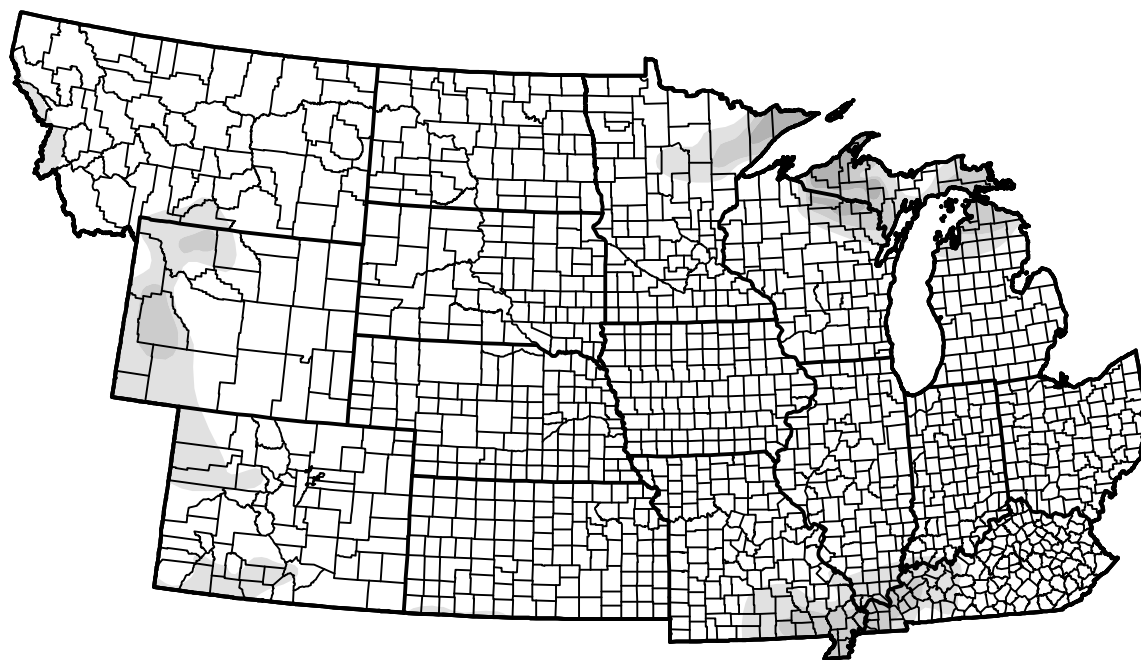


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	89.18	10.82	3.57	0.72	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-27-2010</i>	88.57	11.43	3.68	1.12	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-04-2010</i>	73.43	26.57	12.88	3.55	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	84.52	15.48	2.18	0.34	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	74.26	25.74	7.29	3.03	0.55	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-04-2009</i>	77.06	22.94	7.44	3.16	0.56	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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