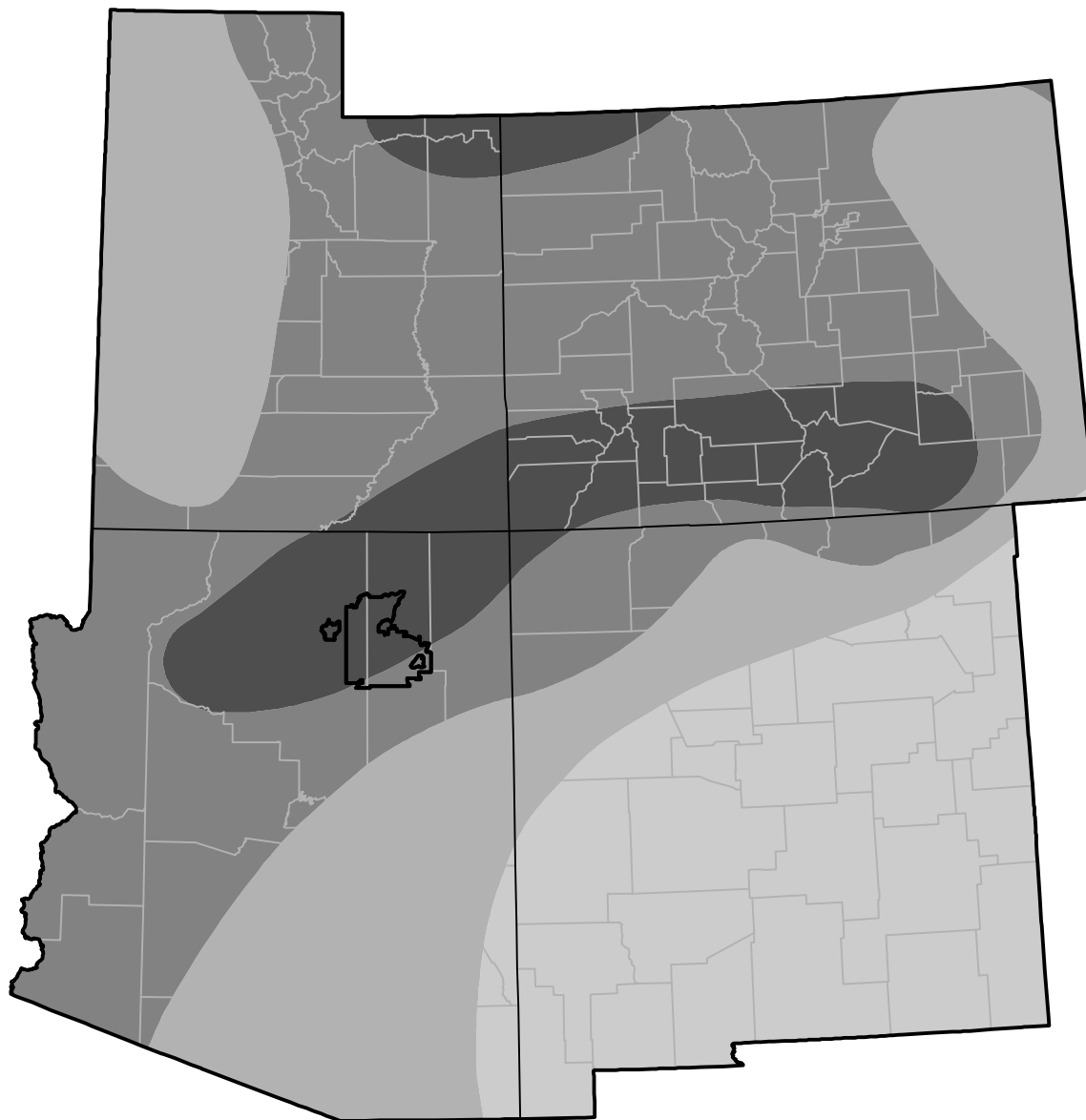


Opportunity RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	100.00	78.17	50.90	12.52
Last Week <i>09-26-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	80.21	52.90	14.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-03-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	99.87	94.81	76.17	28.93
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	42.74	57.26	25.00	4.63	0.48	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	78.17	50.90	12.52
One Year Ago <i>10-04-2001</i>	60.84	39.16	15.34	4.33	0.95	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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