

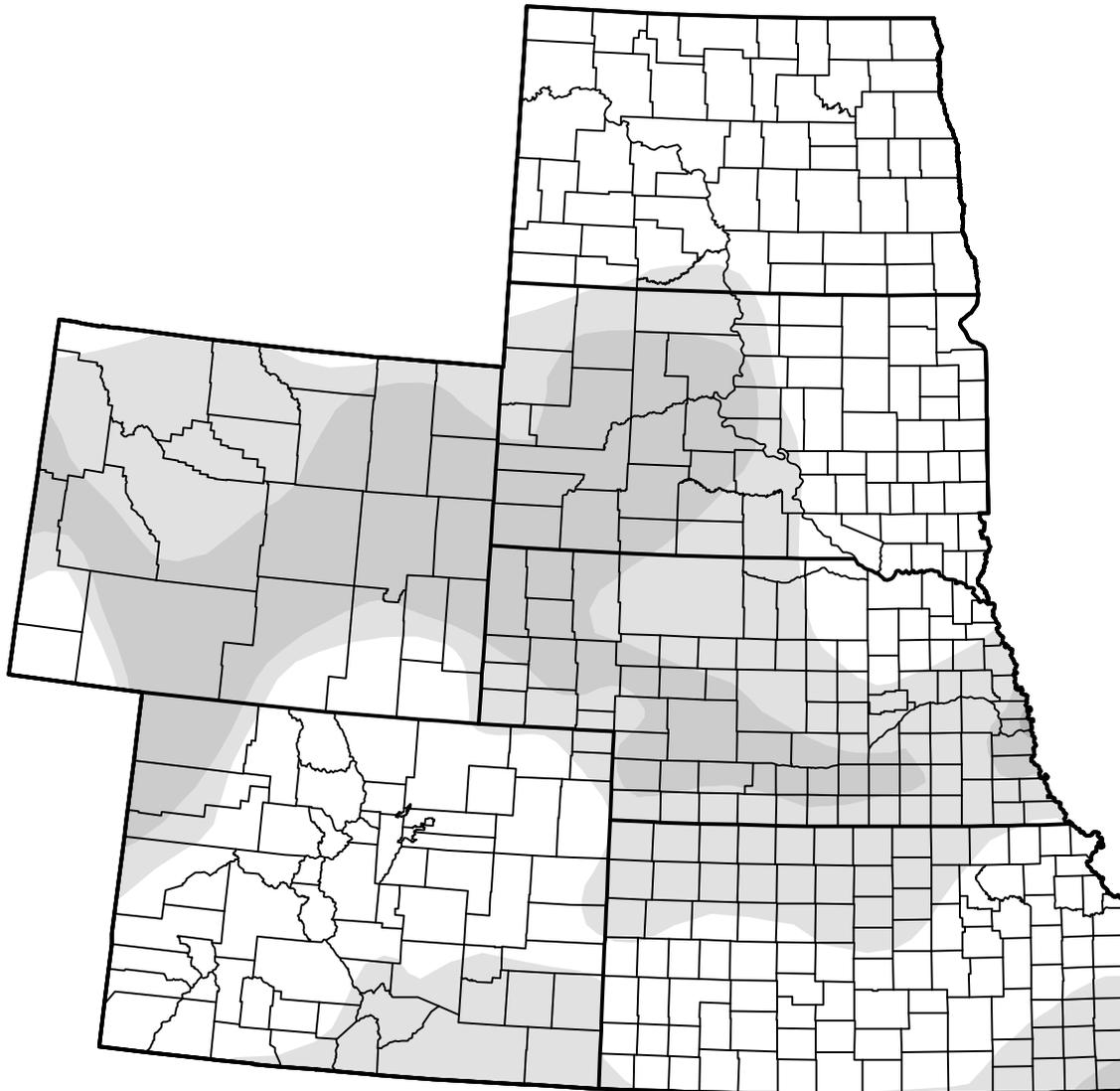
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

**December 13, 2005**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 15, 2005)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	49.29	29.75	20.93	0.03	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-06-2005</i>	50.16	28.31	21.49	0.03	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-13-2005</i>	47.43	25.92	18.18	8.47	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	32.03	21.35	20.60	19.26	5.27	1.49
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2005</i>	47.32	26.40	19.50	6.78	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-14-2004</i>	33.85	19.88	22.13	18.28	4.40	1.47



### 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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