

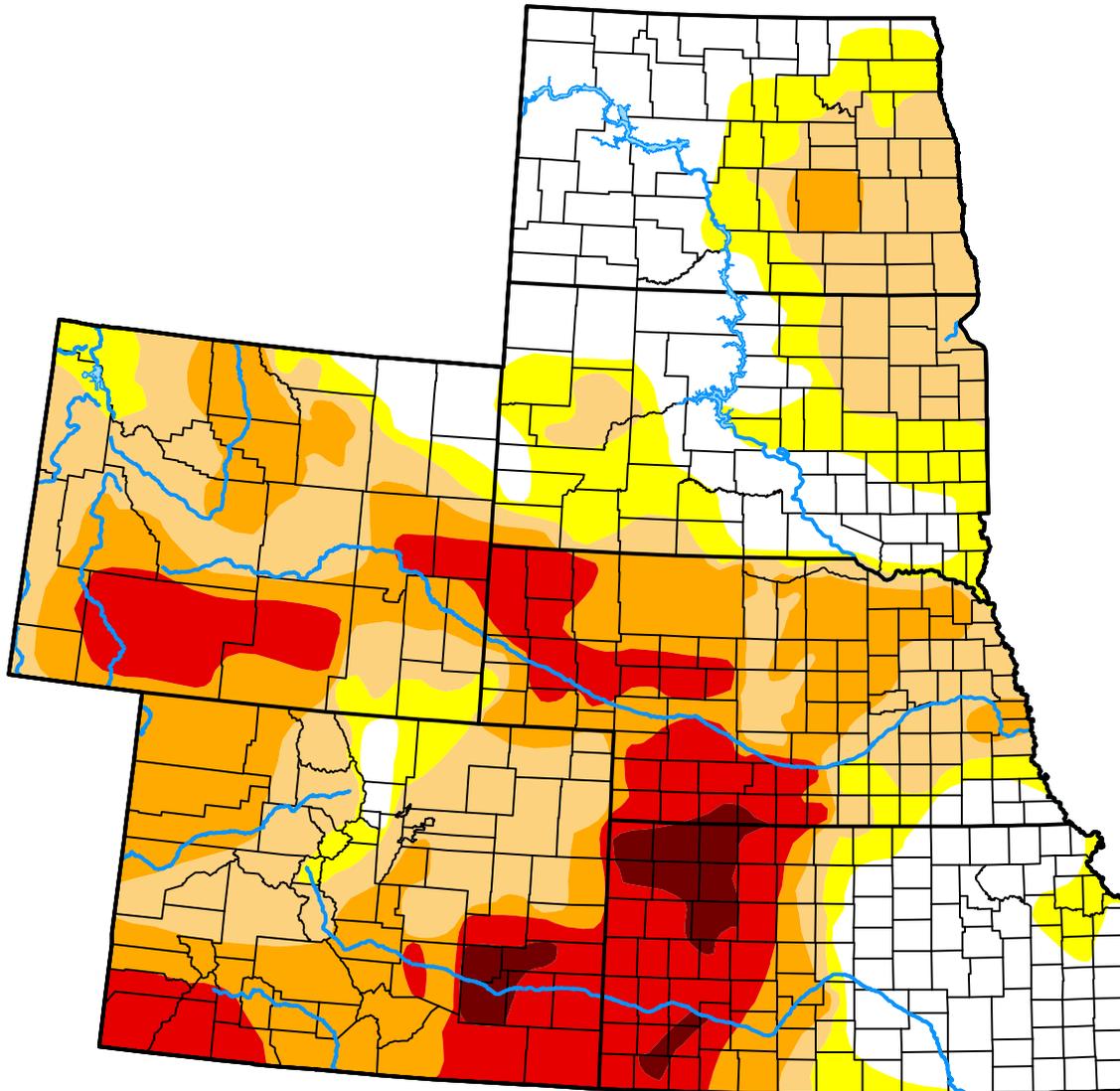
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

**September 3, 2013**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 5, 2013)  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	23.60	13.26	24.65	22.24	14.09	2.16
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-27-2013</i>	21.61	14.35	25.04	22.43	14.53	2.05
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-04-2013</i>	18.13	12.84	22.81	26.73	12.00	7.48
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	1.54	5.45	6.81	25.95	33.26	26.99
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	0.00	1.09	15.11	22.53	36.92	24.35
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-04-2012</i>	0.94	6.63	10.59	20.83	36.47	24.54



**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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