

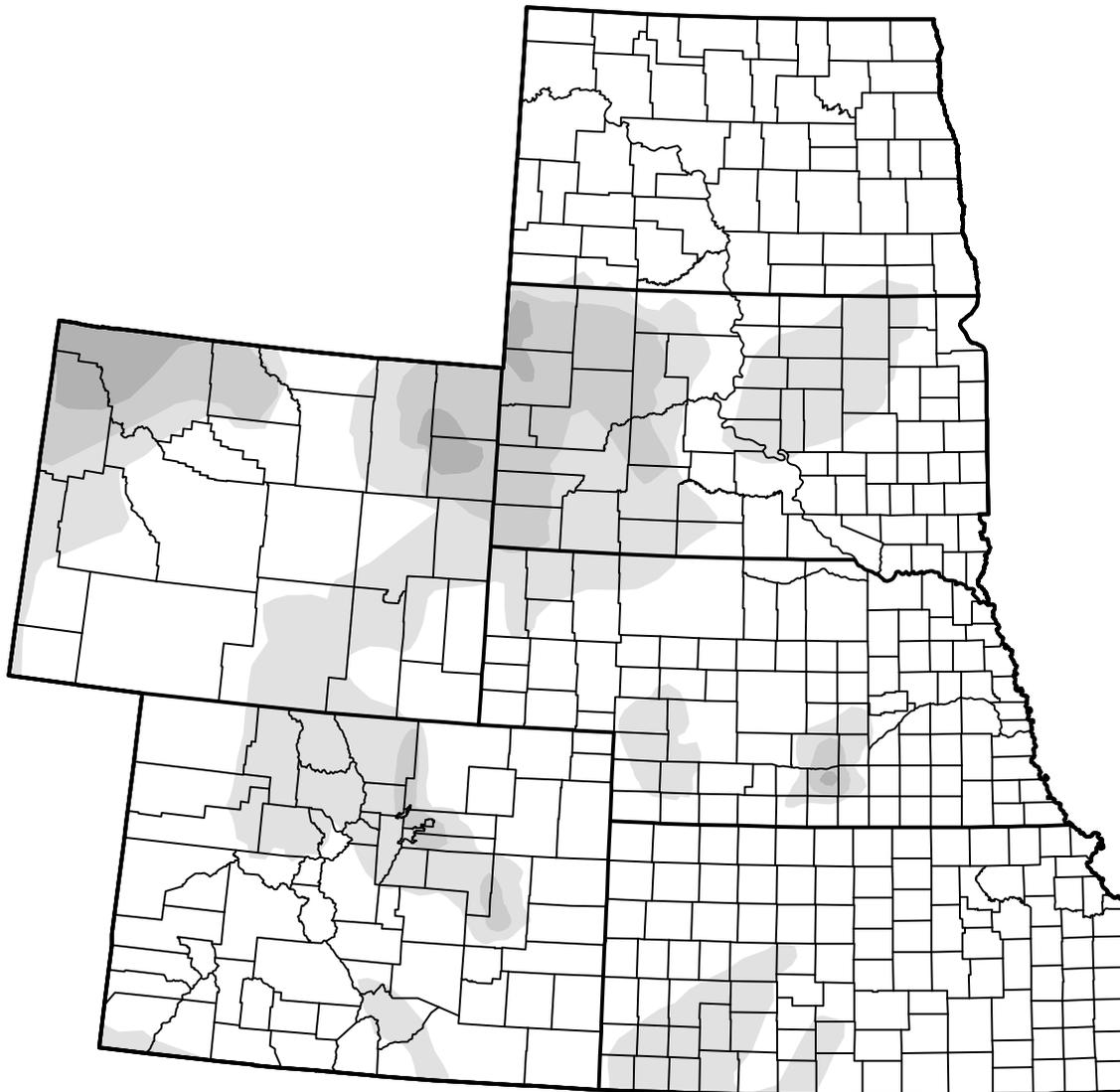
U.S. Drought Monitor

High Plains

October 4, 2016
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 73.07 | 26.93 | 7.78 | 1.51 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>09-27-2016</i> | 70.86 | 29.14 | 8.66 | 2.68 | 0.17 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>07-05-2016</i> | 75.94 | 24.06 | 9.30 | 1.83 | 0.28 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i> | 78.82 | 21.18 | 1.58 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i> | 70.86 | 29.14 | 8.66 | 2.68 | 0.17 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>10-06-2015</i> | 73.41 | 26.59 | 0.82 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 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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