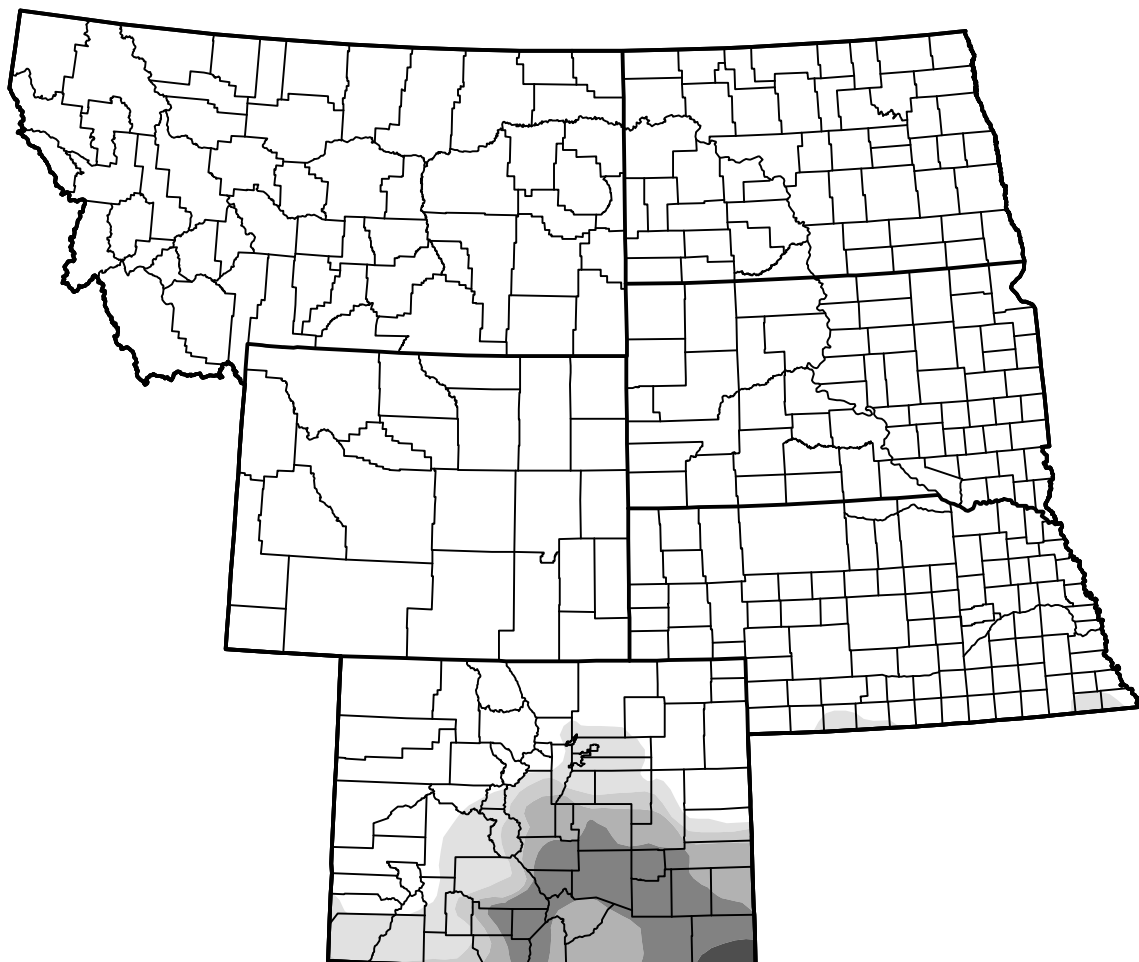


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	90.64	9.36	6.23	5.24	3.02	0.17
Last Week <i>06-21-2011</i>	92.48	7.52	5.72	4.69	2.17	0.17
3 Months Ago <i>03-29-2011</i>	78.91	21.09	10.07	7.20	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	76.75	23.25	10.51	1.84	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	71.39	28.61	3.31	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>06-29-2010</i>	86.86	13.14	5.20	1.09	0.00	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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