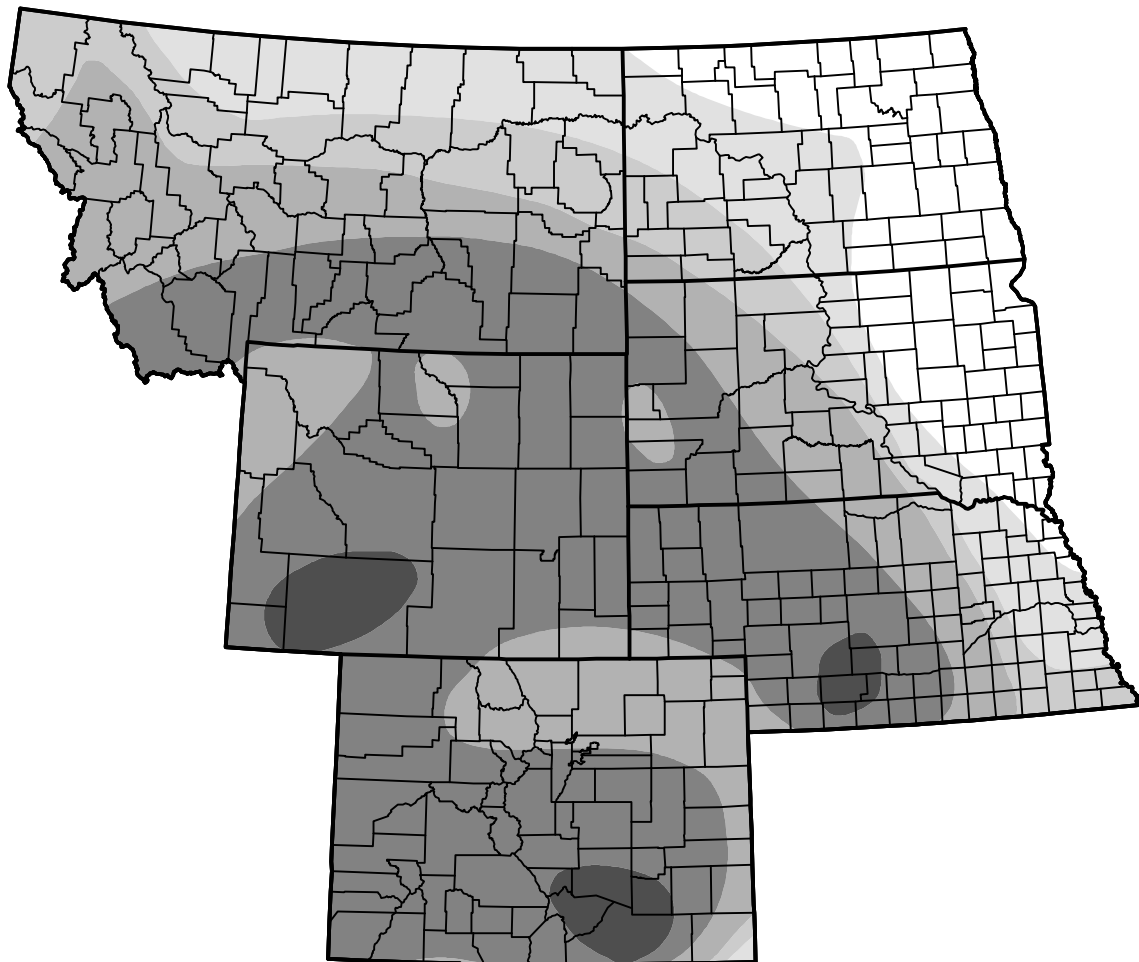


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	11.37	12.24	10.20	21.61	41.06	3.52
Last Week <i>11-19-2002</i>	10.95	12.75	10.36	21.23	41.04	3.66
3 Months Ago <i>08-27-2002</i>	14.85	9.67	11.16	8.88	37.58	17.86
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	29.07	26.52	12.36	14.72	17.34	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	14.70	14.42	11.03	13.66	36.71	9.48
One Year Ago <i>11-27-2001</i>	29.69	34.87	6.42	9.49	19.53	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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