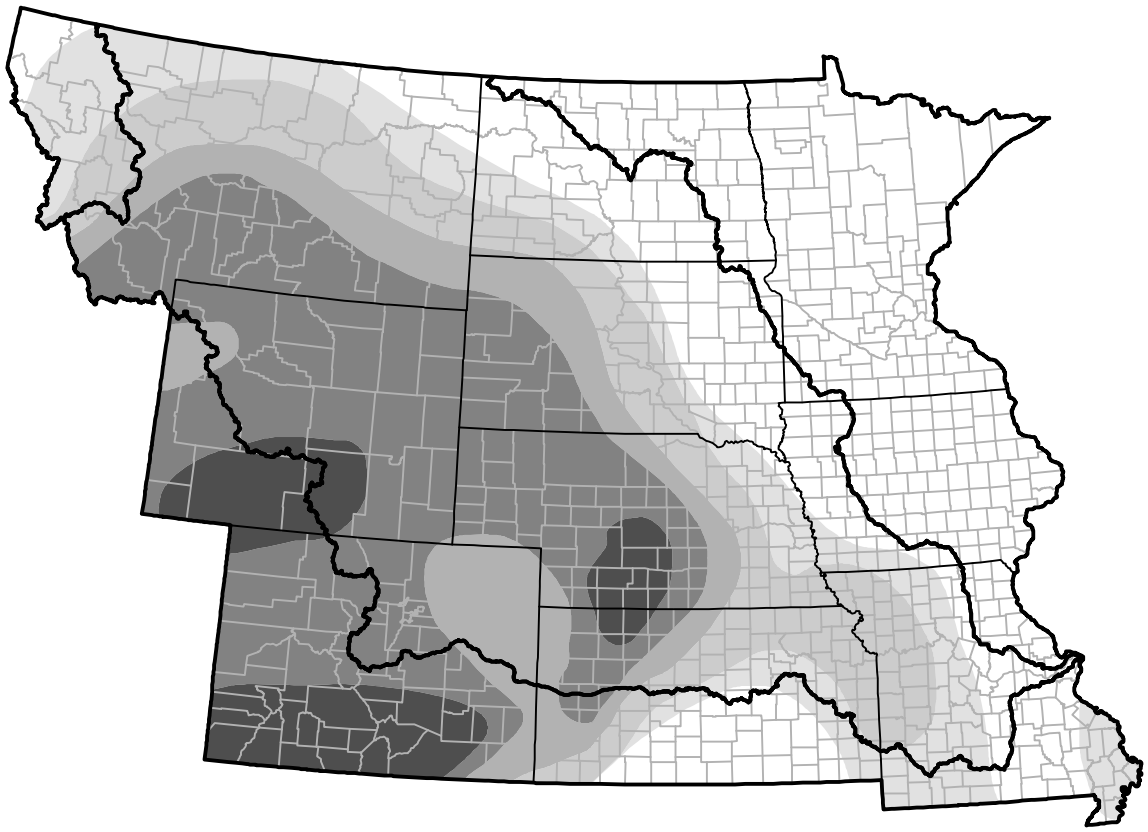
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River Basin RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	32.92	67.08	55.80	43.23	33.22	7.50
Last Week *09-12-2002*	32.18	67.82	56.14	43.36	34.03	8.72
3 Months Ago *06-20-2002*	33.99	66.01	51.65	38.11	21.07	1.60
Start of Calendar Year *01-03-2002*	43.00	57.00	33.72	21.30	11.48	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-27-2001*	64.01	35.99	22.54	19.21	10.71	0.00
One Year Ago *09-20-2001*	59.84	40.16	22.58	19.21	10.71	0.00

Intensity:

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

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