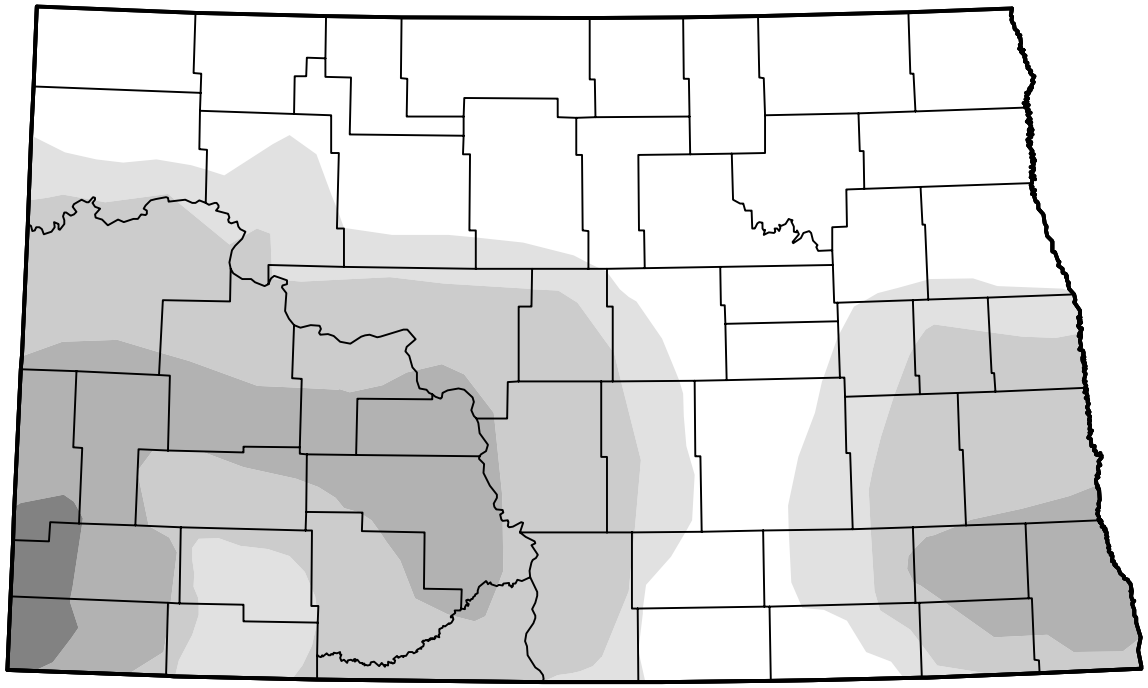
U.S. Drought Monitor

North Dakota



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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	40.35	59.65	44.94	17.08	1.51	0.00
Last Week *10-27-2026*	28.79	71.21	52.48	31.01	6.40	0.00
3 Months Ago *08-04-2026*	7.26	92.74	56.42	23.15	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	98.04	1.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	28.79	71.21	58.45	33.50	7.54	0.00
One Year Ago *11-04-2025*	97.13	2.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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