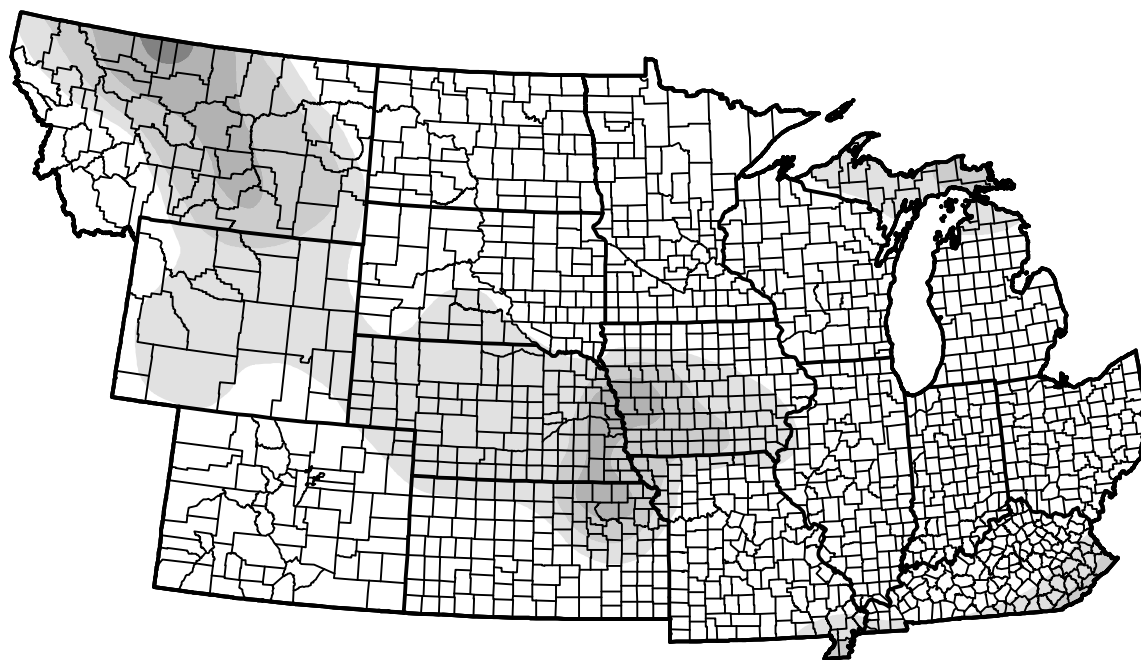


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	67.80	32.20	11.66	4.04	0.21	0.00
Last Week <i>12-12-2000</i>	64.10	35.90	13.06	4.09	0.21	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-19-2000</i>	44.66	55.34	30.73	16.08	1.92	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2000</i>	44.93	55.07	23.14	5.80	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	46.74	53.26	25.87	14.28	1.47	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-01-1900</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-

Intensity:

	None		D2 Severe Drought
	D0 Abnormally Dry		D3 Extreme Drought
	D1 Moderate Drought		D4 Exceptional Drought

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