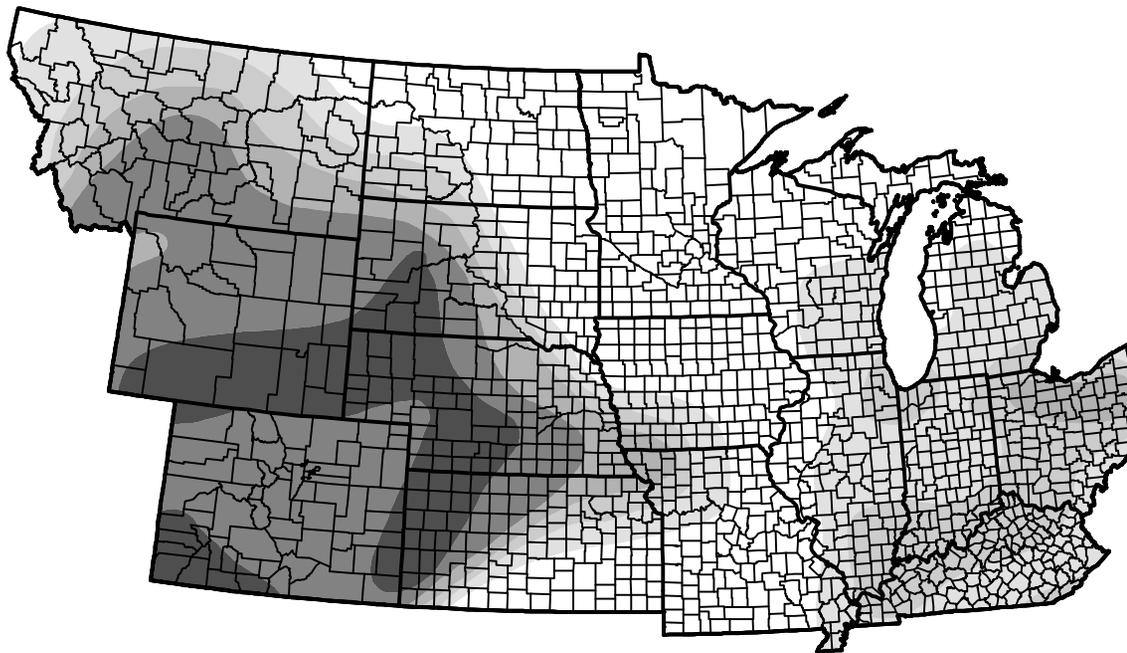


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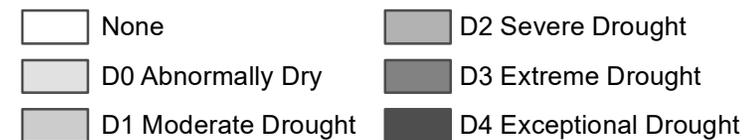
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	31.91	68.09	50.67	37.93	30.55	10.34
Last Week <i>08-06-2002</i>	28.65	71.35	51.63	40.31	31.51	10.41
3 Months Ago <i>05-14-2002</i>	50.29	49.71	38.27	30.00	19.21	1.68
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	56.84	43.16	25.30	15.98	8.62	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>08-14-2001</i>	61.91	38.09	17.94	10.37	2.50	0.00



Intensity:



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