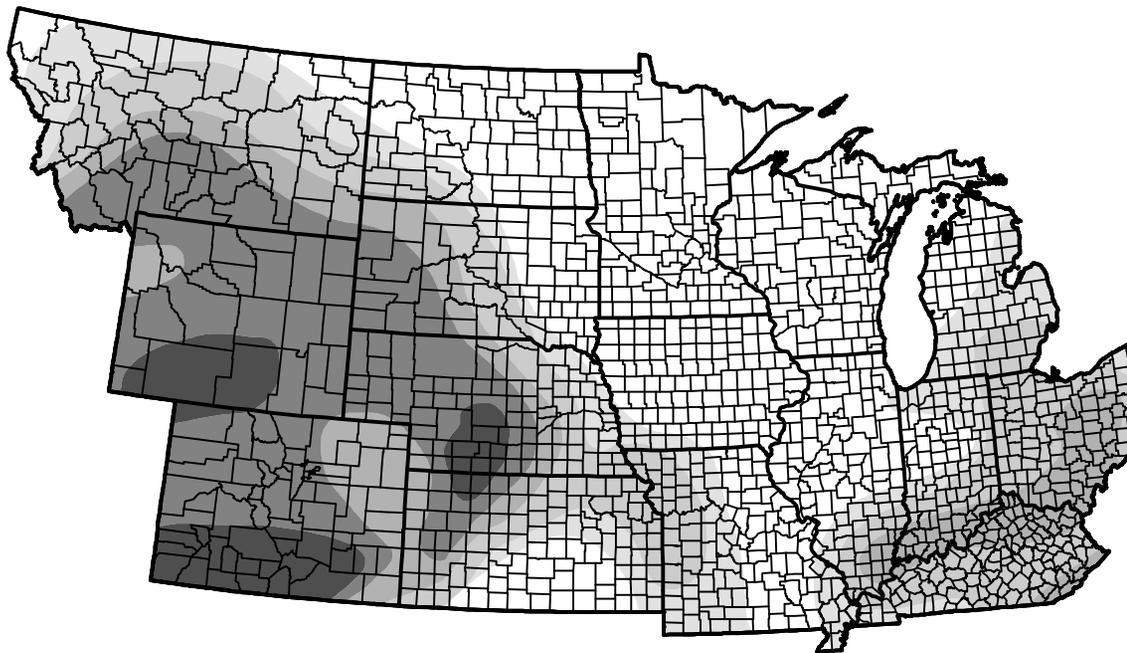


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	36.55	63.45	51.49	36.06	24.93	5.63
Last Week <i>09-10-2002</i>	36.86	63.14	51.09	36.45	25.53	6.55
3 Months Ago <i>06-18-2002</i>	50.45	49.55	38.76	28.59	15.81	1.20
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>09-18-2001</i>	64.24	35.76	18.68	14.66	8.04	0.00



Intensity:



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