

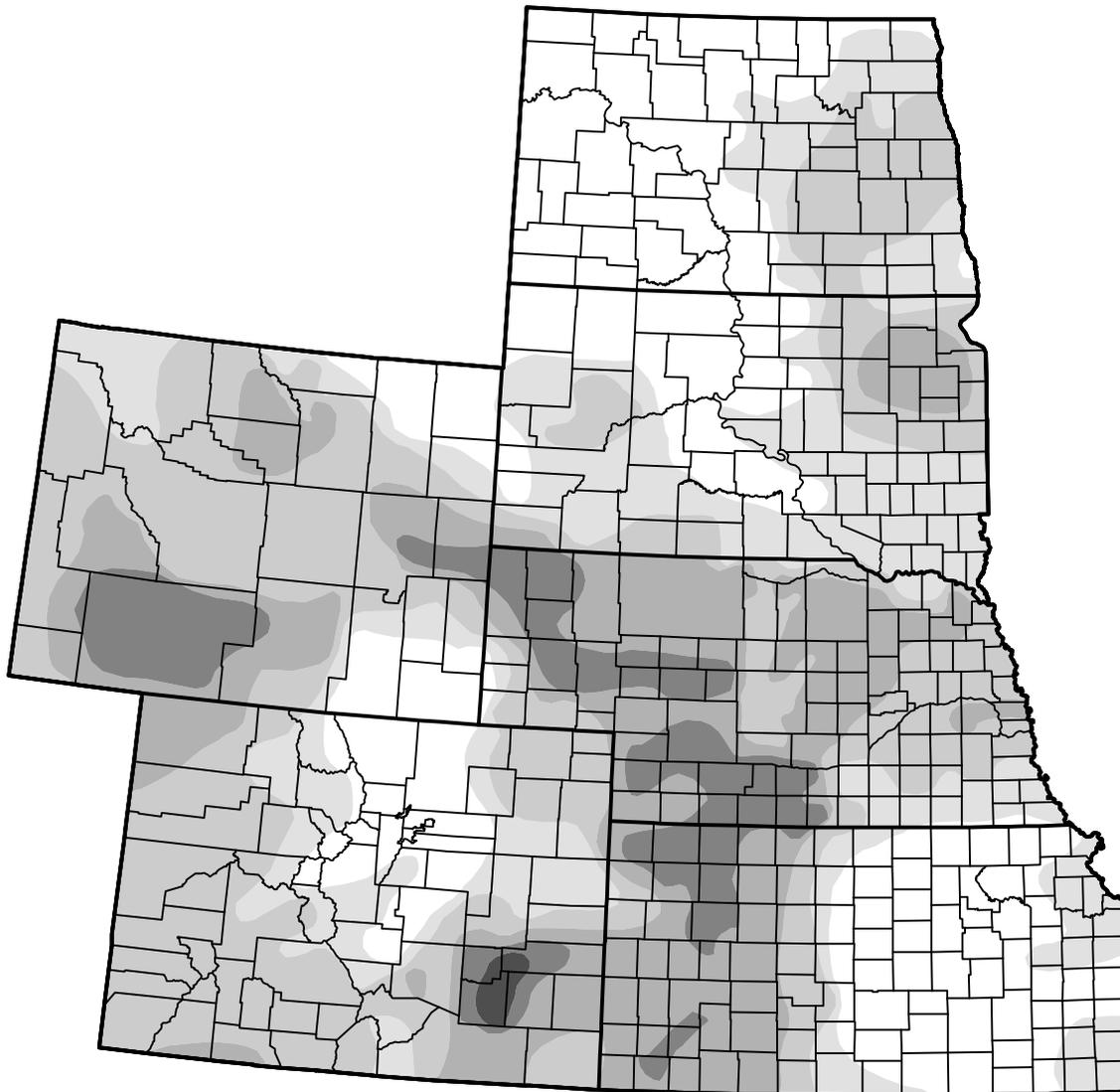
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

**September 17, 2013**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 19, 2013)  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	25.94	19.78	29.08	17.72	7.17	0.30
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-10-2013</i>	21.79	15.94	24.14	22.50	13.47	2.16
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-18-2013</i>	20.55	9.69	24.29	24.19	13.24	8.03
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	1.54	5.45	6.81	25.95	33.26	26.99
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	0.00	1.09	15.11	22.53	36.92	24.35
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-18-2012</i>	0.00	2.72	14.47	22.18	36.92	23.71



***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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