

# U.S. Drought Monitor

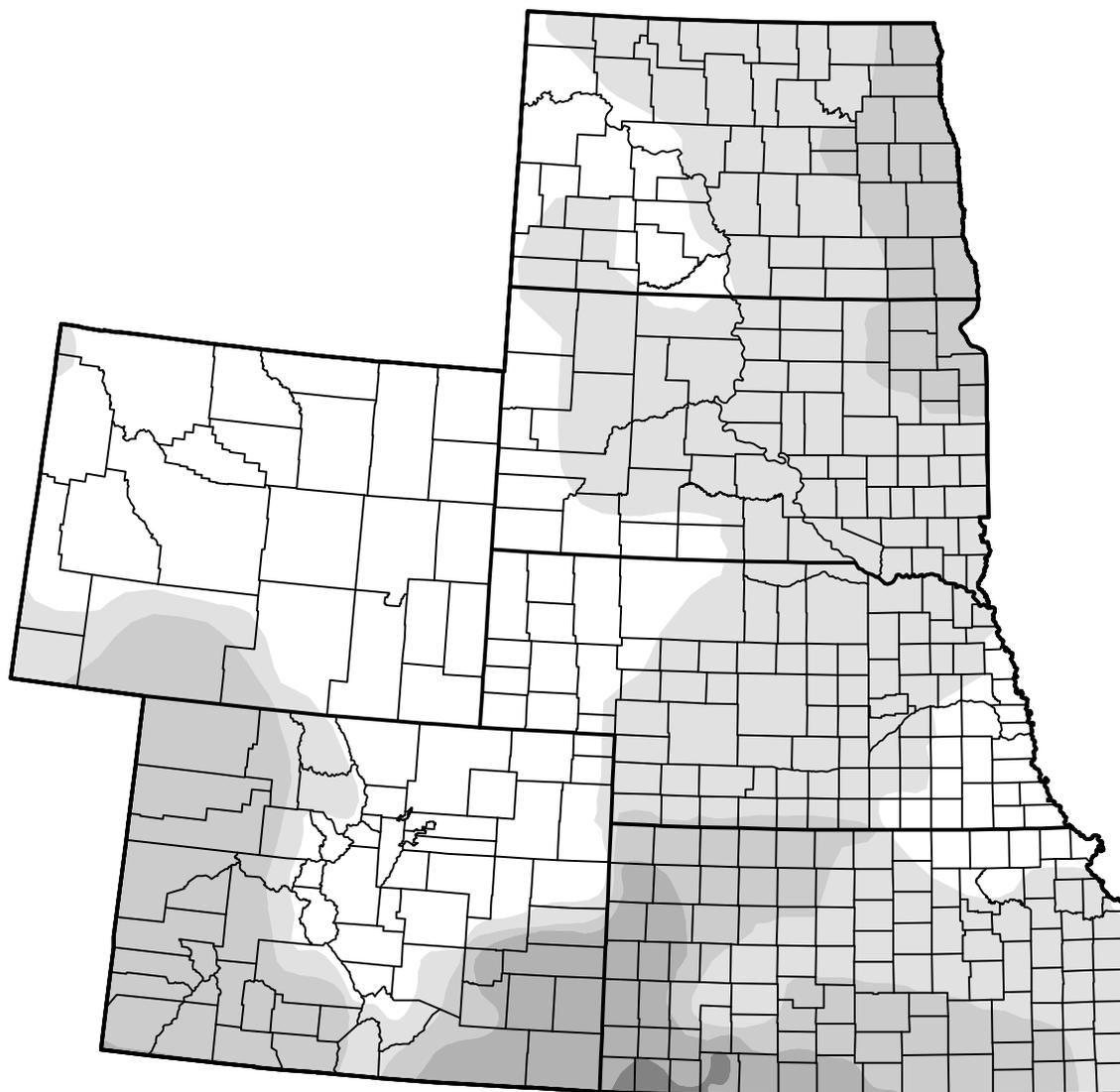
## High Plains

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	36.64	63.36	25.26	5.52	0.30	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-10-2015</i>	45.43	54.57	21.13	5.51	0.30	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-16-2014</i>	61.11	38.89	11.28	5.46	0.36	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	59.44	40.56	11.28	5.46	0.36	0.00
<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>03-18-2014</i>	53.06	46.94	27.87	14.42	4.09	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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