

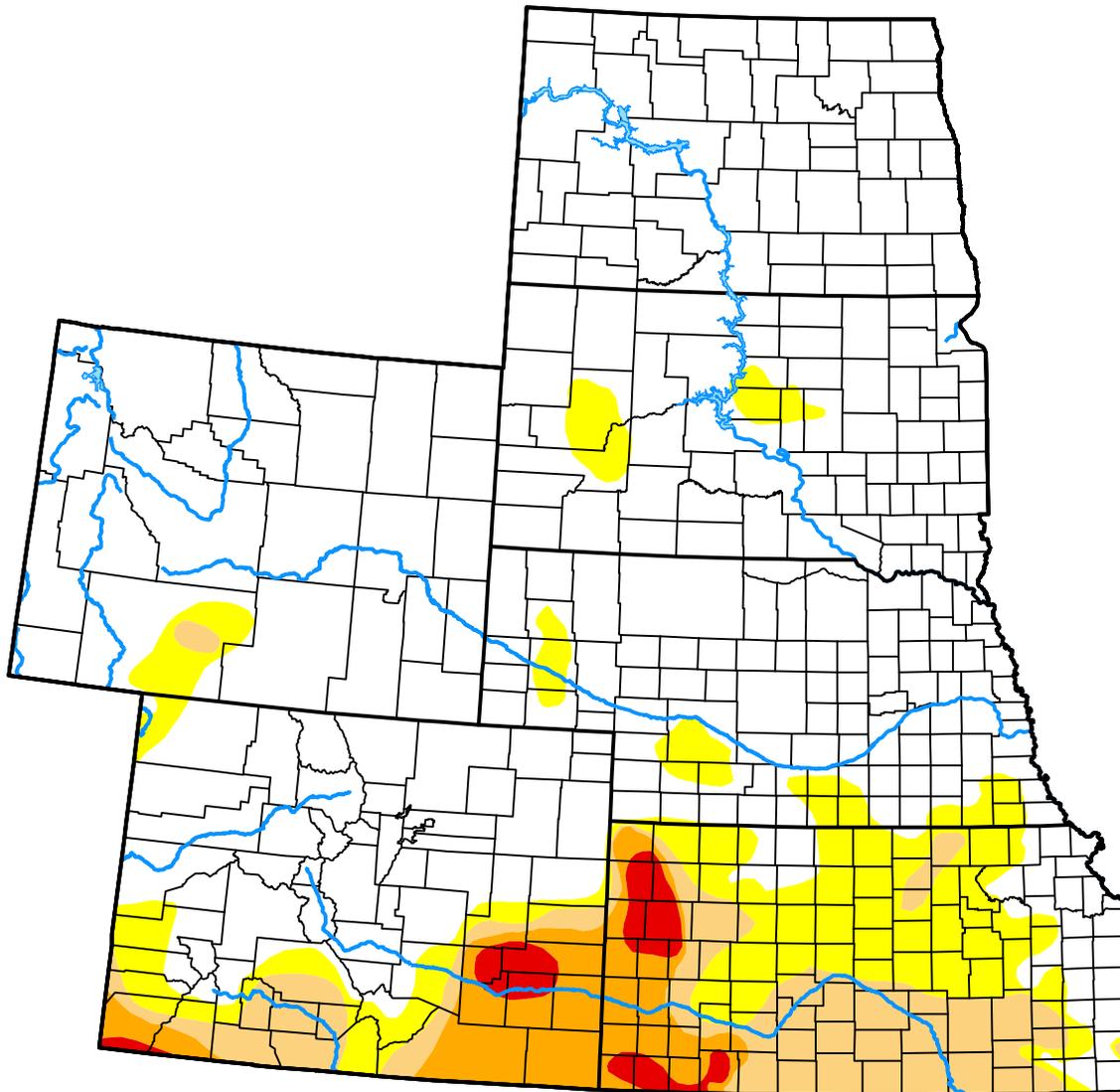
U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

September 9, 2014
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 75.75 | 24.25 | 12.74 | 5.67 | 1.43 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>09-02-2014</i> | 73.30 | 26.70 | 17.13 | 6.15 | 1.43 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>06-10-2014</i> | 62.26 | 37.74 | 25.58 | 13.12 | 7.02 | 0.39 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i> | 45.79 | 54.21 | 20.60 | 12.28 | 2.44 | 0.30 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i> | 29.87 | 70.13 | 43.21 | 19.50 | 3.01 | 0.30 |
| One Year Ago <i>09-10-2013</i> | 21.79 | 78.21 | 62.27 | 38.13 | 15.63 | 2.16 |



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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