

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	80.15	9.44	4.75	5.29	0.36	0.00
Last Week <i>10-14-2014</i>	80.03	9.56	4.75	5.29	0.36	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-22-2014</i>	68.33	10.79	12.29	6.39	2.02	0.19
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	45.79	33.60	8.32	9.84	2.14	0.30
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	78.99	8.86	6.17	5.12	0.86	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-22-2013</i>	47.57	30.03	10.59	9.75	1.75	0.30

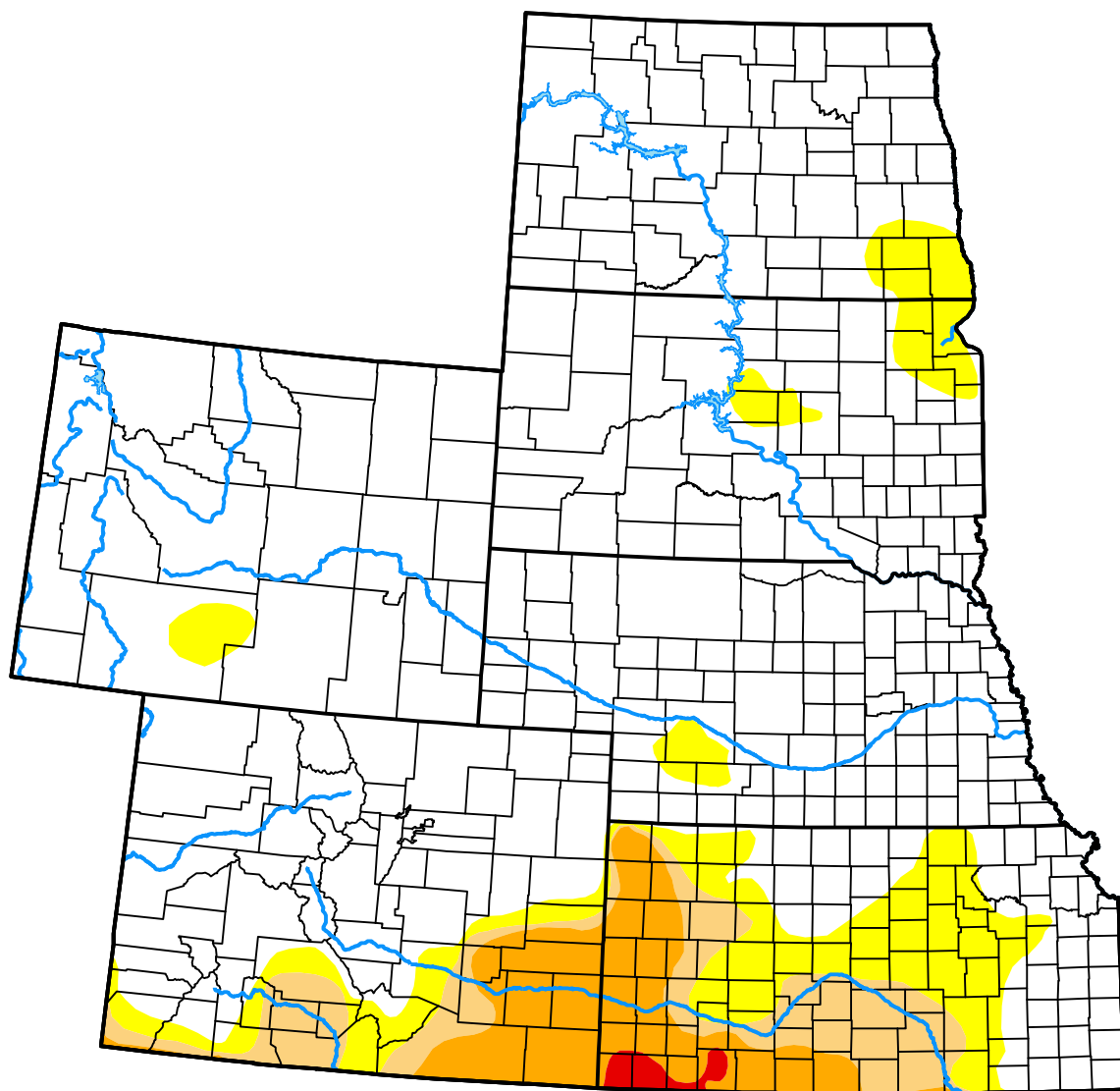
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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