

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

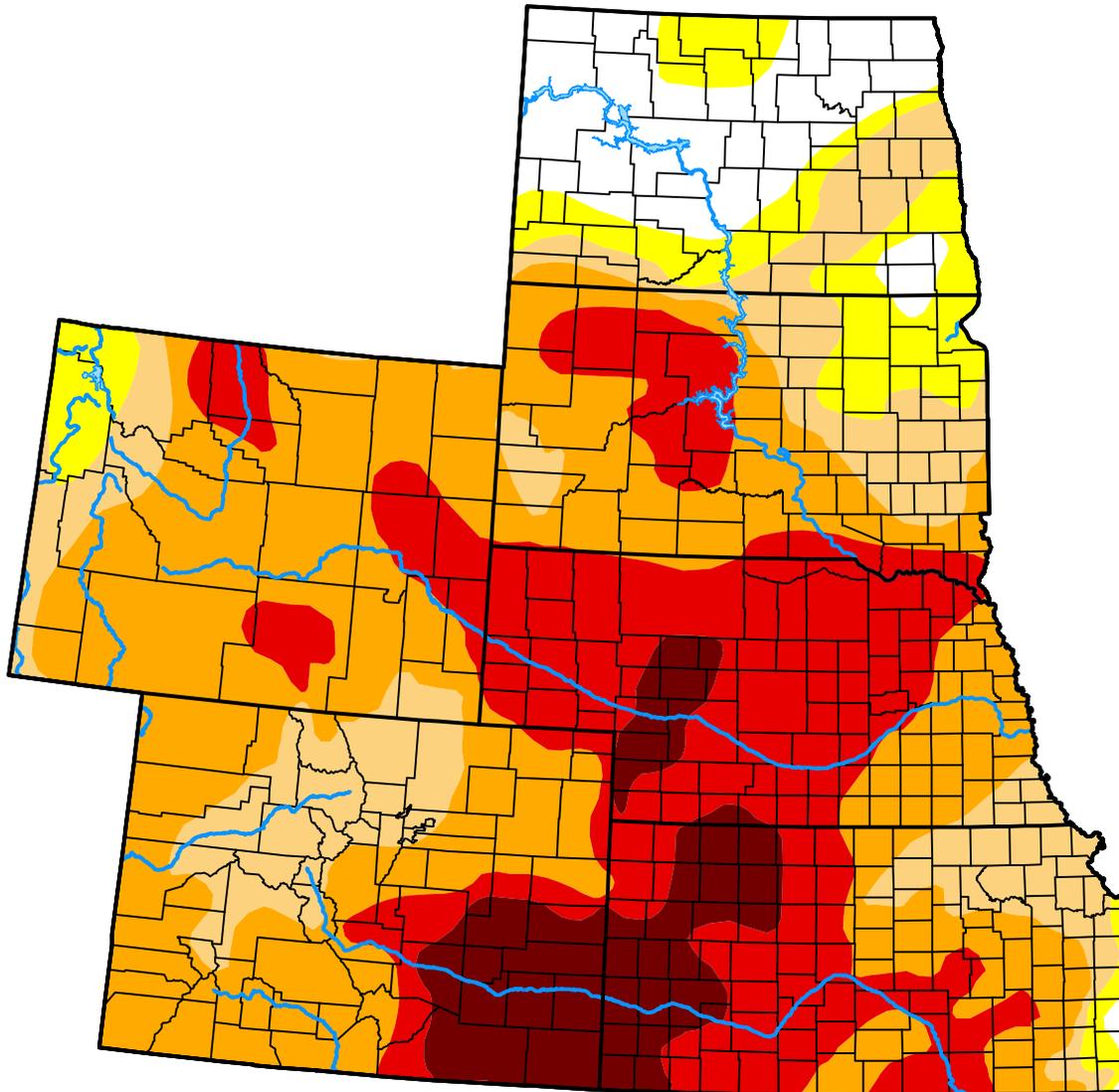
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	7.72	92.28	85.04	69.52	32.53	8.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-23-2013</i>	7.07	92.93	86.14	69.80	37.82	7.32
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-29-2013</i>	4.79	95.21	92.08	87.25	61.29	27.02
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	1.54	98.46	93.01	86.20	60.25	26.99
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	98.91	83.80	61.28	24.35
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-01-2012</i>	49.00	51.00	21.31	6.41	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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