

U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

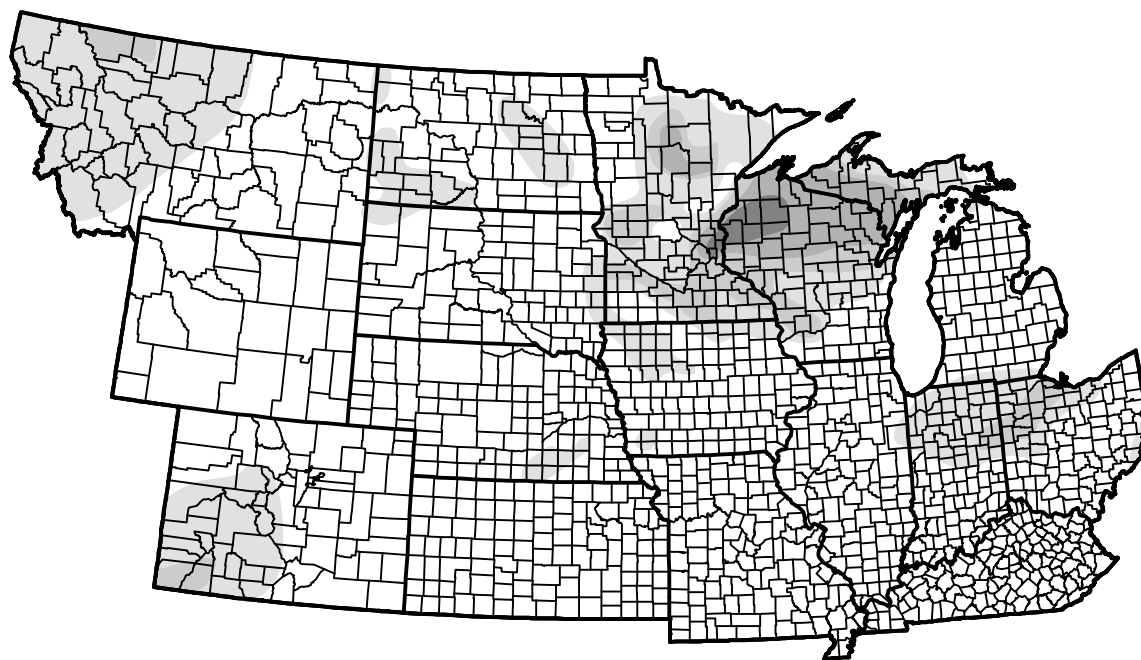
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	74.26	25.74	7.29	3.03	0.55	0.00
Last Week <i>09-22-2009</i>	78.31	21.69	7.09	2.76	0.51	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-30-2009</i>	82.33	17.67	4.94	0.95	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	65.73	34.27	10.66	1.86	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	57.05	42.95	16.45	3.54	0.85	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-30-2008</i>	57.05	42.95	16.45	3.54	0.85	0.00



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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