

# U.S. Drought Monitor

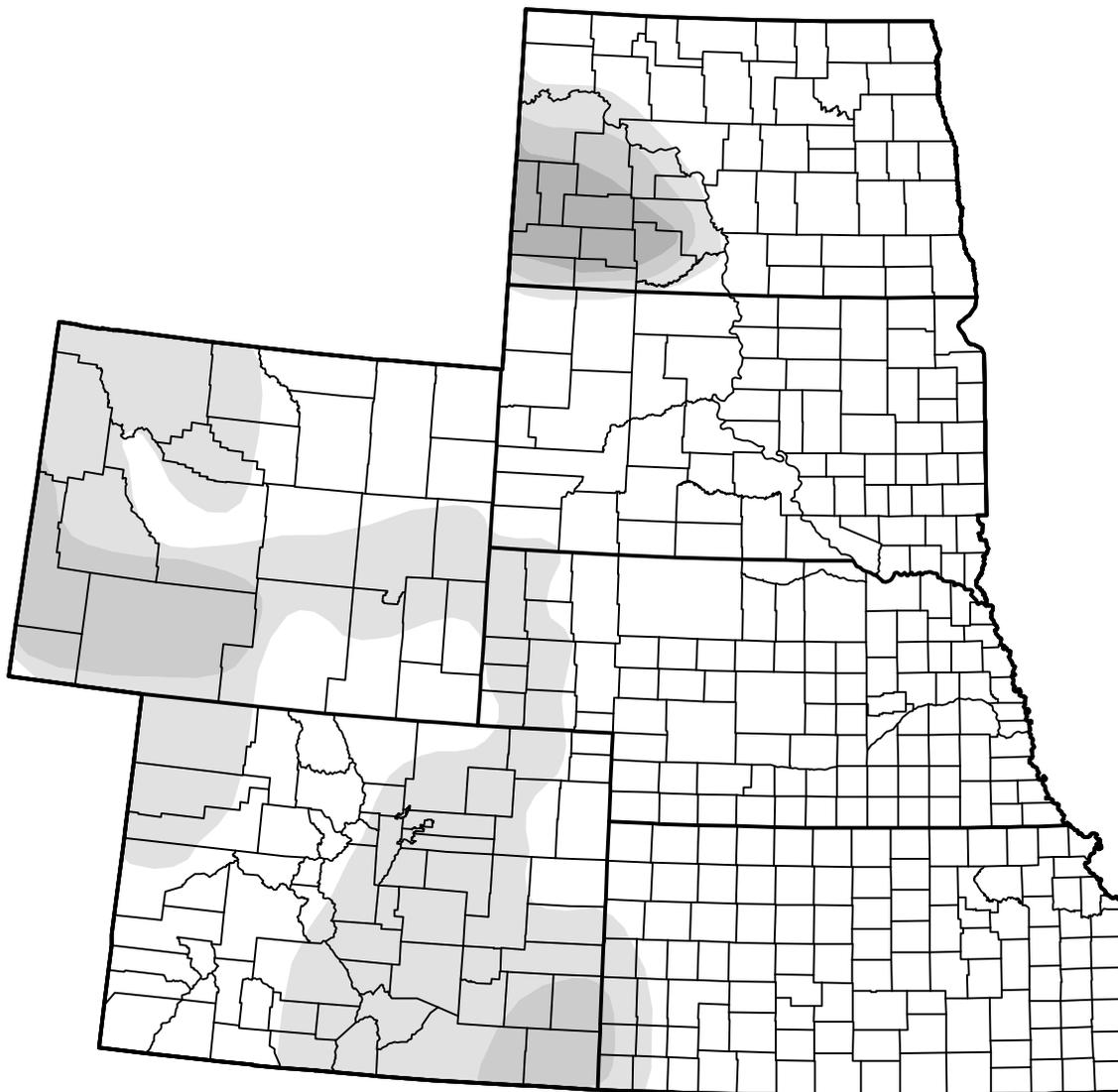
## High Plains

**October 28, 2008**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	70.31	22.13	5.91	1.64	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-21-2008</i>	69.87	22.53	5.95	1.65	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-29-2008</i>	50.51	26.46	11.19	5.03	6.68	0.14
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	46.84	23.72	17.63	11.55	0.26	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2008</i>	60.81	26.63	9.02	1.91	1.64	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-30-2007</i>	58.06	16.91	14.56	10.17	0.30	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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