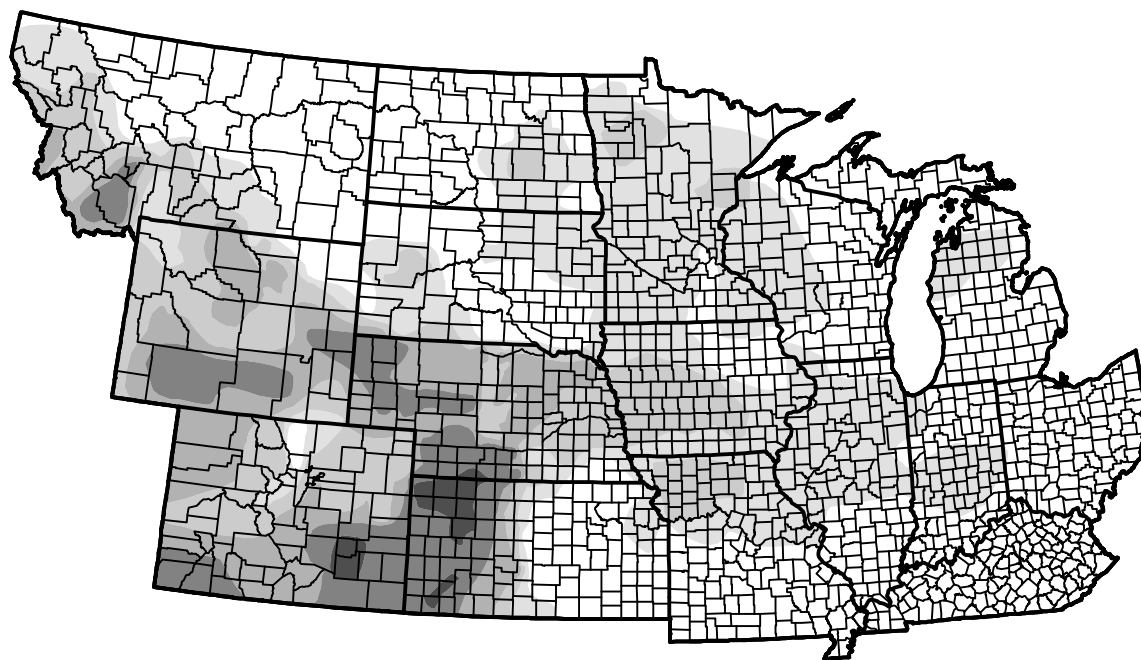


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	43.14	24.76	13.98	10.09	7.08	0.94
Last Week <i>08-13-2013</i>	50.83	17.70	12.82	10.14	7.02	1.50
3 Months Ago <i>05-21-2013</i>	46.45	12.74	11.80	17.61	8.05	3.36
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	19.52	11.43	15.63	22.57	18.89	11.96
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	6.17	13.13	22.09	24.64	23.11	10.86
One Year Ago <i>08-21-2012</i>	12.90	14.66	14.35	20.15	27.69	10.24

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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