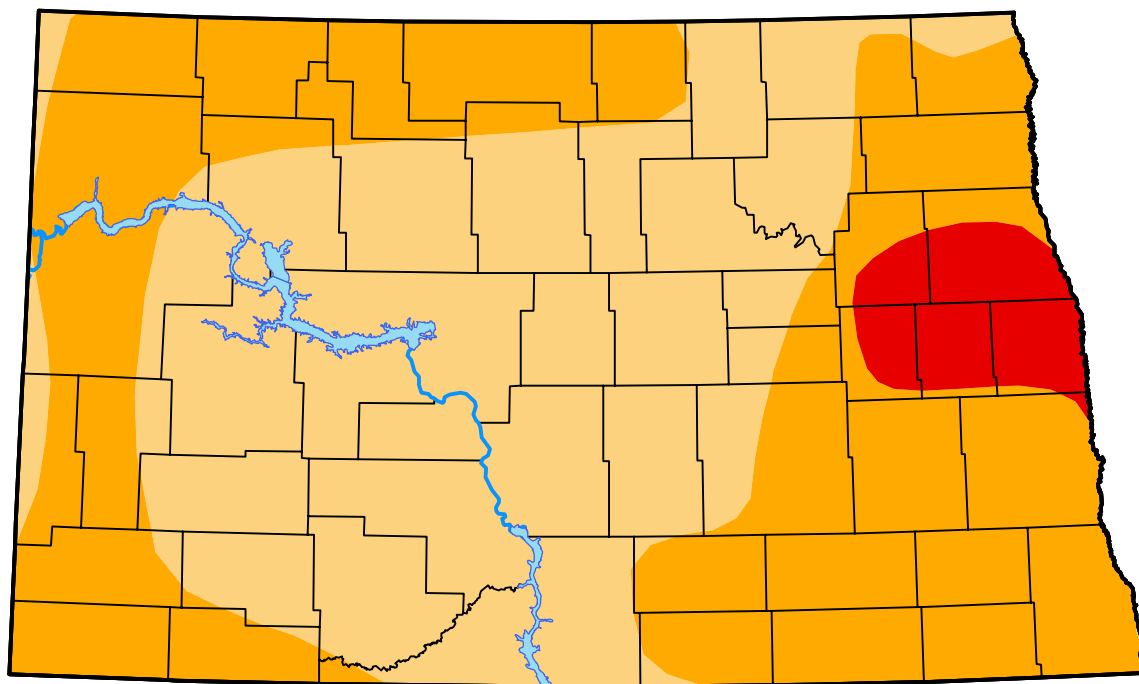


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	100.00	50.36	4.78	0.00
Last Week 10-11-2012	0.00	100.00	100.00	50.42	4.78	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-19-2012	21.57	78.43	26.07	16.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	0.38	99.62	8.67	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2012	0.00	100.00	94.90	28.49	4.78	0.00
One Year Ago 10-20-2011	87.52	12.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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

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