

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	91.22	8.78	1.54	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-01-2009	93.23	6.77	1.54	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-08-2009	82.92	17.08	1.74	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-30-2008	64.32	35.68	7.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2009	87.89	12.11	0.72	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-09-2008	61.52	38.48	7.84	0.00	0.00	0.00

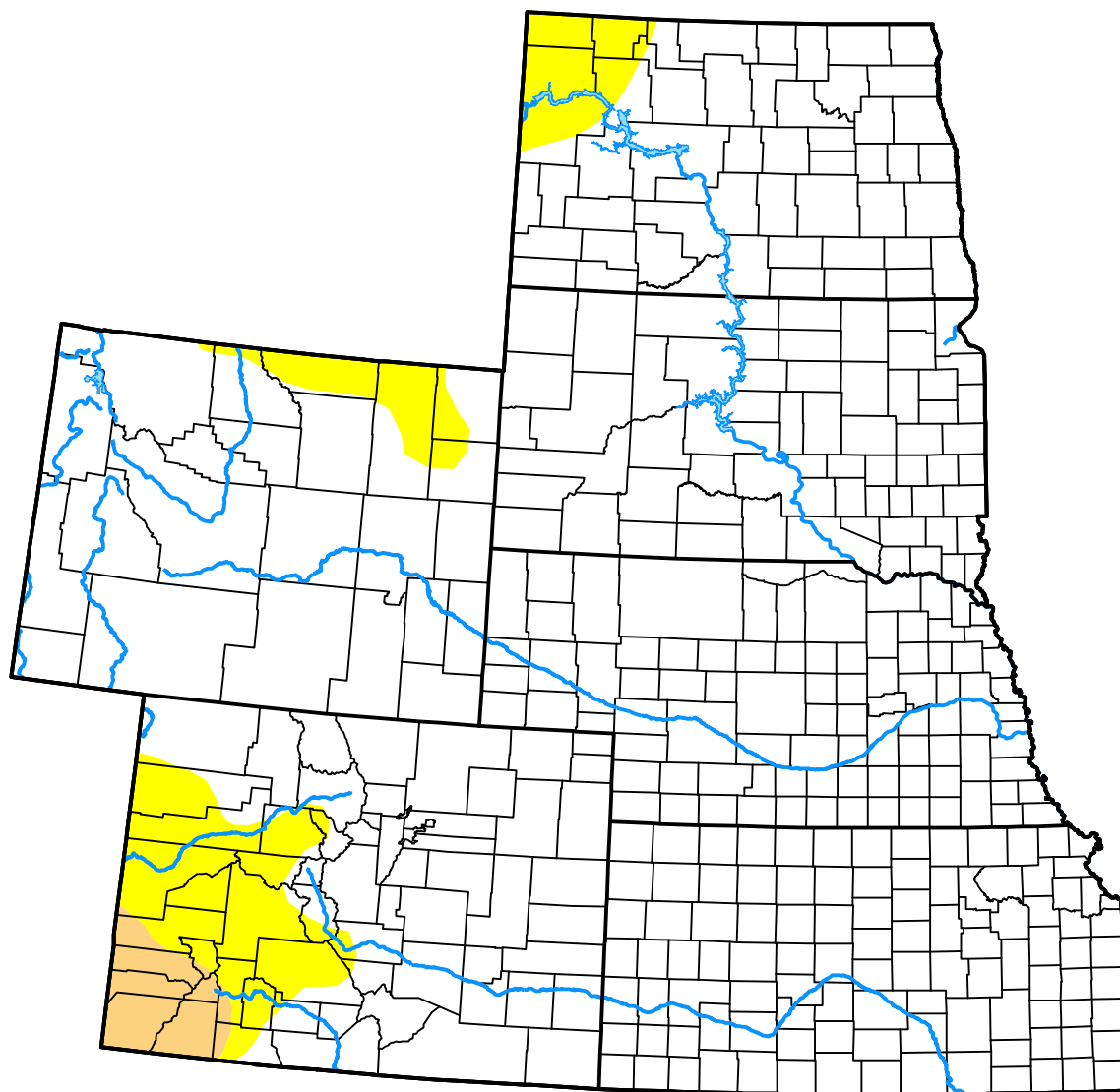
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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