

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

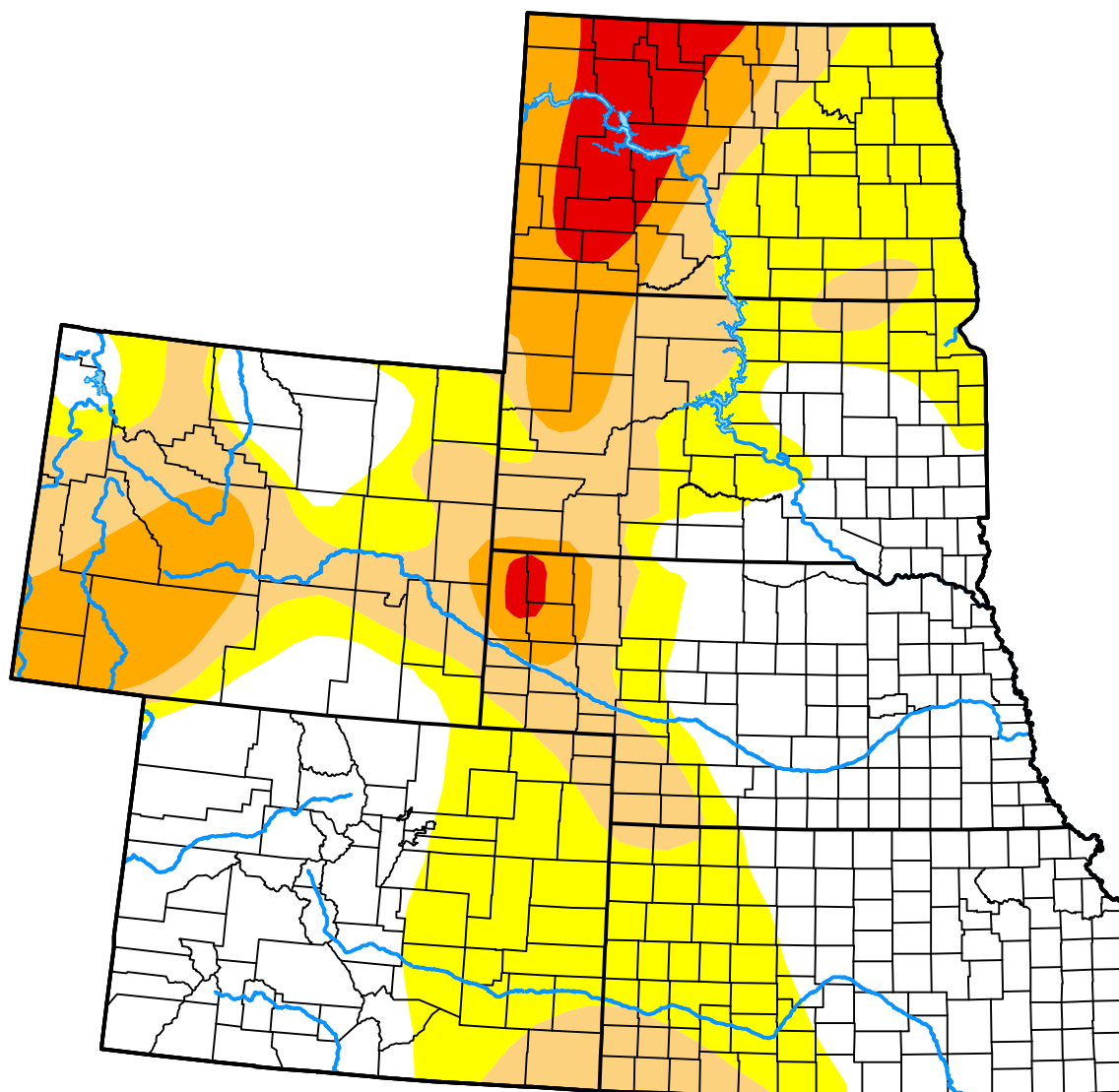
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	42.63	26.96	17.45	9.53	3.43	0.00
Last Week <i>03-25-2008</i>	40.13	28.98	16.38	13.44	1.07	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-01-2008</i>	46.84	23.72	17.63	11.55	0.26	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i>	46.84	23.72	17.63	11.55	0.26	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	55.81	22.41	11.52	9.22	1.04	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-03-2007</i>	47.14	14.88	20.74	14.14	3.10	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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