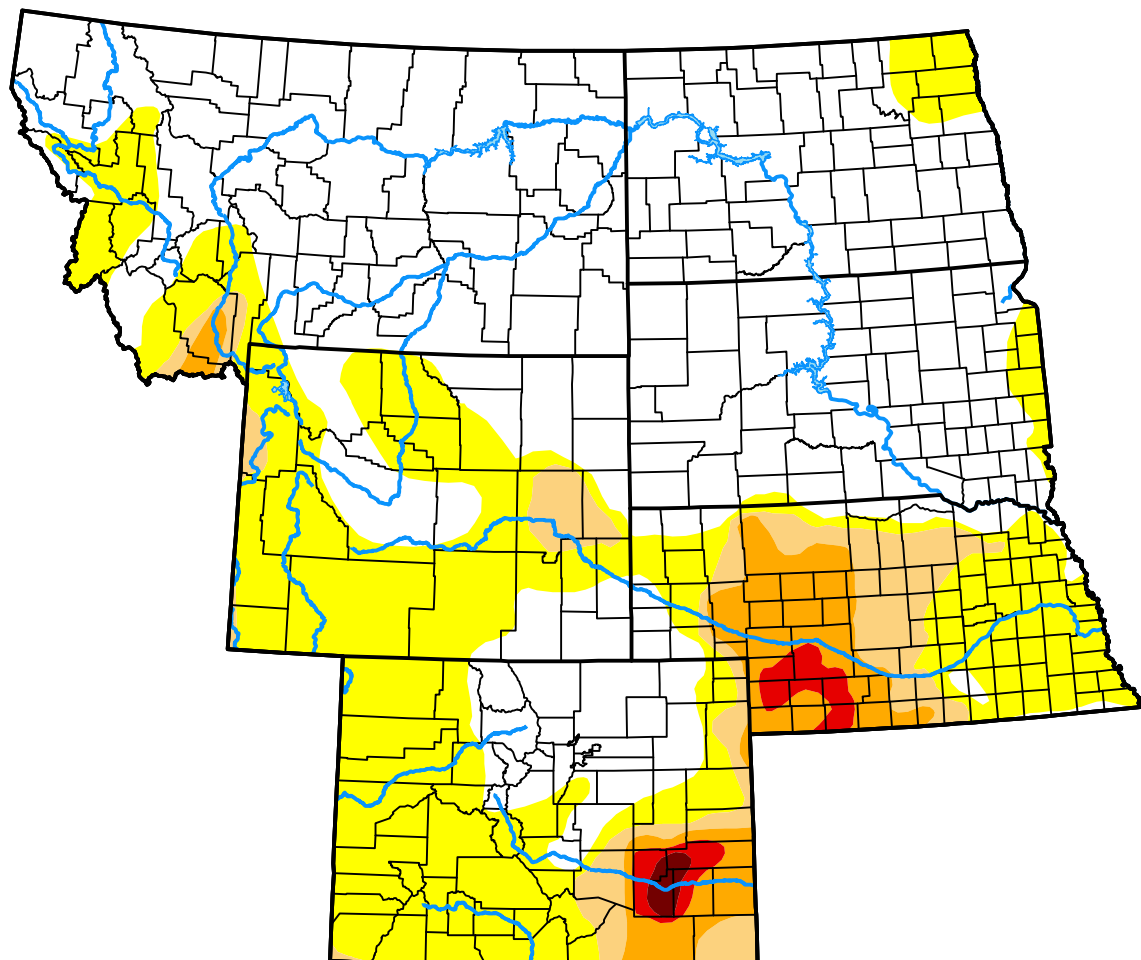


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	58.62	29.45	5.80	4.76	1.10	0.27
Last Week <i>10-29-2013</i>	57.53	27.80	8.48	4.83	1.10	0.27
3 Months Ago <i>08-06-2013</i>	31.71	15.45	19.72	19.91	11.62	1.59
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	14.83	8.30	9.89	23.13	25.06	18.79
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	41.24	24.97	20.81	10.88	1.83	0.27
One Year Ago <i>11-06-2012</i>	8.46	8.66	15.55	25.91	22.83	18.60

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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