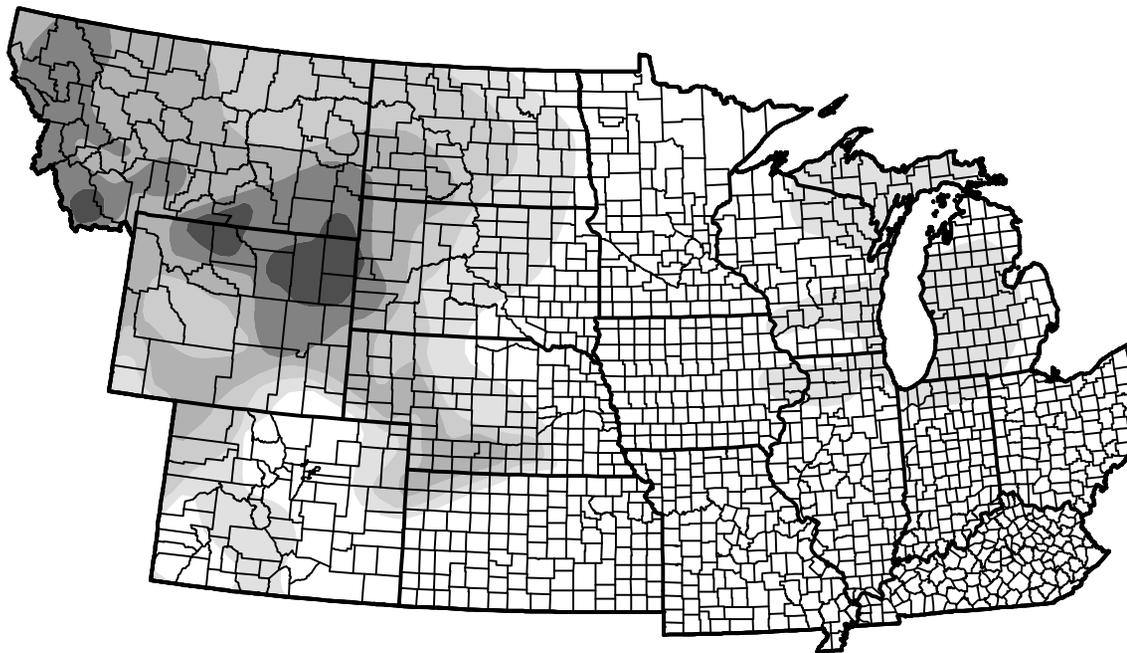


# U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	53.55	15.71	10.30	12.06	6.48	1.89
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-19-2005</i>	52.37	17.20	8.74	11.17	7.26	3.26
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-25-2005</i>	51.87	17.61	12.18	10.61	6.12	1.60
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	53.66	16.43	11.71	11.31	5.27	1.62
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	50.74	18.13	11.63	11.46	6.38	1.66
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-27-2004</i>	34.17	13.78	18.61	20.40	12.08	0.96



### 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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