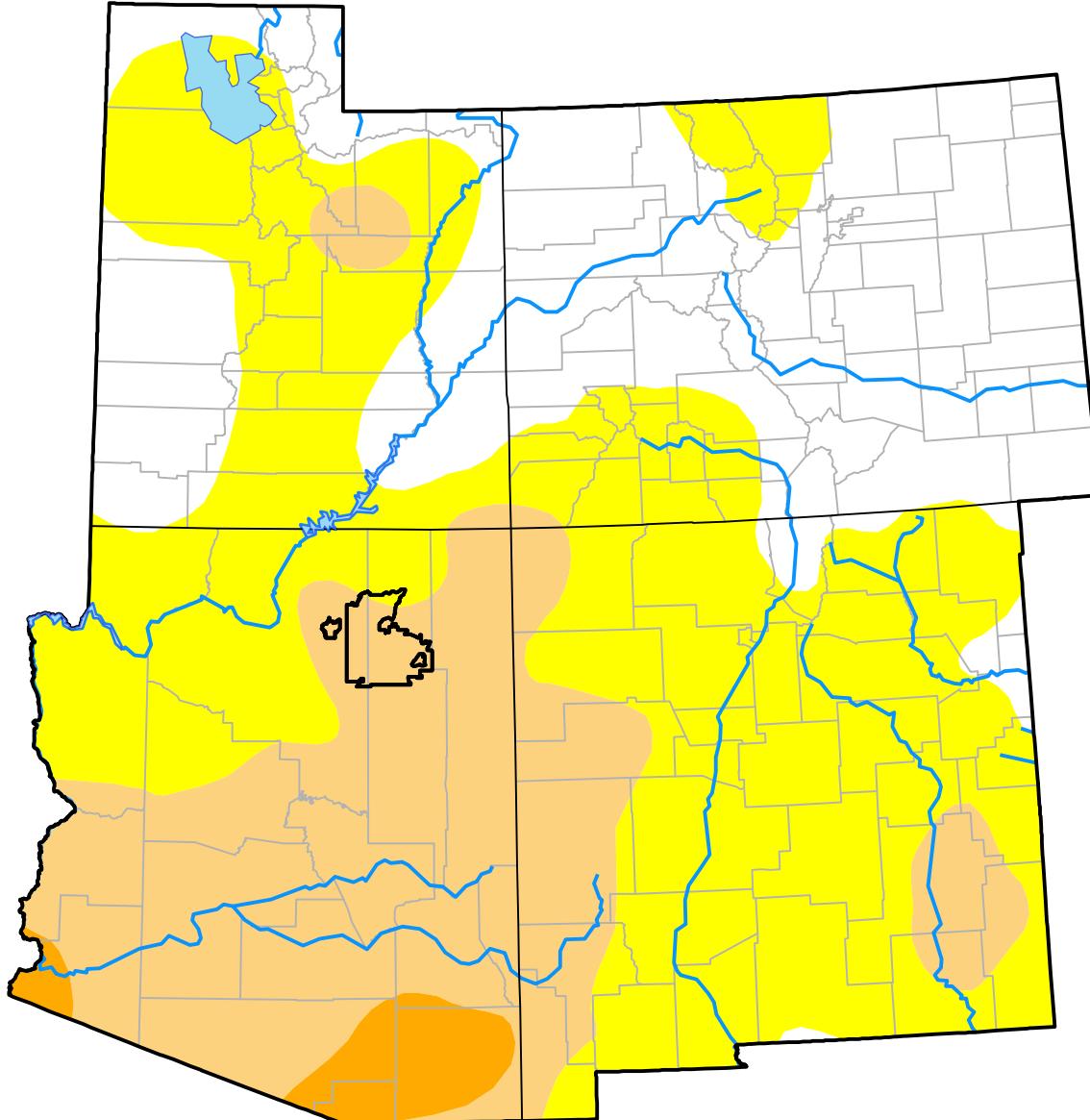


U.S. Drought Monitor Dakota RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 29.92 | 70.08 | 26.47 | 2.34 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week 07-21-2016 | 36.70 | 63.30 | 20.43 | 2.15 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago 04-28-2016 | 20.15 | 79.85 | 36.93 | 2.87 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015 | 51.56 | 48.44 | 18.69 | 4.81 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 10-01-2015 | 38.97 | 61.03 | 31.68 | 6.24 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago 07-30-2015 | 42.45 | 57.55 | 38.66 | 8.01 | 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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