

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub

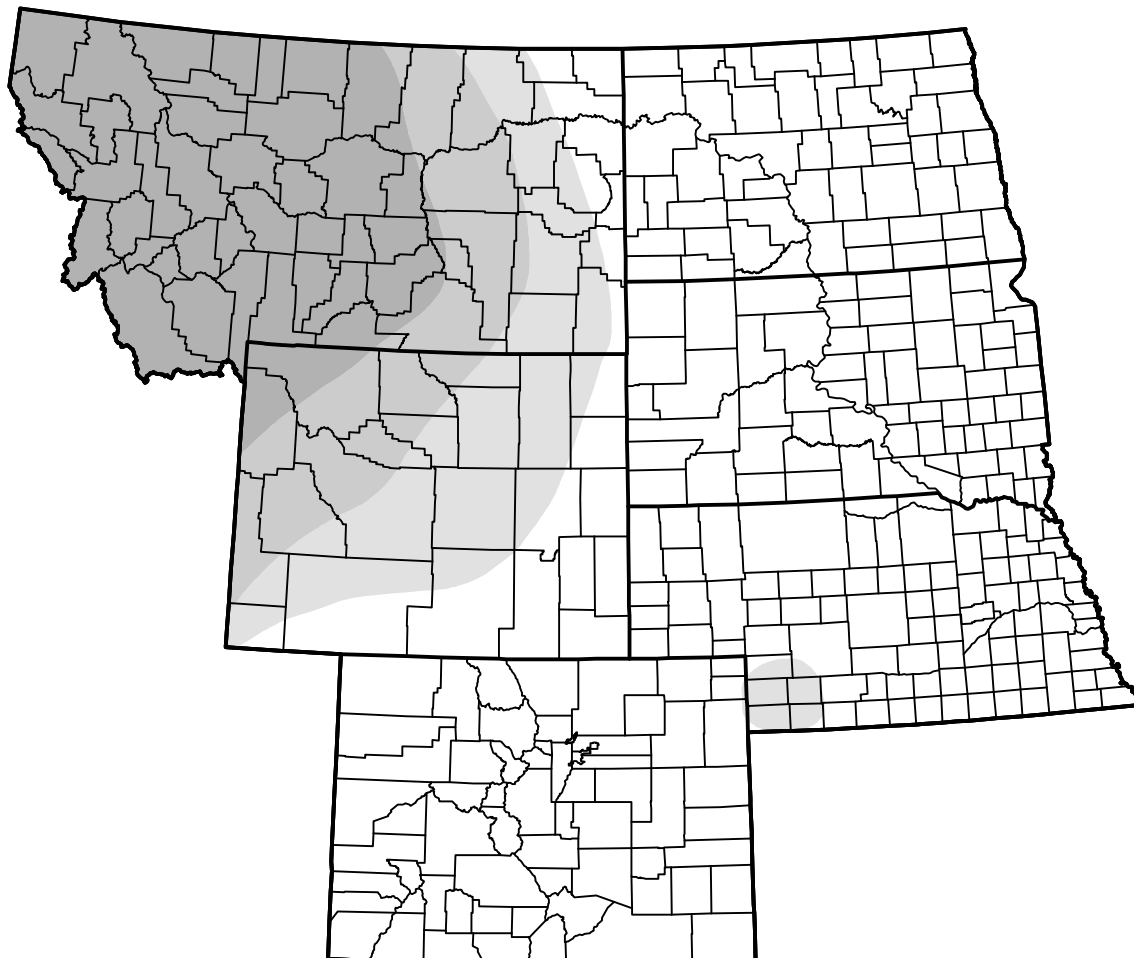
**May 8, 2001**

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	64.16	10.42	7.83	17.58	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-01-2001</i>	63.58	11.00	7.83	17.58	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-06-2001</i>	53.25	31.65	9.08	6.02	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	57.35	27.03	8.53	6.68	0.40	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2000</i>	27.60	36.32	14.43	18.71	2.94	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-09-2000</i>	56.69	32.65	4.95	5.71	0.00	0.00



***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

*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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