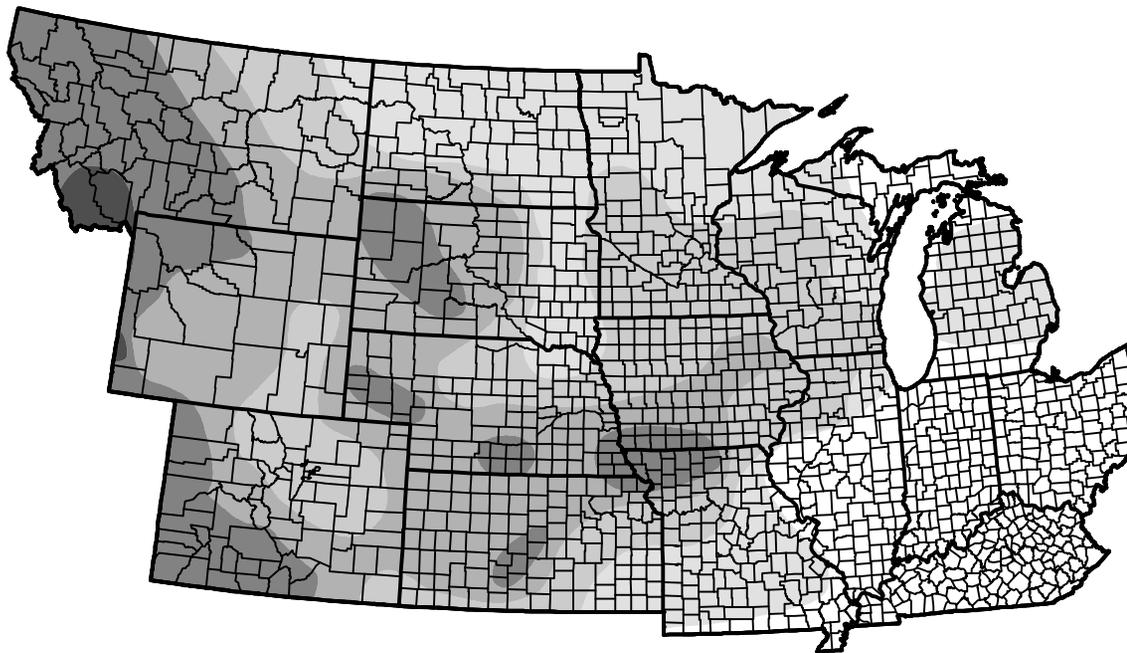


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	17.30	82.70	62.58	40.59	16.20	0.87
Last Week <i>08-26-2003</i>	11.99	88.01	66.03	42.66	20.66	1.39
3 Months Ago <i>06-03-2003</i>	48.76	51.24	37.76	19.75	6.91	0.96
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	27.11	72.89	55.54	40.04	25.07	2.11
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	32.21	67.79	47.24	34.65	24.49	5.06
One Year Ago <i>09-03-2002</i>	39.09	60.91	47.40	36.35	27.25	8.78



Intensity:



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