

U.S. Drought Monitor

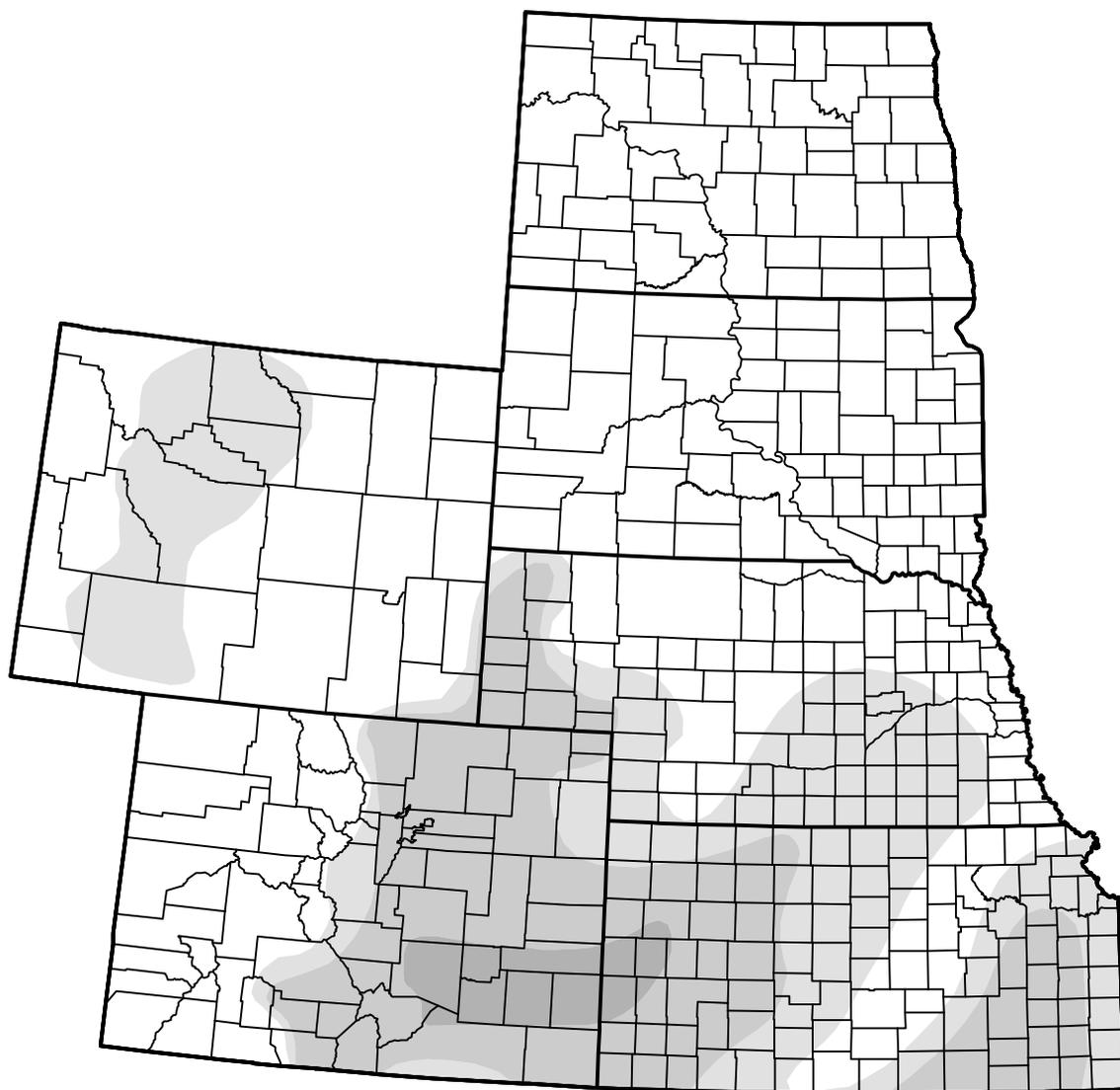
High Plains

February 15, 2011
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 62.25 | 18.82 | 16.54 | 2.39 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>02-08-2011</i> | 62.25 | 18.82 | 16.29 | 2.63 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>11-16-2010</i> | 62.52 | 24.77 | 12.71 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i> | 60.48 | 23.03 | 13.85 | 2.63 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i> | 65.06 | 31.21 | 3.73 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>02-16-2010</i> | 79.27 | 16.28 | 4.45 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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