

# U.S. Drought Monitor

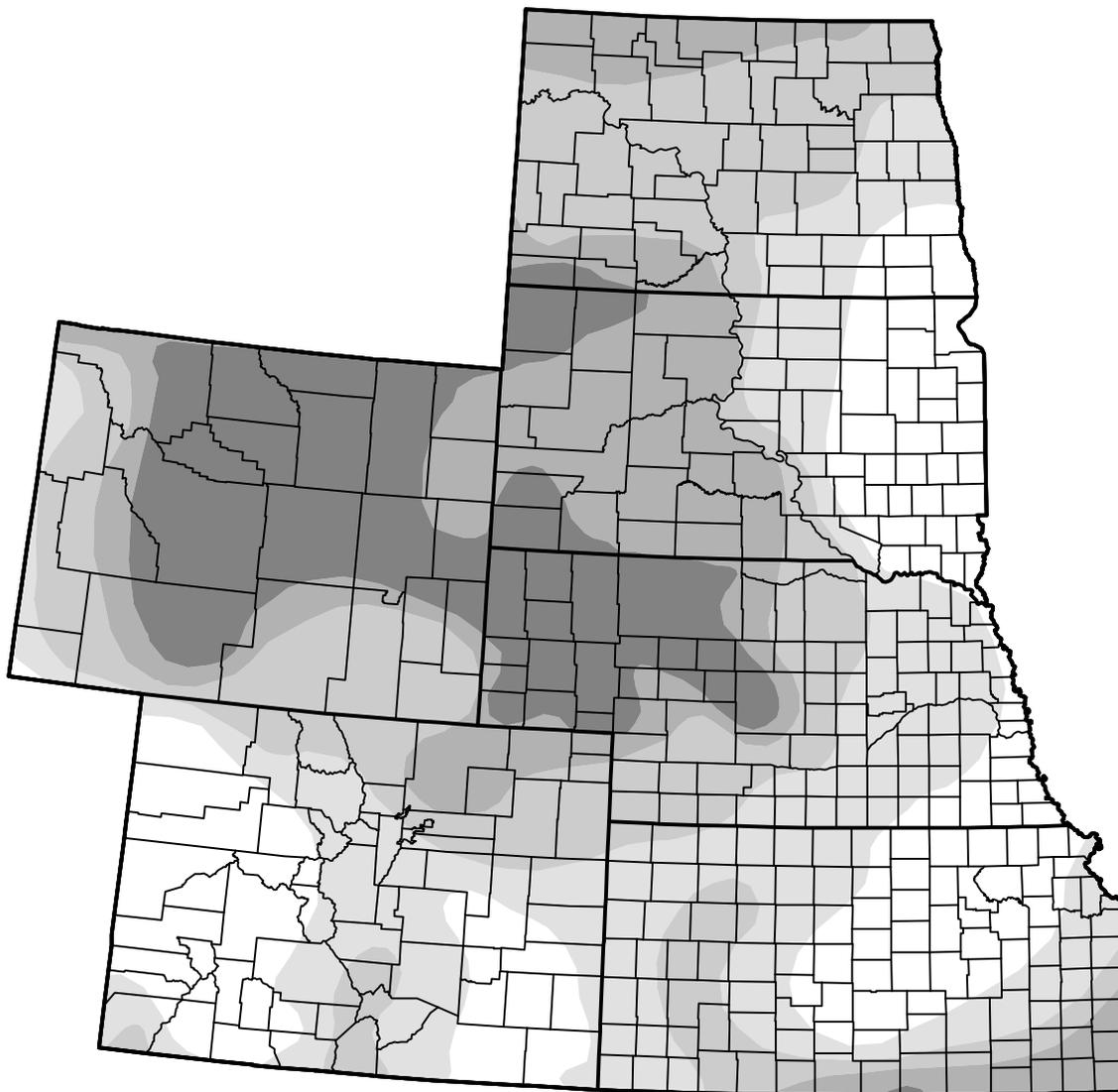
## High Plains

**October 31, 2006**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	20.60	79.40	56.89	33.44	16.29	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-24-2006</i>	15.61	84.39	59.48	35.04	16.29	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-01-2006</i>	0.82	99.18	86.83	56.98	18.67	3.50
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2006</i>	46.85	53.15	20.48	0.20	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2006</i>	9.61	90.39	60.10	32.67	16.02	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-01-2005</i>	47.69	52.31	21.90	0.00	0.00	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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