

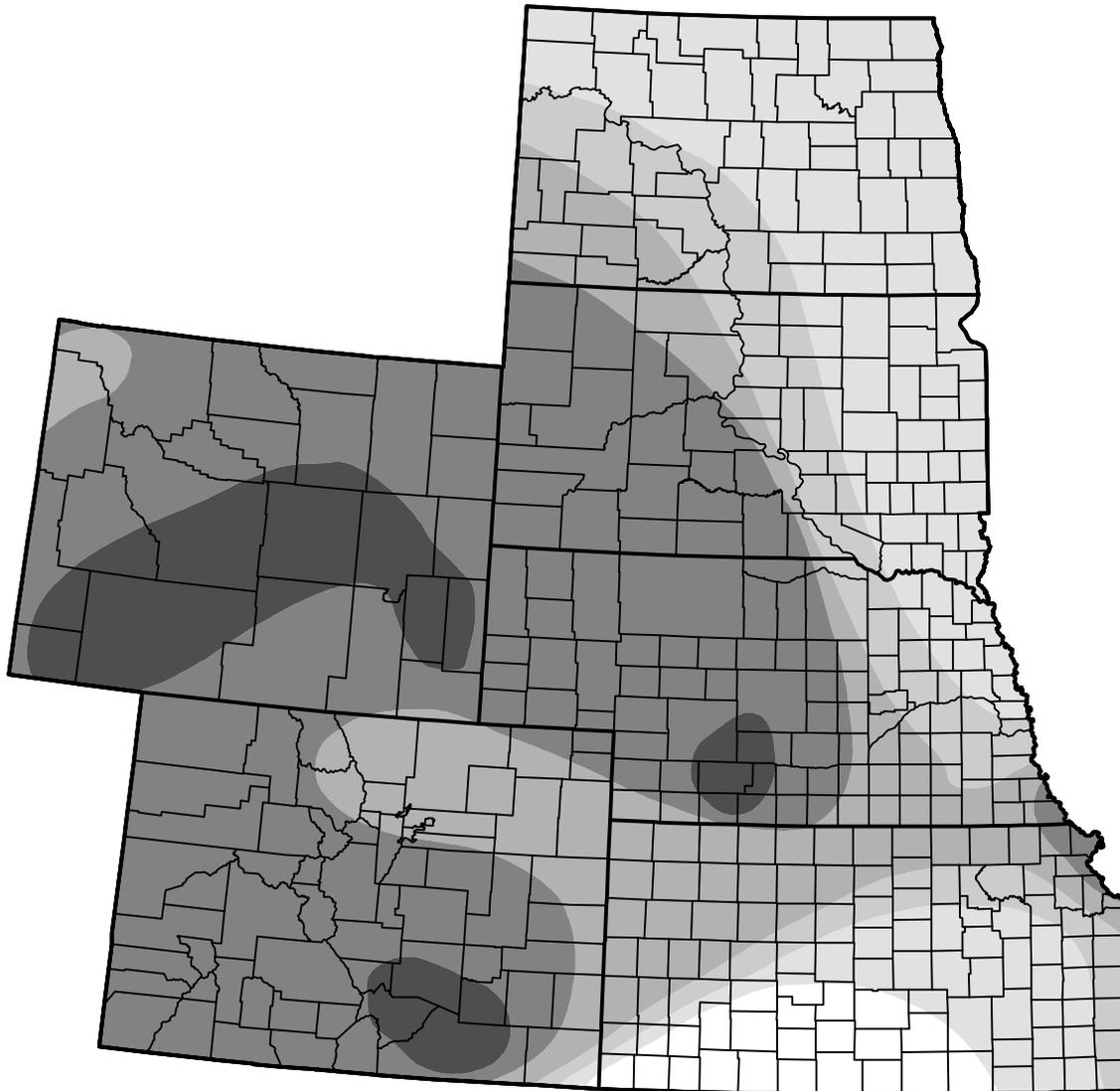
U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

February 18, 2003
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	3.68	19.68	9.43	16.34	41.75	9.12
Last Week <i>02-11-2003</i>	3.61	16.12	11.51	17.97	41.53	9.27
3 Months Ago <i>11-19-2002</i>	17.47	10.77	9.58	19.65	38.41	4.13
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	11.41	11.95	9.99	20.96	40.89	4.79
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	16.41	10.23	8.24	16.00	37.64	11.49
One Year Ago <i>02-19-2002</i>	18.89	37.79	30.24	8.43	4.65	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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