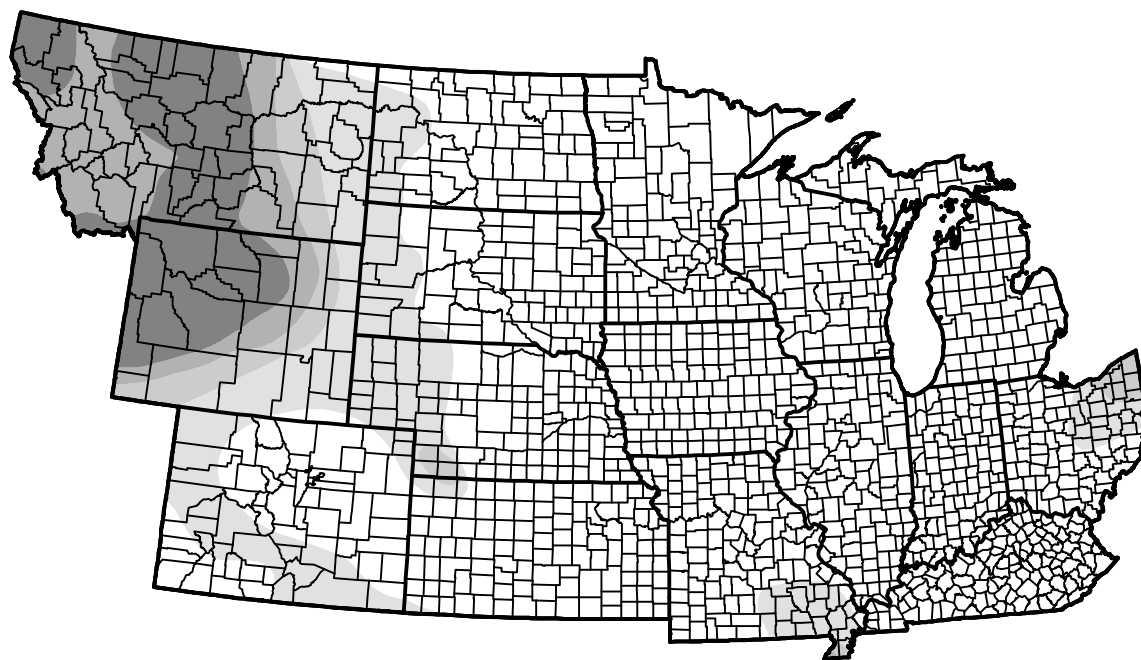


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	68.67	31.33	17.57	14.42	8.77	0.00
Last Week <i>09-25-2001</i>	69.85	30.15	17.46	14.66	8.04	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-03-2001</i>	66.78	33.22	18.00	9.91	1.34	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	71.01	28.99	10.69	4.33	0.20	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	69.85	30.15	17.46	14.66	8.04	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-03-2000</i>	45.65	54.35	28.88	15.94	1.72	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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