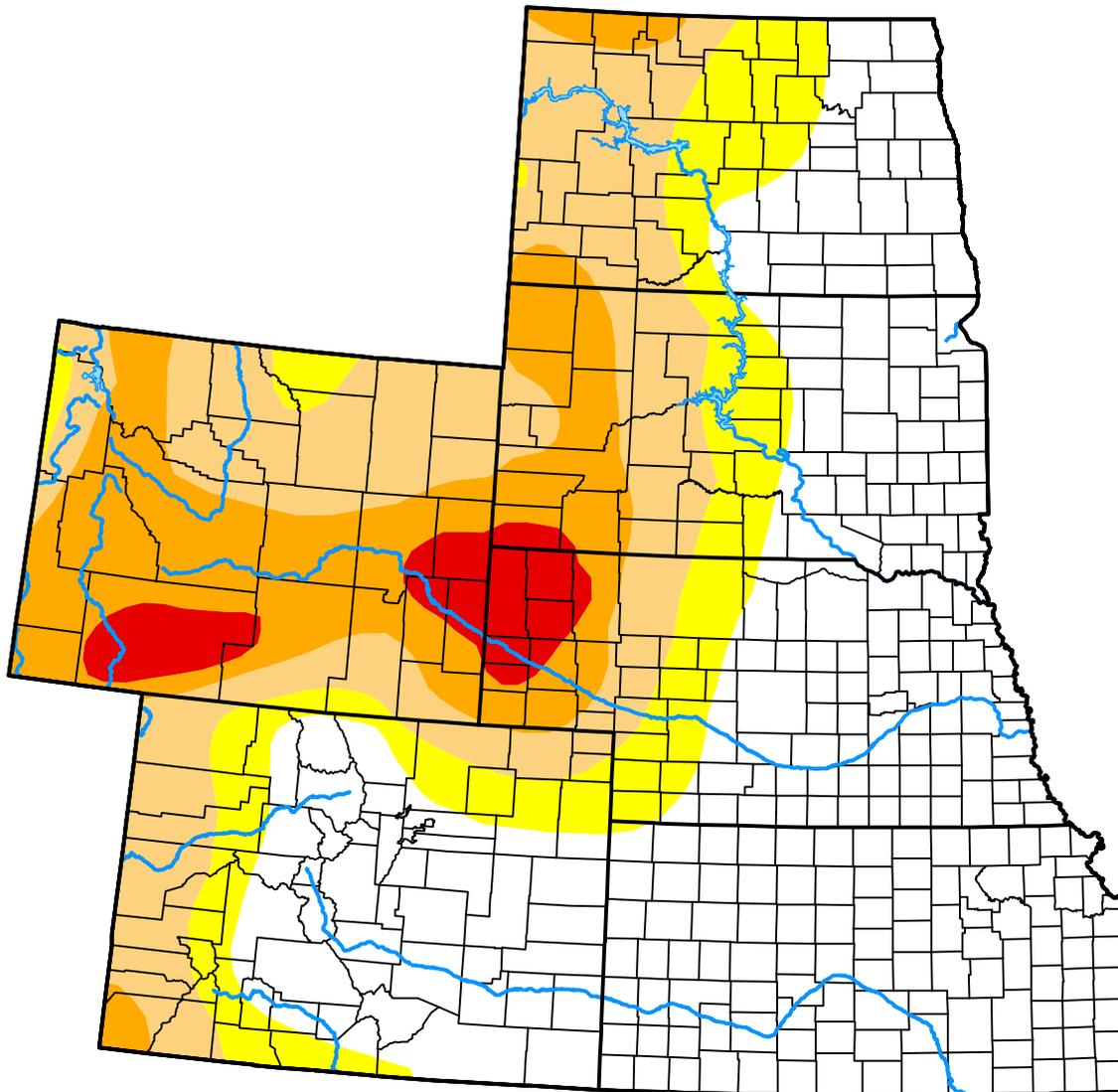
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

**April 17, 2007**  
 (Released Thursday, Apr. 19, 2007)  
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	49.36	50.64	38.31	17.92	3.61	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-10-2007</i>	47.47	52.53	37.62	17.72	3.10	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-16-2007</i>	29.55	70.45	55.15	34.50	16.82	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2007</i>	26.91	73.09	54.37	32.03	14.28	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2006</i>	9.61	90.39	60.10	32.67	16.02	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-18-2006</i>	31.04	68.96	39.24	5.03	0.26	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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