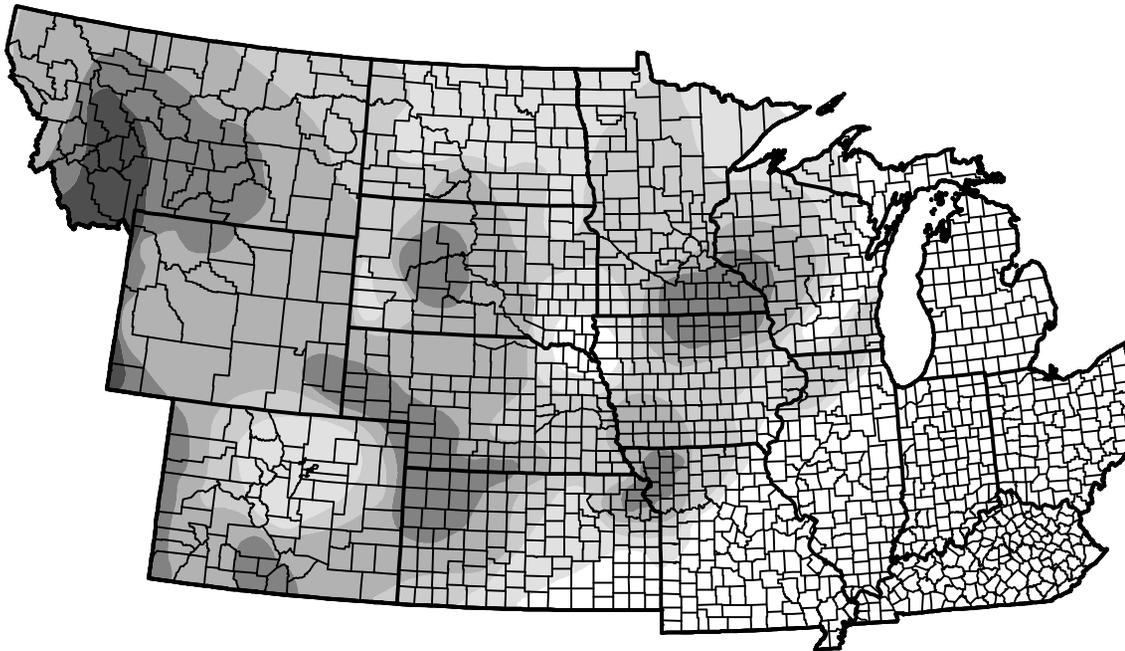


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	26.40	14.37	19.24	25.96	12.11	1.91
Last Week <i>11-25-2003</i>	25.59	14.95	19.97	24.61	12.91	1.97
3 Months Ago <i>09-02-2003</i>	17.30	20.12	22.00	24.39	15.33	0.87
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	27.11	17.35	15.50	14.97	22.96	2.11
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	19.87	16.43	24.52	25.67	11.74	1.77
One Year Ago <i>12-03-2002</i>	35.60	13.57	14.39	14.19	20.52	1.73



Intensity:



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