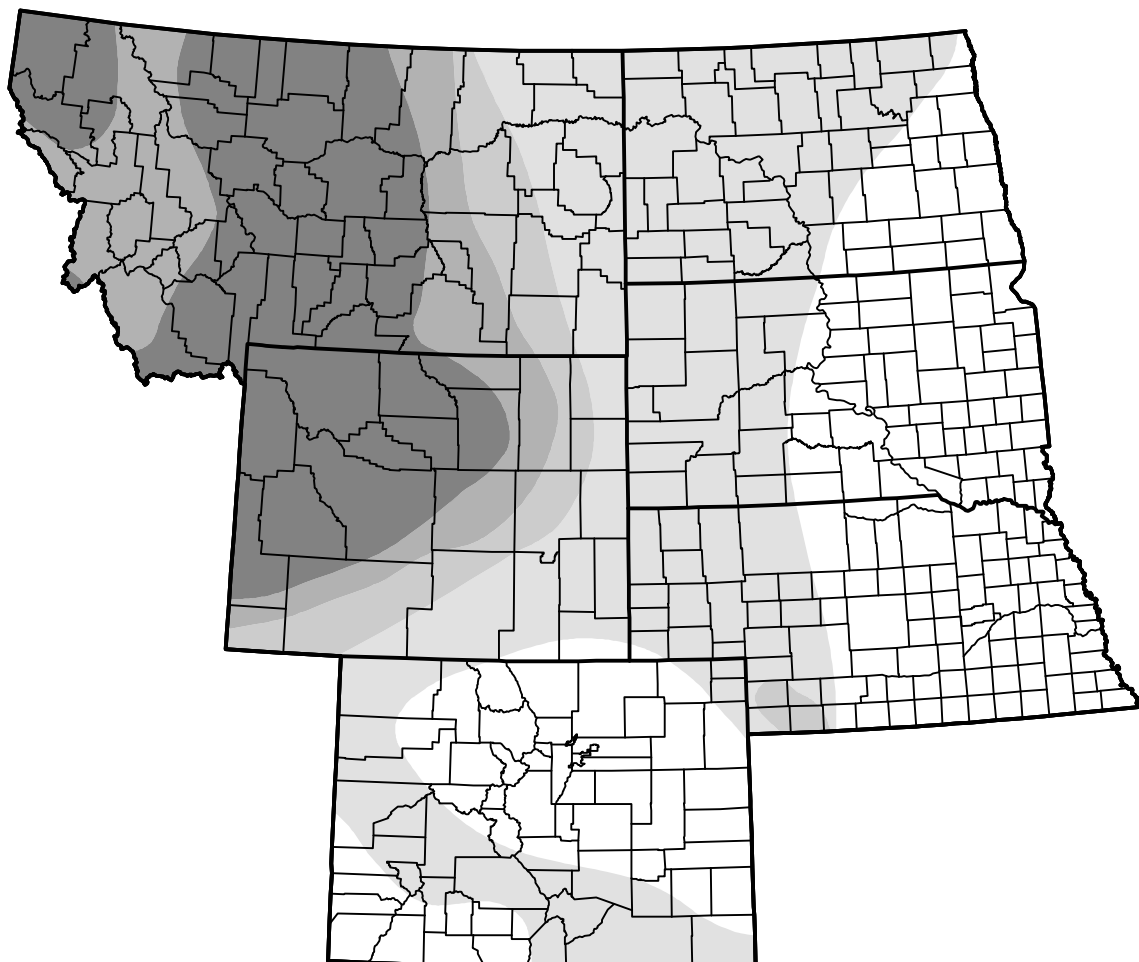


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	32.19	33.30	5.52	9.45	19.53	0.00
Last Week <i>10-16-2001</i>	38.16	27.34	5.52	9.45	19.53	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-24-2001</i>	61.09	10.36	11.86	13.37	3.31	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	57.35	27.03	8.53	6.68	0.40	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	46.53	19.62	4.86	12.80	16.18	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-24-2000</i>	13.60	40.44	26.64	16.30	3.03	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate 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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