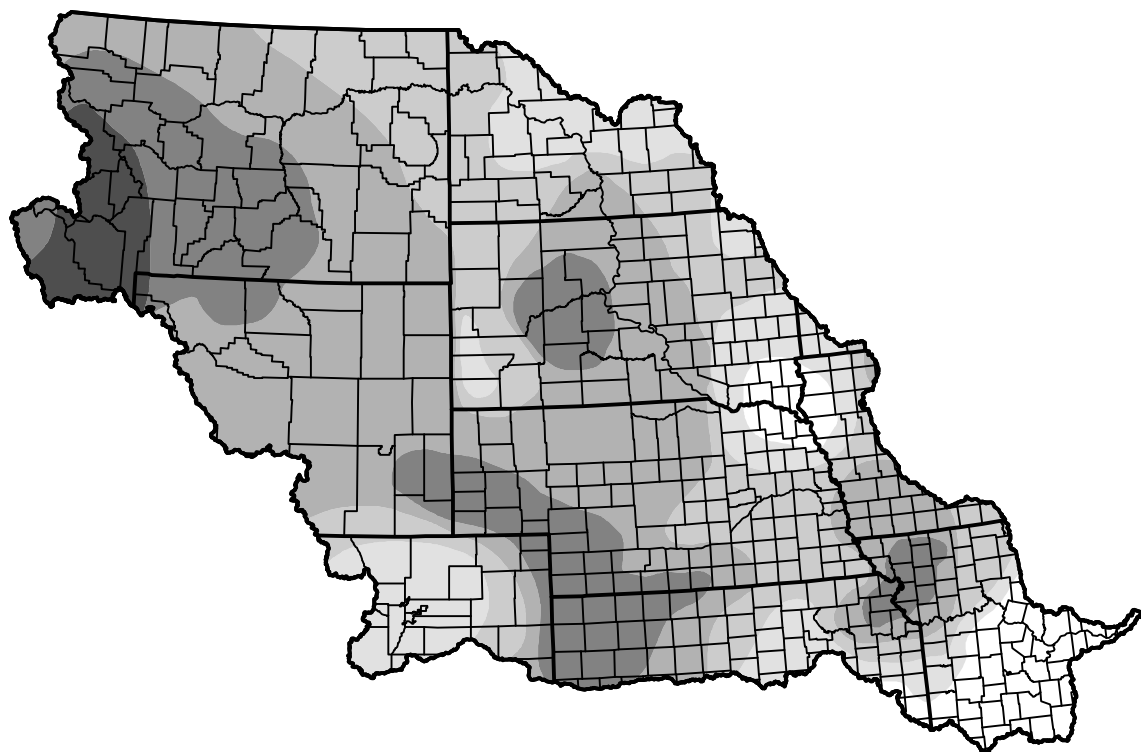


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	5.67	12.75	22.02	37.23	18.88	3.45
Last Week <i>11-26-2003</i>	5.54	12.85	23.15	35.38	19.63	3.44
3 Months Ago <i>09-04-2003</i>	0.05	14.49	23.22	40.53	19.96	1.75
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	4.13	12.96	17.12	26.75	38.08	0.96
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i>	3.89	16.87	26.05	33.36	16.17	3.67
One Year Ago <i>12-05-2002</i>	8.64	17.30	15.43	25.64	32.33	0.66

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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