

U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	43.94	33.16	19.45	2.55	0.90	0.00
Last Week <i>11-28-2017</i>	59.35	20.69	16.52	2.55	0.90	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-05-2017</i>	48.95	26.37	11.16	9.72	3.74	0.05
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	50.65	27.82	17.68	3.85	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	56.15	22.73	12.75	7.05	1.26	0.06
One Year Ago <i>12-06-2016</i>	41.52	36.01	18.25	4.23	0.00	0.00

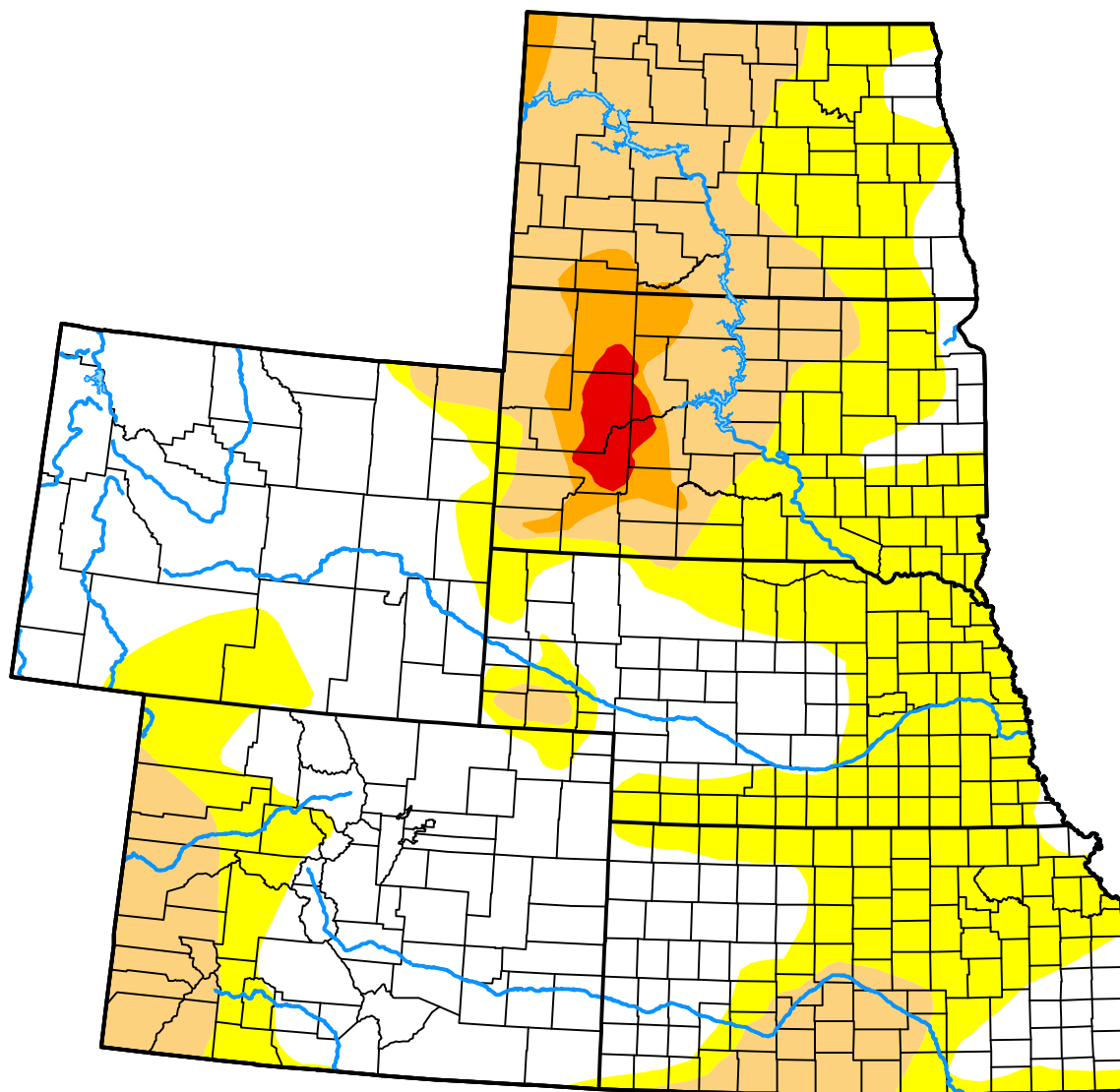
Intensity:

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

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