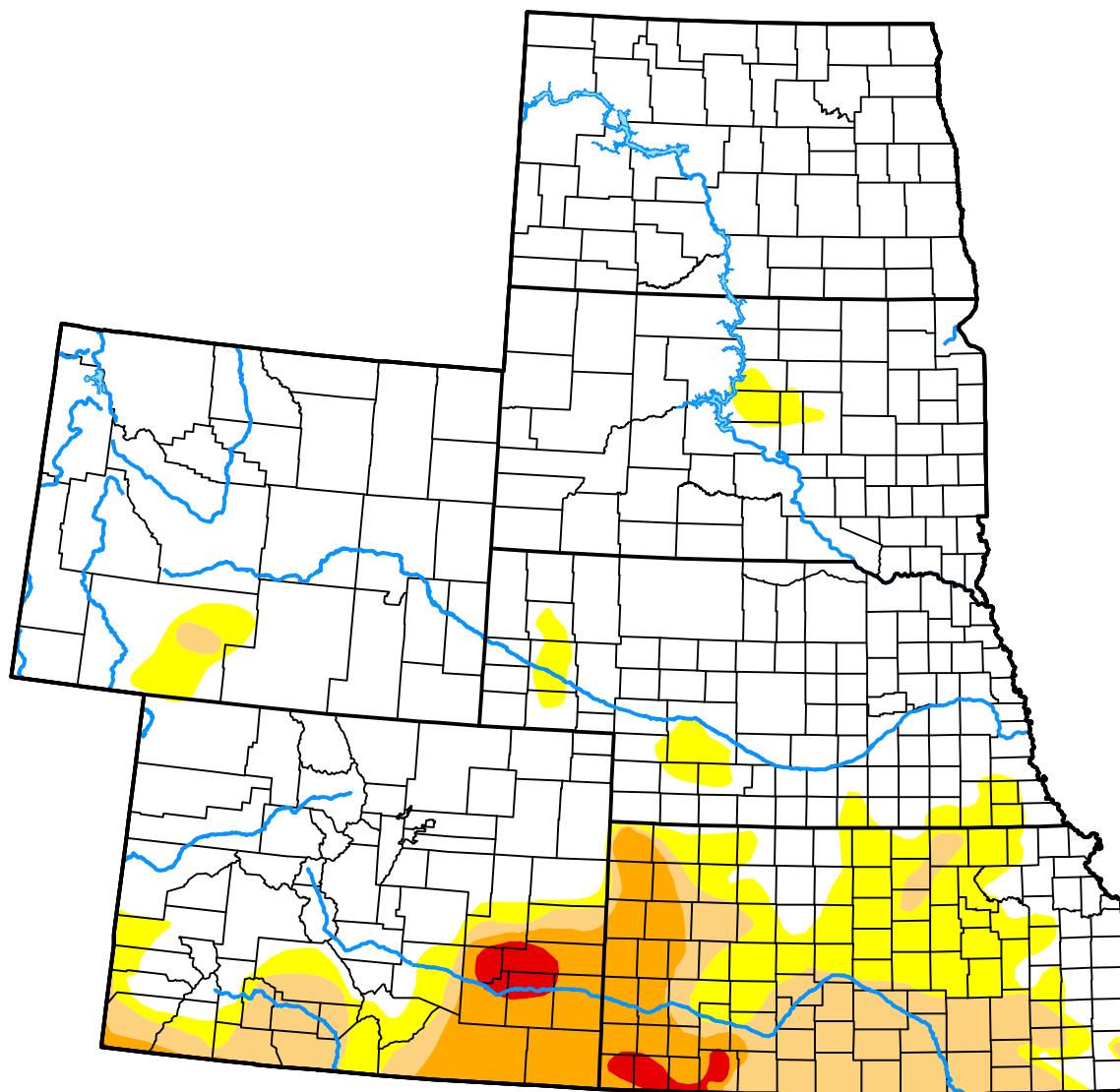


U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	77.83	22.17	12.48	5.37	0.80	0.00
Last Week <i>09-16-2014</i>	77.31	22.69	12.71	5.67	0.87	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-24-2014</i>	63.27	36.73	22.51	11.70	5.23	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>09-24-2013</i>	26.98	73.02	49.42	24.46	5.87	0.30

Intensity:

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