

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	63.37	17.45	6.38	5.89	3.94	2.97
Last Week 09-27-2011	70.09	12.47	5.48	5.74	3.26	2.96
3 Months Ago 07-05-2011	75.52	8.89	4.18	5.78	4.99	0.64
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2011	60.48	23.03	13.85	2.63	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2011	70.09	12.47	5.48	5.74	3.26	2.96
One Year Ago 10-05-2010	65.05	30.58	4.36	0.00	0.00	0.00

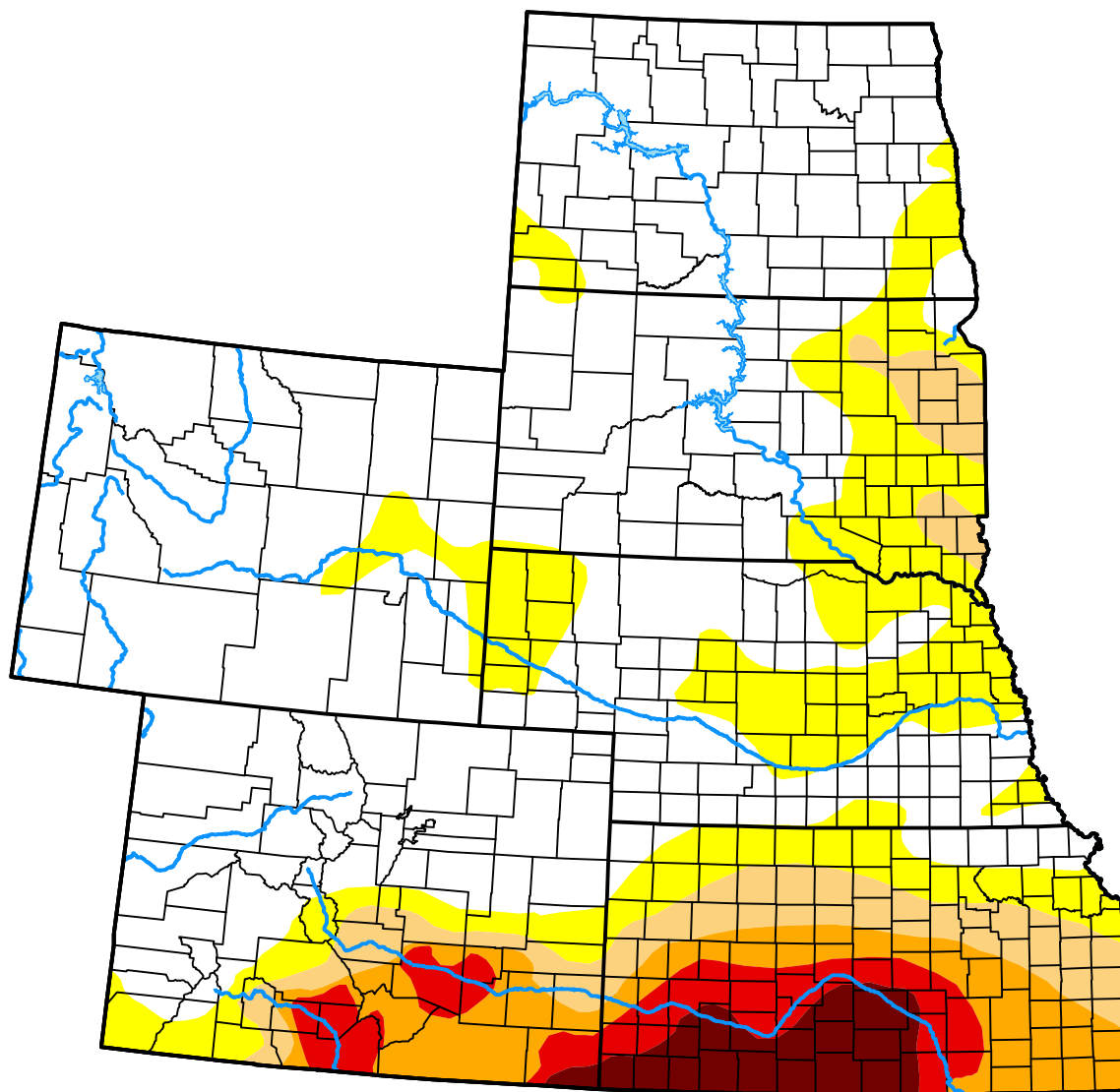
Intensity:

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

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