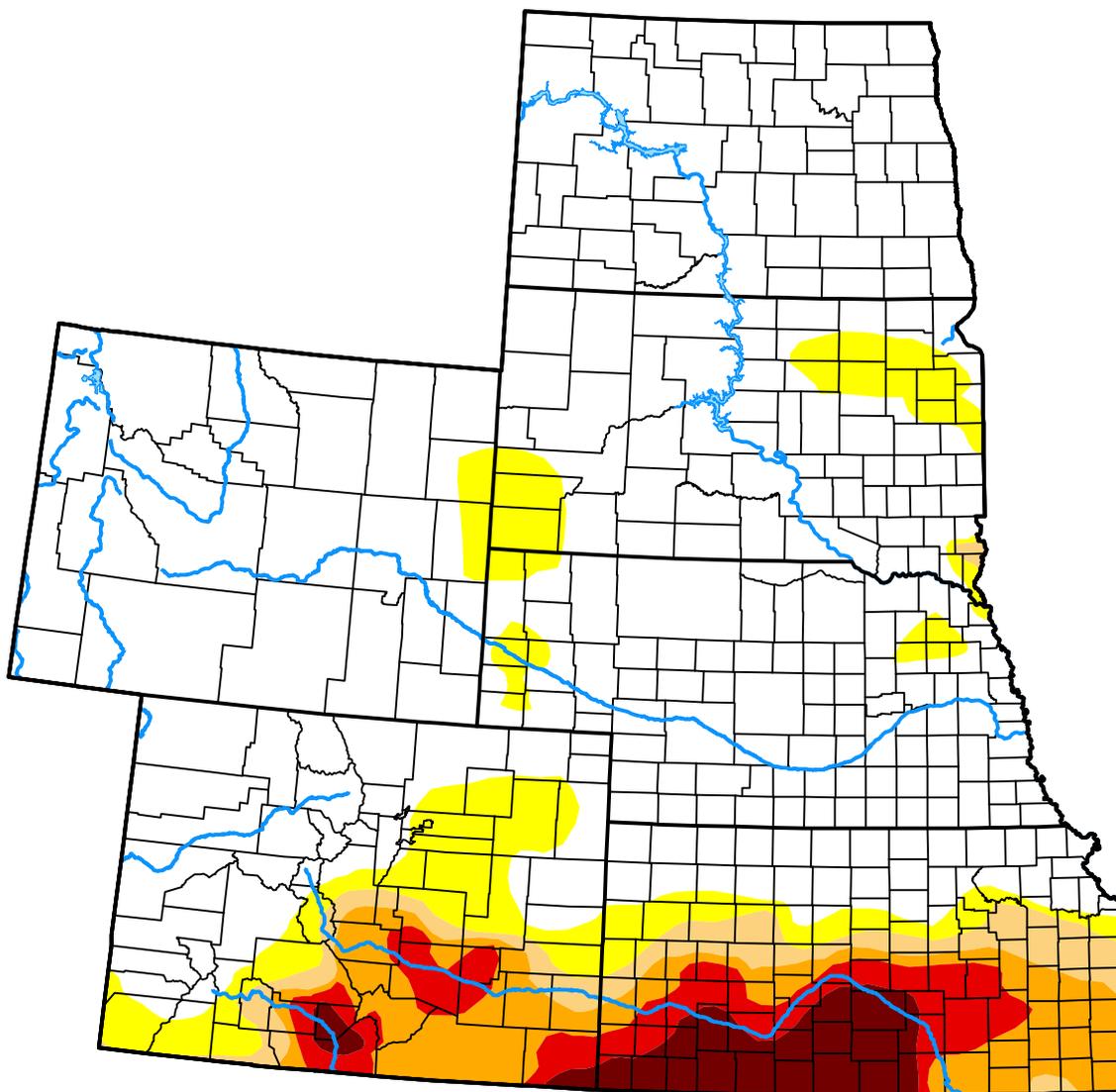


# U.S. Drought Monitor High Plains

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	74.56	9.37	3.30	5.85	3.80	3.13
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-23-2011</i>	75.80	8.20	3.35	6.40	3.65	2.59
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-31-2011</i>	79.34	4.91	4.82	7.47	3.11	0.36
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	60.48	23.03	13.85	2.63	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	65.06	31.21	3.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-31-2010</i>	83.99	14.05	1.96	0.00	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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