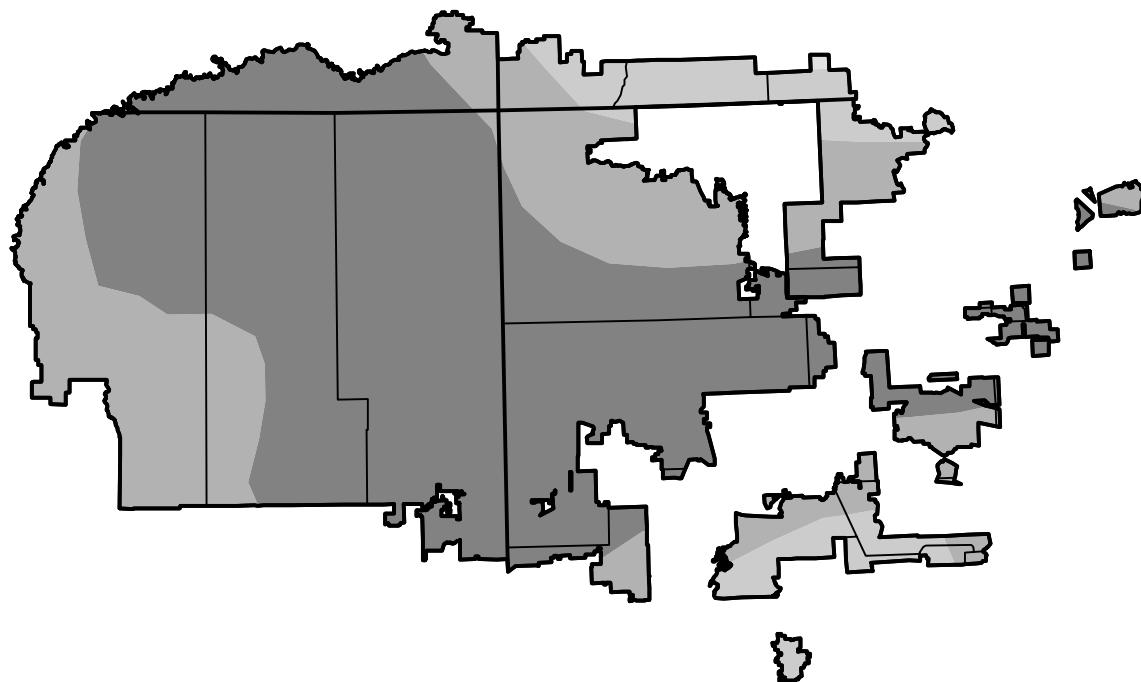


U.S. Drought Monitor

4 Corners

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	99.91	92.59	64.45	0.00
Last Week <i>12-07-2004</i>	0.00	100.00	99.97	92.56	64.45	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-14-2004</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	94.96	66.48	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	87.65	7.72
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	0.00	100.00	99.98	94.96	62.20	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-16-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	74.59	8.25

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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