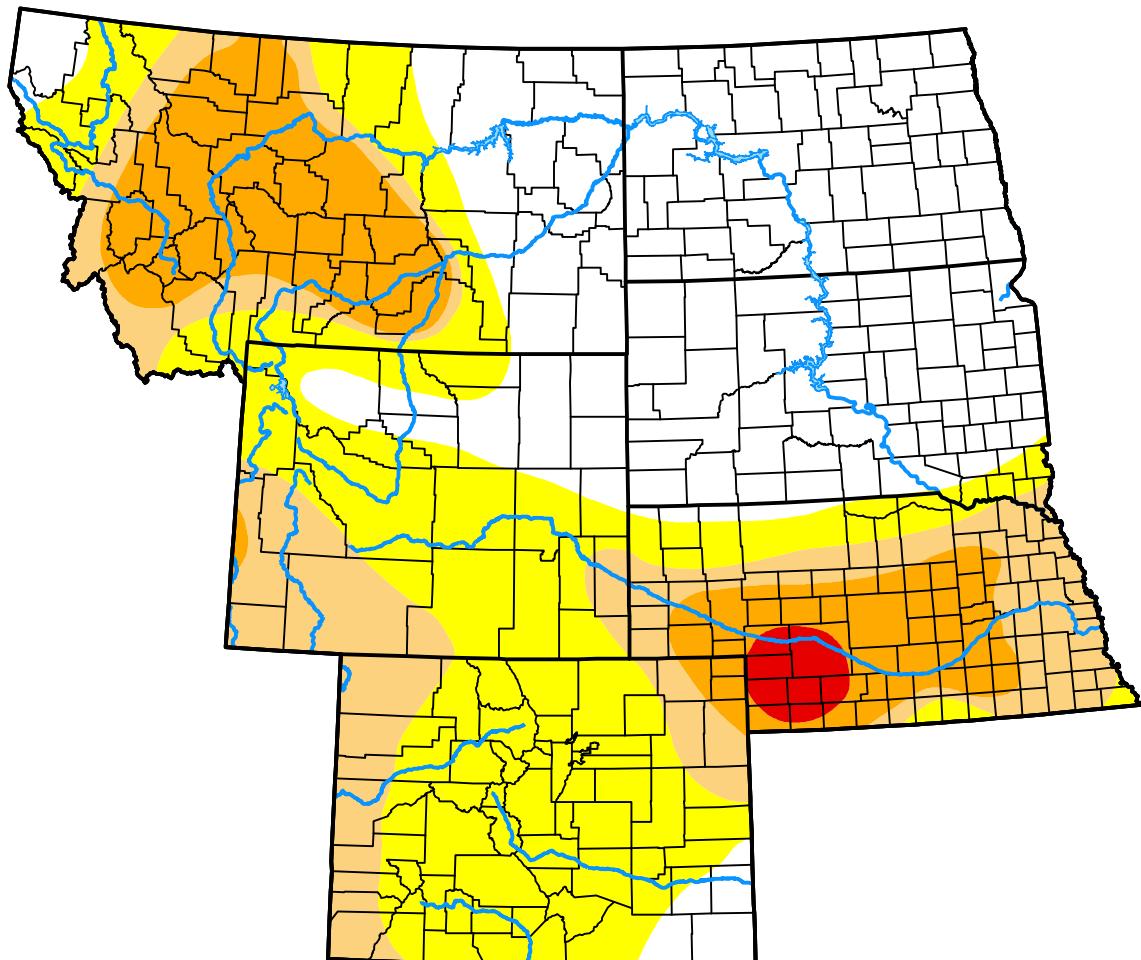


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northern Plains

### Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	38.65	29.97	16.06	14.16	1.17	0.00
Last Week 08-08-2000	39.61	31.57	17.74	10.19	0.89	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-16-2000	57.73	28.31	8.05	5.91	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2000	61.21	29.23	4.23	5.33	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 01-01-1900	-	-	-	-	-	-
One Year Ago 01-01-1900	-	-	-	-	-	-

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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