

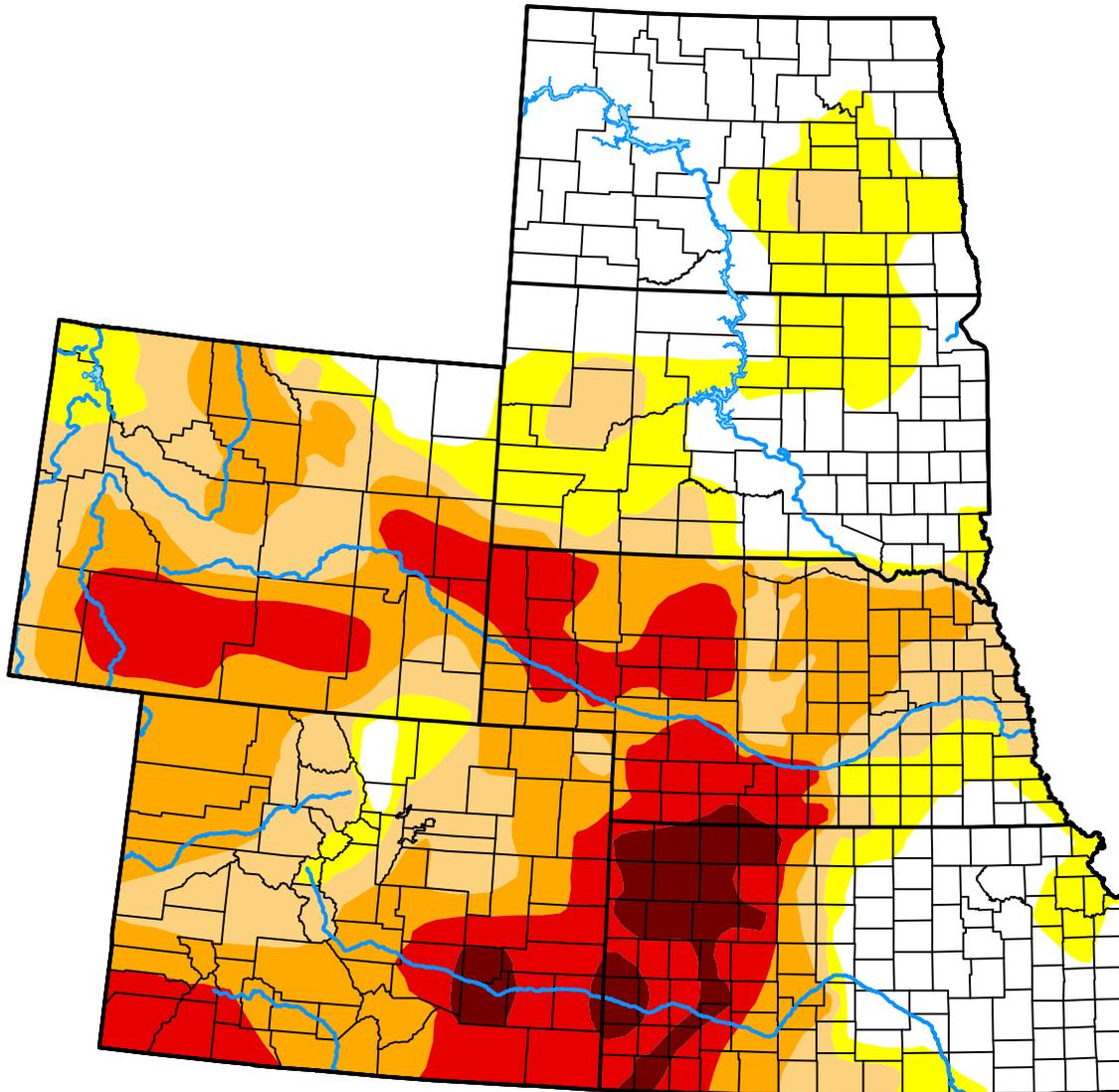
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

**August 13, 2013**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 15, 2013)  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	27.33	72.67	58.36	40.42	18.42	3.40
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-06-2013</i>	23.95	76.05	60.77	42.60	19.25	5.74
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-14-2013</i>	7.52	92.48	80.56	65.20	29.25	7.88
<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>08-14-2012</i>	4.48	95.52	86.05	76.97	49.64	15.52



**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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