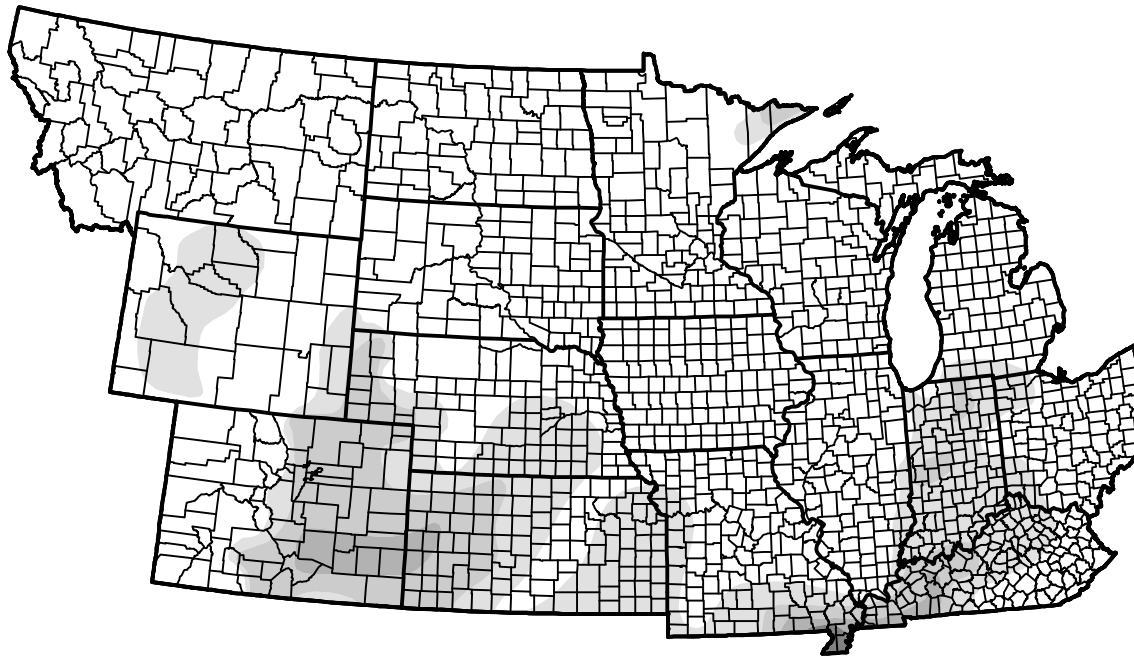


# U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	73.90	26.10	9.39	1.73	0.13	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-28-2010</i>	73.57	26.43	10.75	1.73	0.13	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-05-2010</i>	74.25	25.75	6.21	1.16	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	73.90	26.10	9.39	1.73	0.13	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	73.60	26.40	5.80	1.16	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-05-2010</i>	85.03	14.97	3.27	0.34	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



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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