

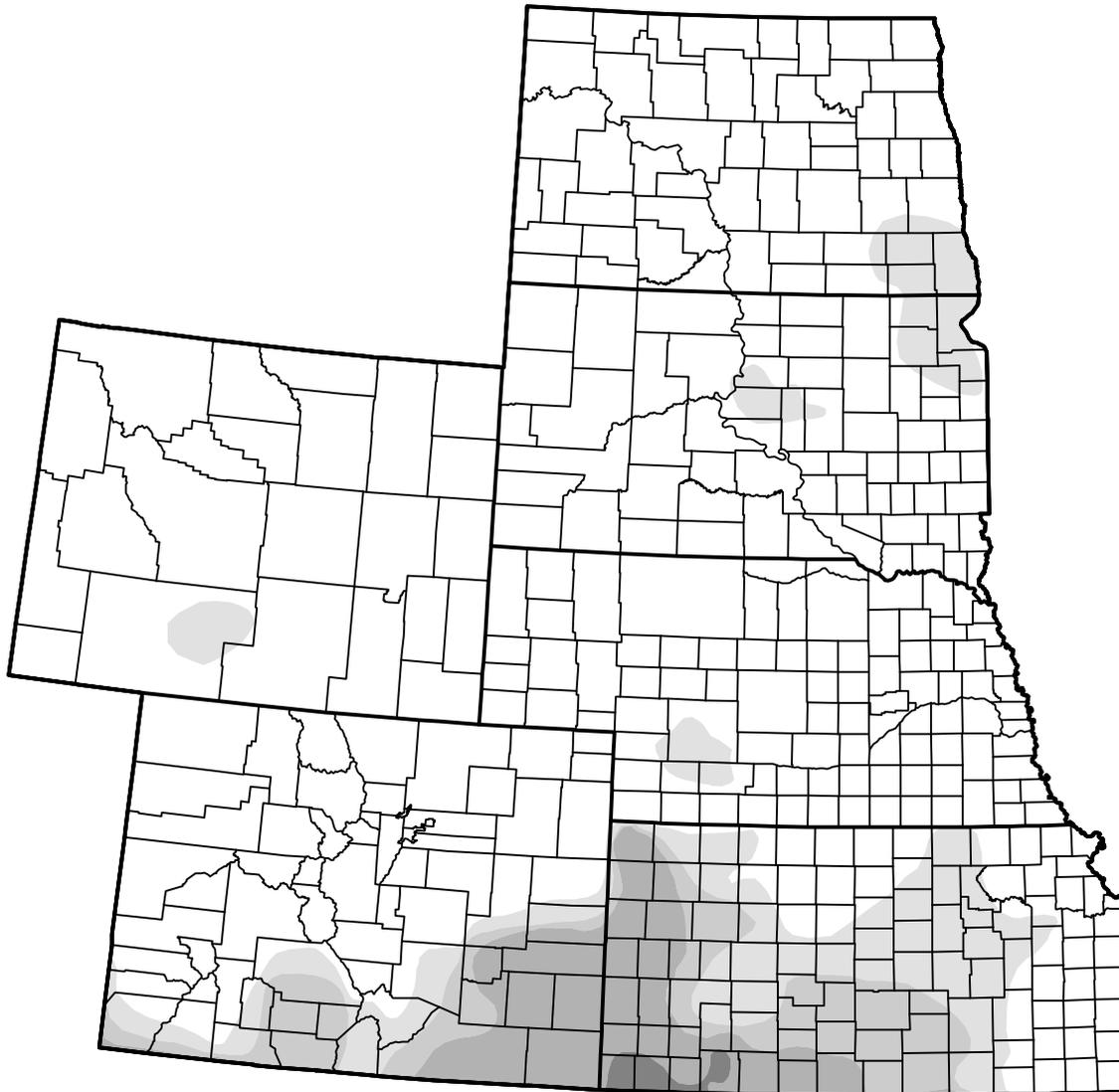
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## High Plains

**October 21, 2014**  
 (Released Thursday, Oct. 23, 2014)  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	80.15	19.85	10.41	5.65	0.36	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-14-2014</i>	80.03	19.97	10.41	5.65	0.36	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-22-2014</i>	68.33	31.67	20.89	8.60	2.21	0.19
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	45.79	54.21	20.60	12.28	2.44	0.30
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2014</i>	78.99	21.01	12.14	5.98	0.86	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-22-2013</i>	47.57	52.43	22.40	11.80	2.05	0.30



***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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