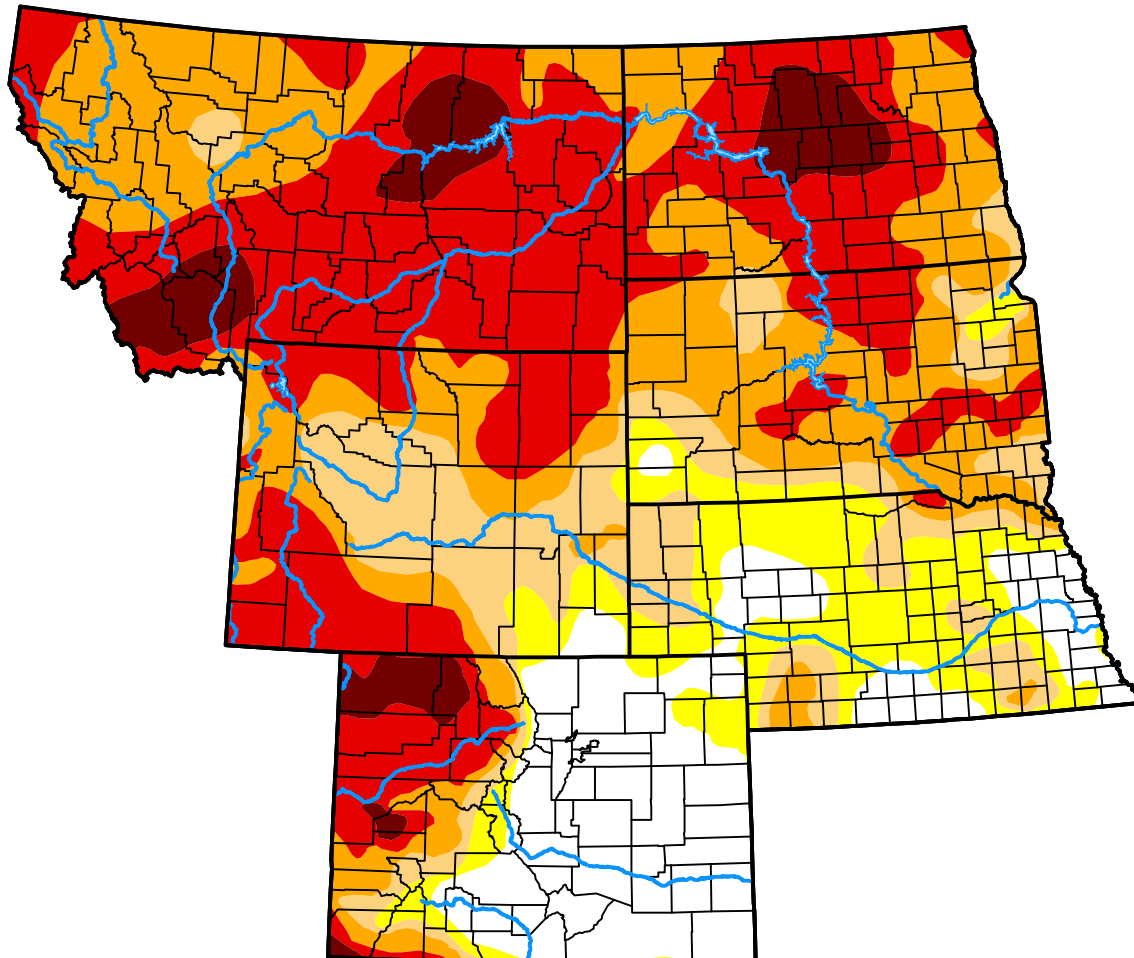


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	14.05	85.95	75.94	63.25	37.42	5.80
Last Week <i>07-27-2021</i>	14.85	85.15	75.92	58.85	31.94	5.54
3 Months Ago <i>05-04-2021</i>	11.76	88.24	68.59	41.93	23.79	2.97
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2020</i>	10.05	89.95	73.40	43.97	22.69	5.07
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2020</i>	5.73	94.27	63.07	32.88	14.25	0.48
One Year Ago <i>08-04-2020</i>	36.01	63.99	38.37	17.80	5.76	0.00

Intensity:



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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