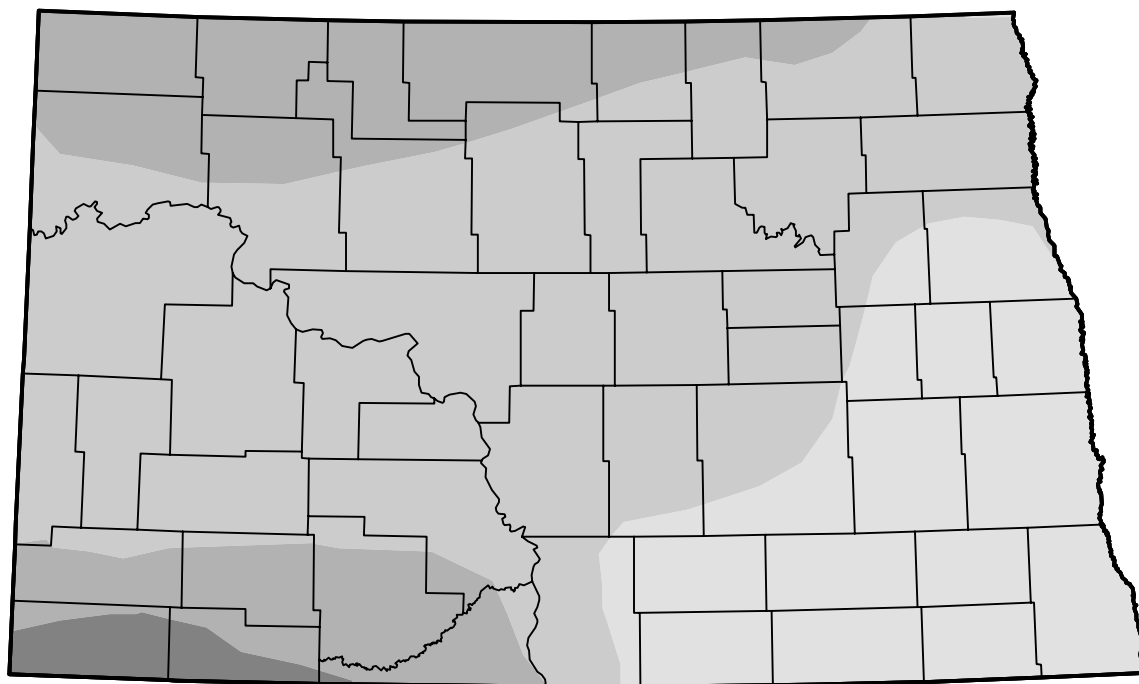


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	22.64	55.17	20.07	2.13	0.00
Last Week <i>11-30-2006</i>	0.00	24.05	54.21	19.81	1.93	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-07-2006</i>	0.00	3.82	64.08	28.02	4.08	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	92.93	7.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	7.11	18.60	44.04	27.54	2.71	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-08-2005</i>	97.72	2.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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