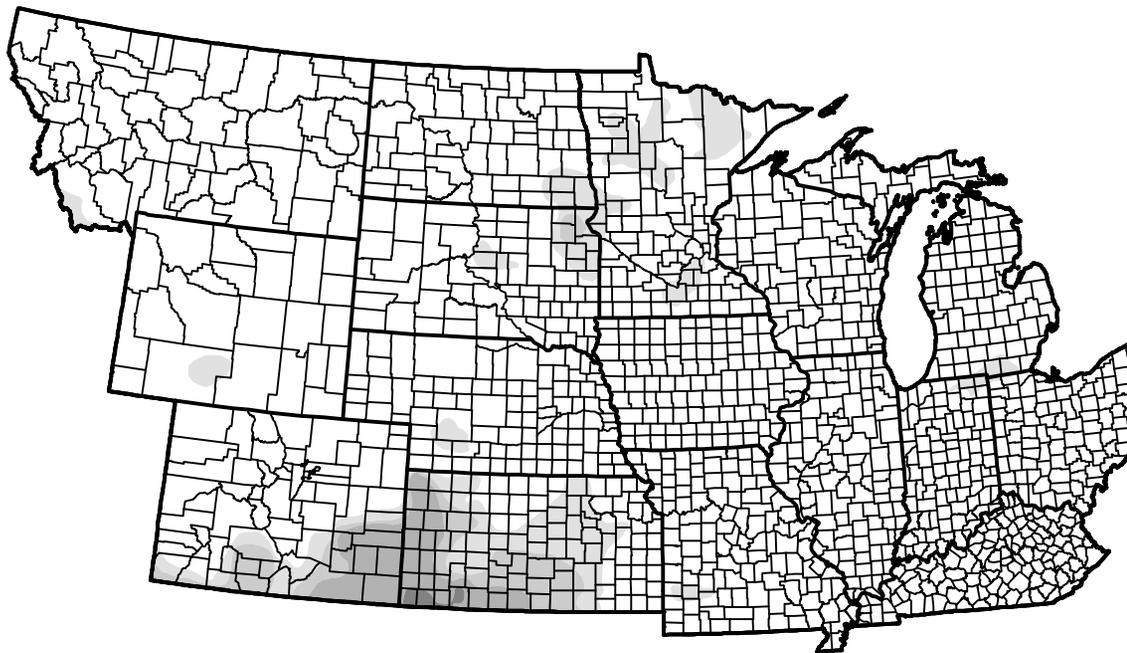


# U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	88.85	11.15	4.71	2.49	0.16	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-21-2014</i>	88.61	11.39	4.70	2.49	0.16	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-29-2014</i>	78.31	21.69	10.63	3.79	0.92	0.08
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	59.98	40.02	17.04	6.68	1.08	0.13
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2014</i>	85.60	14.40	5.68	2.64	0.38	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-29-2013</i>	53.74	46.26	20.61	9.00	0.99	0.13



### 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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