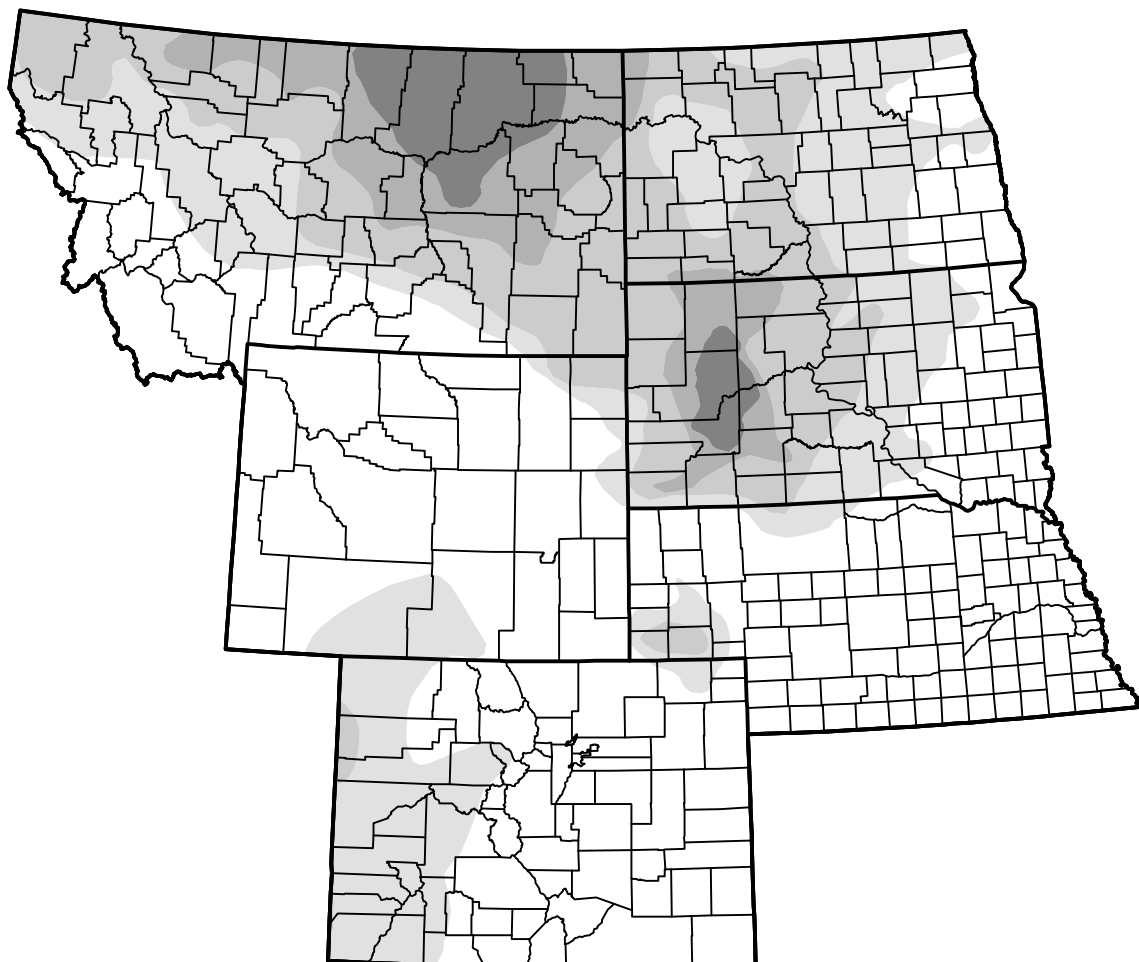


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	52.05	21.18	16.13	6.69	3.94	0.00
Last Week 10-31-2017	49.31	19.83	17.34	8.91	4.61	0.00
3 Months Ago 08-08-2017	35.80	24.59	13.42	13.75	8.46	3.98
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	61.47	22.58	14.48	1.47	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2017	42.89	17.77	14.27	12.95	7.58	4.54
One Year Ago 11-08-2016	55.60	31.39	12.44	0.58	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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