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We study the t -spectrum of a Noetherian domain. (For a Noetherian domain a prime ideal is a t -ideal \Leftrightarrow it is divisorial \Leftrightarrow it is an associated prime of a principal ideal.) We prove that there are Noetherian domains of arbitrary t -dimension (including ∞) and that every finite poset with minimum element occurs as a saturated subset of the t -spectrum of a Noetherian domain. A corollary of this latter result is that any finite amount of non-catenary behavior can occur in the t -spectrum of a Noetherian domain. Pullbacks play a vital role in our constructions. (Received September 15, 2008)