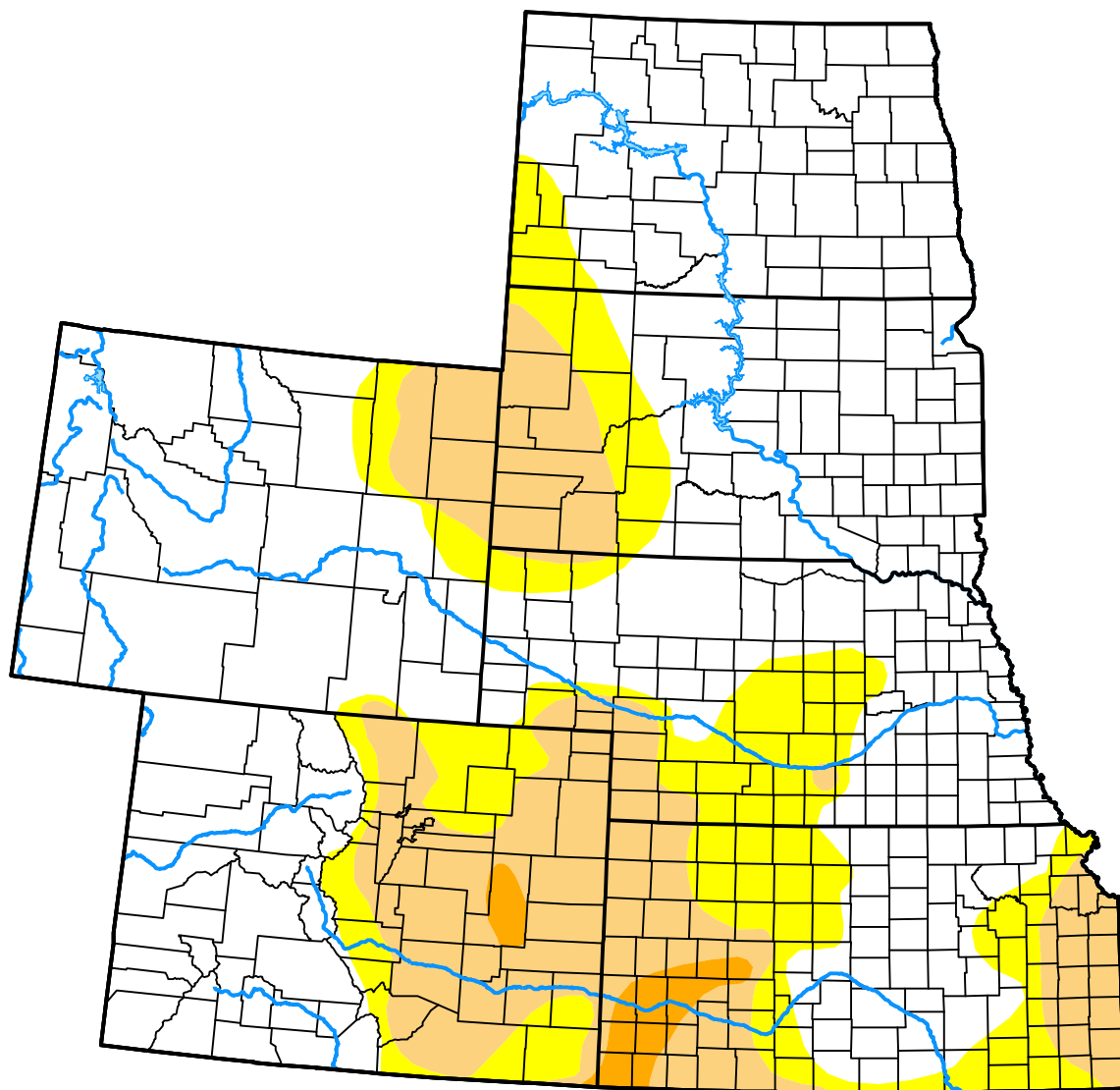


U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	65.37	15.29	17.92	1.41	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-21-2017</i>	63.26	17.79	17.53	1.41	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-29-2016</i>	40.36	37.67	19.27	2.70	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	50.65	27.82	17.68	3.85	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	70.86	20.49	5.97	2.52	0.17	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-01-2016</i>	70.76	26.05	2.77	0.41	0.00	0.00

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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