

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub

July 17, 2007

(Released Thursday, Jul. 19, 2007)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	49.38	50.62	29.78	11.27	2.57	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 07-10-2007	53.46	46.54	23.15	10.47	2.16	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 04-17-2007	34.78	65.22	42.46	16.41	3.20	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-02-2007	23.11	76.89	52.82	29.89	12.75	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-26-2006	5.69	94.31	72.90	44.20	15.07	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 07-18-2006	7.19	92.81	82.89	38.28	9.75	1.89

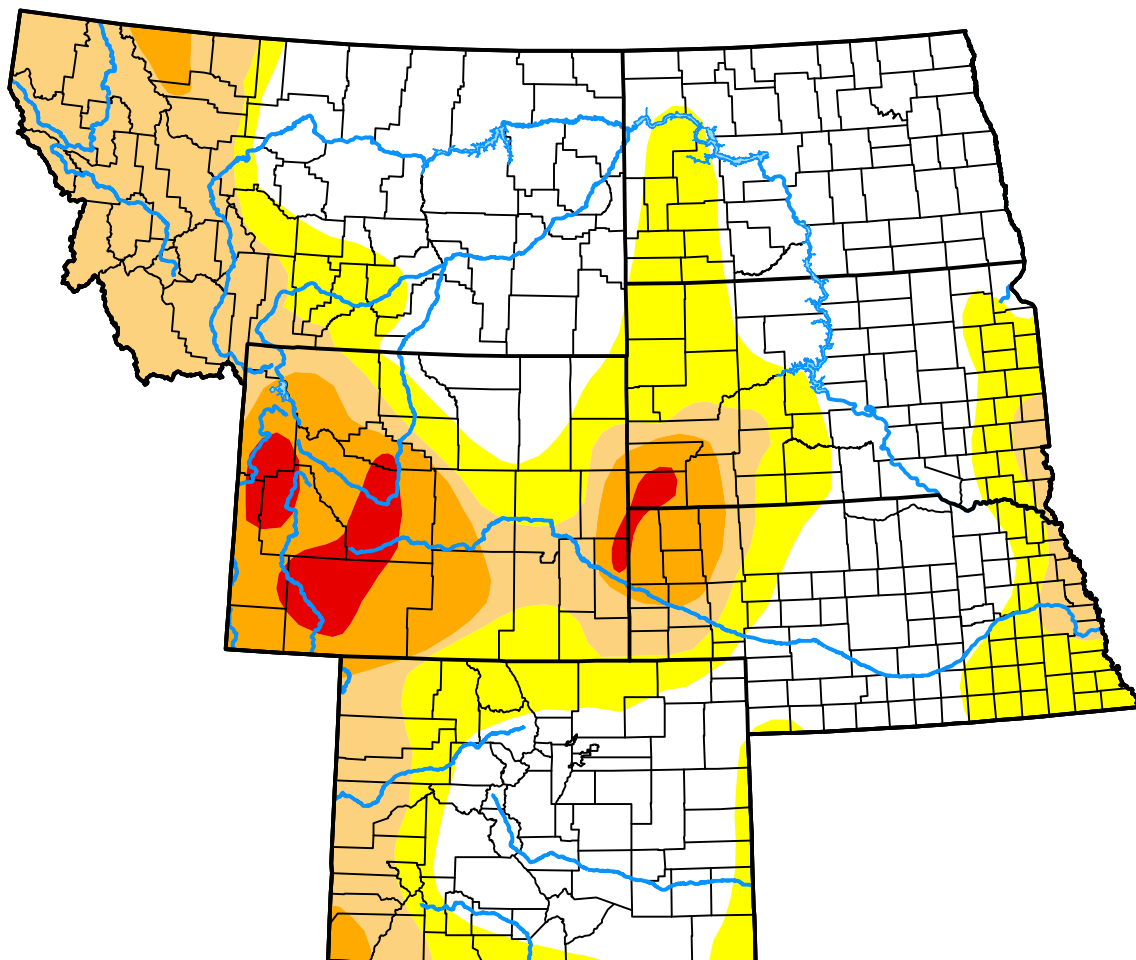
### Intensity:

 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>

### Author:

Brad Rippey  
U.S. Department of Agriculture



[droughtmonitor.unl.edu](https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu)