

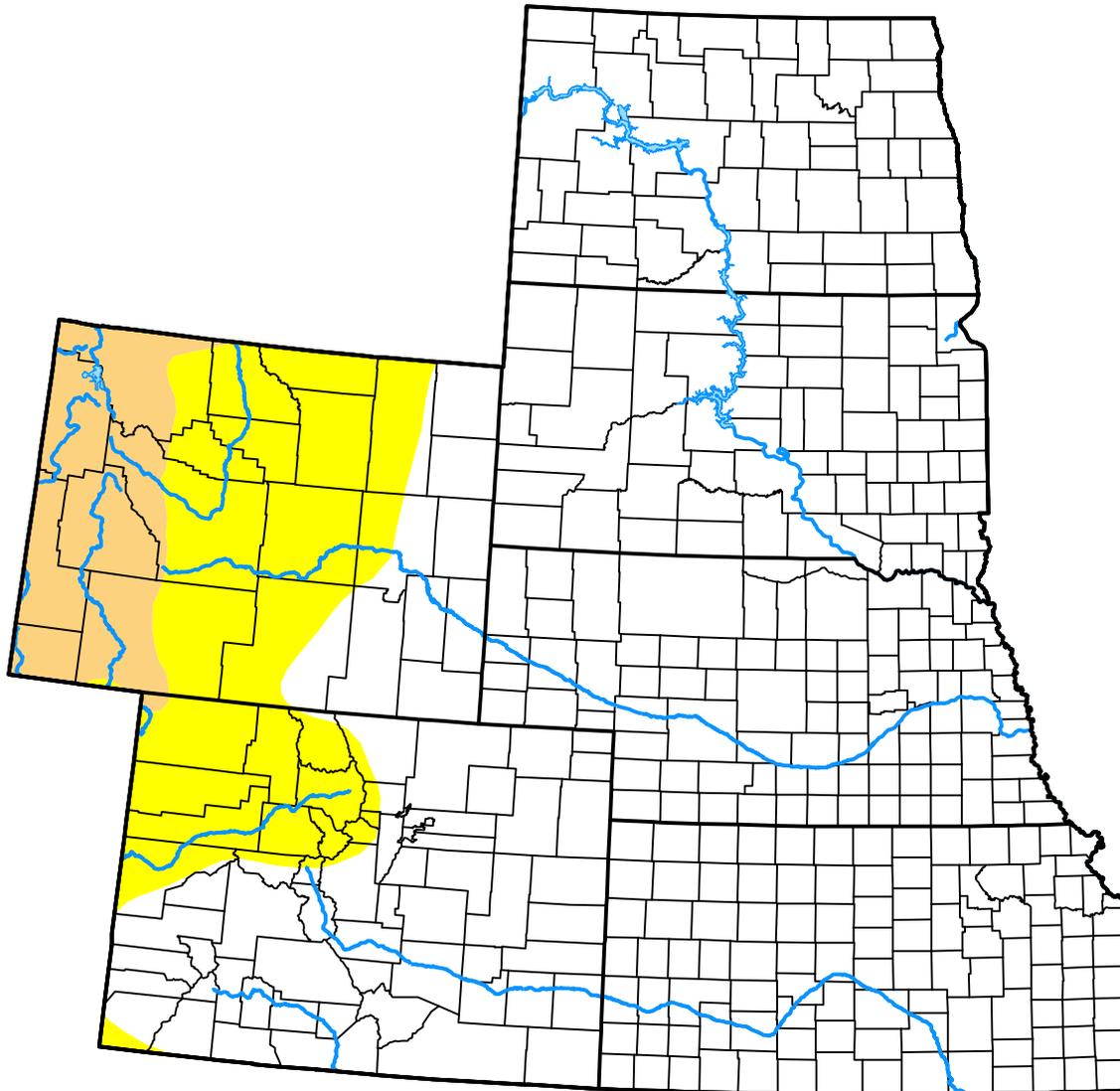
U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

March 2, 2010
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 80.99 | 19.01 | 5.63 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>02-23-2010</i> | 80.99 | 19.01 | 5.63 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-01-2009</i> | 93.23 | 6.77 | 1.54 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i> | 89.65 | 10.35 | 1.54 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i> | 87.89 | 12.11 | 0.72 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-03-2009</i> | 58.71 | 41.29 | 8.33 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 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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