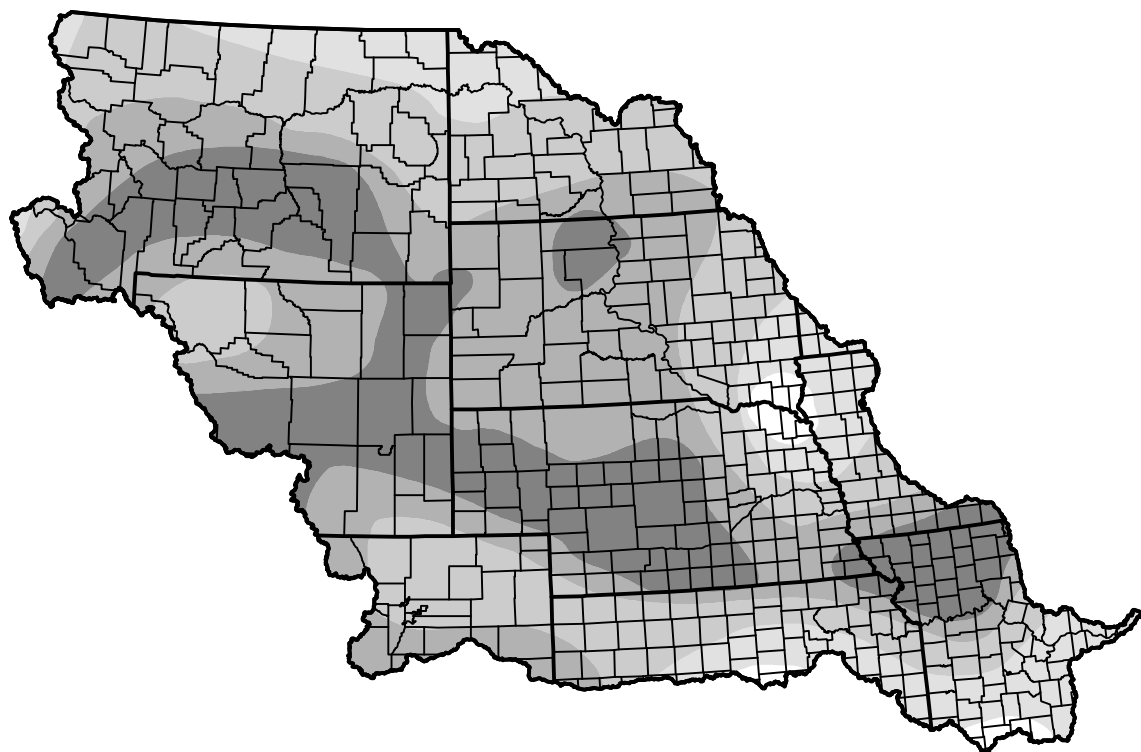


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	1.47	98.53	86.22	58.27	24.68	0.00
Last Week 04-10-2003	3.82	96.18	84.72	58.02	25.45	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-16-2003	3.04	96.96	86.46	70.93	46.71	7.63
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2003	4.13	95.87	82.91	65.79	39.04	0.96
Start of Water Year 10-03-2002	12.37	87.63	71.29	56.87	36.59	3.46
One Year Ago 04-18-2002	4.04	95.96	64.02	37.72	22.69	0.00

Intensity:

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

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