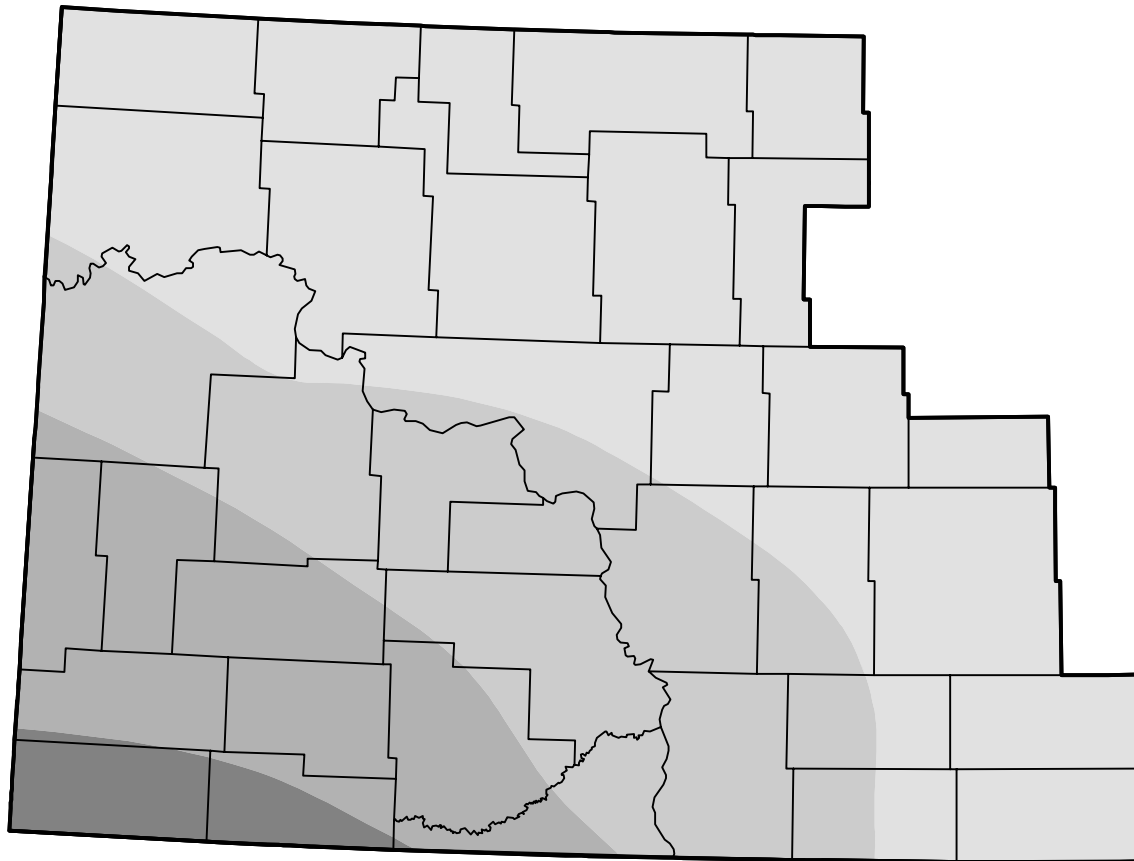


U.S. Drought Monitor

Bismarck, ND WFO

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	52.88	27.18	16.24	3.69	0.00
Last Week <i>01-02-2003</i>	0.36	54.21	26.57	16.23	2.63	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-10-2002</i>	31.85	38.74	25.07	4.34	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	0.36	54.21	26.57	16.23	2.63	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	65.87	28.71	5.27	0.16	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-10-2002</i>	17.36	53.97	28.67	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



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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