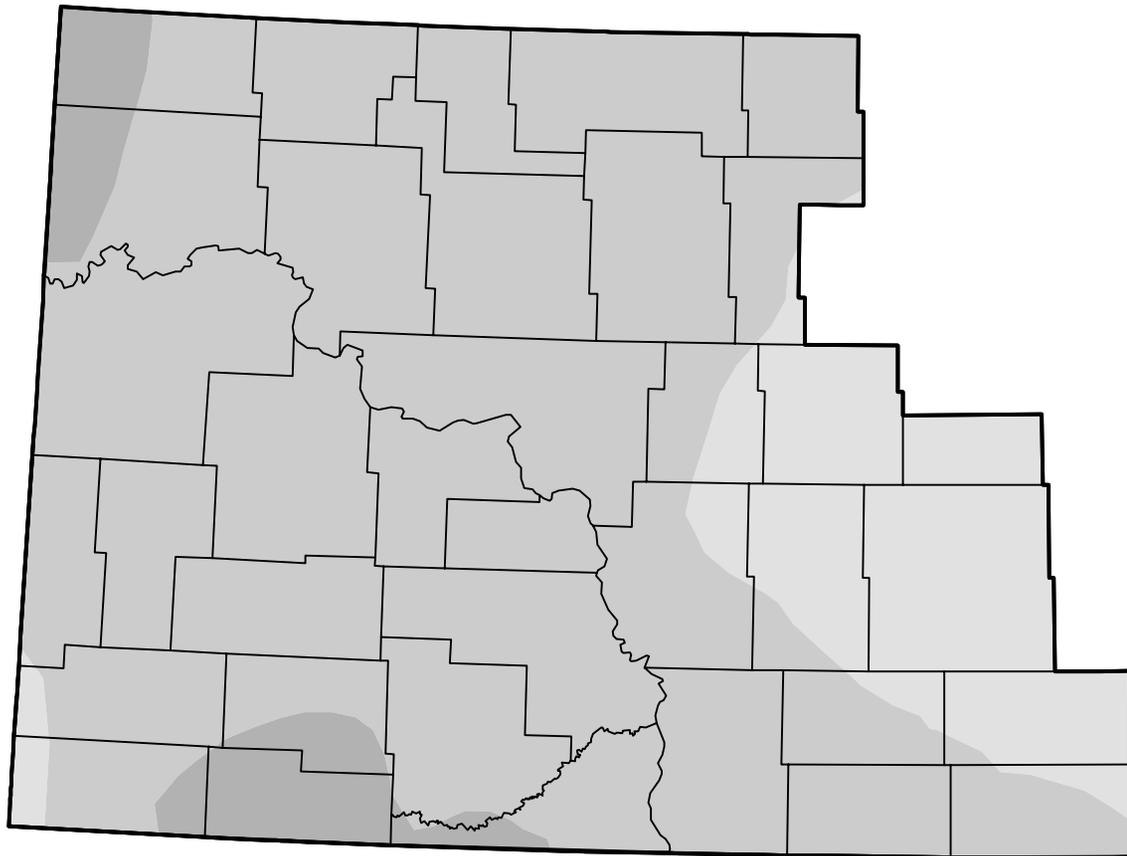


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Bismarck, ND WFO

**February 13, 2018**  
 (Released Thursday, Feb. 15, 2018)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	100.00	84.00	6.09	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-08-2018</i>	0.00	100.00	81.47	6.09	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-16-2017</i>	3.17	96.83	50.91	4.35	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2018</i>	0.00	100.00	83.18	6.17	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2017</i>	0.73	99.27	86.74	32.46	4.64	0.57
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-16-2017</i>	91.45	8.55	0.00	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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