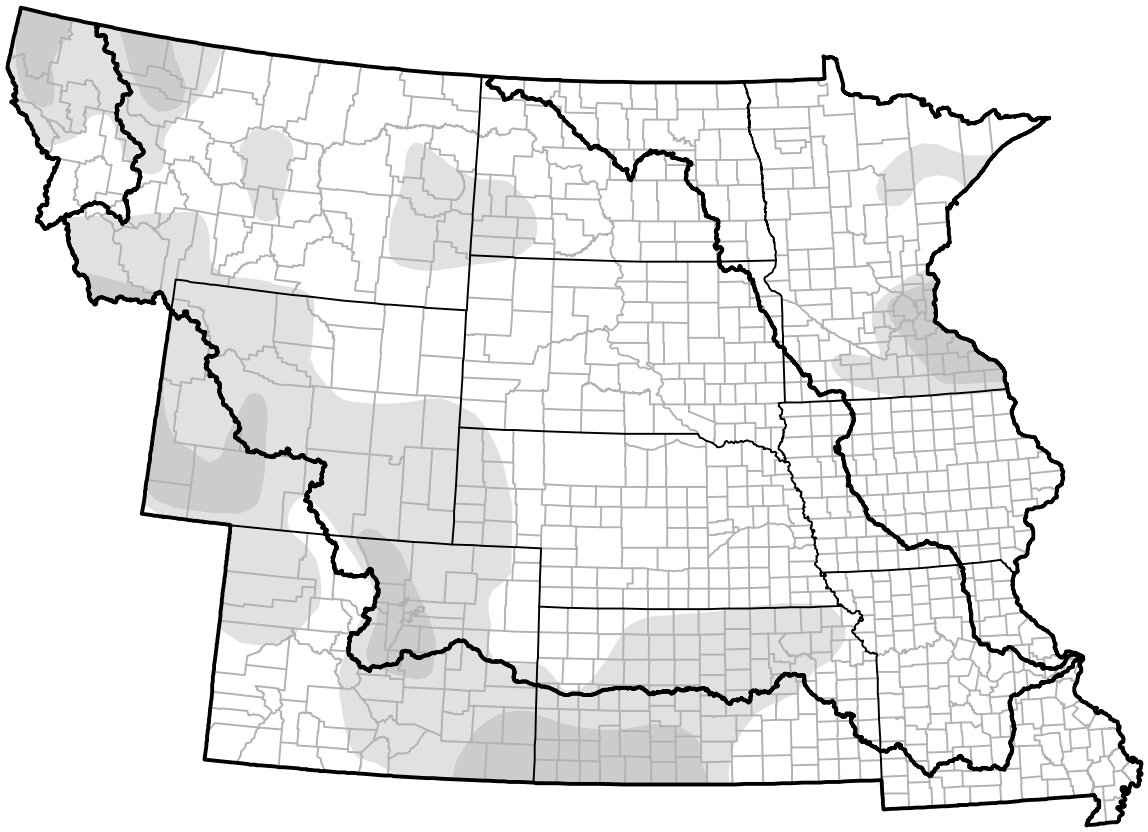
U.S. Drought Monitor

River Basin RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

March 3, 2009

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	66.21	33.79	7.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week *02-26-2009*	70.63	29.37	6.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago *12-04-2008*	66.35	33.65	7.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-01-2009*	67.04	32.96	5.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *10-02-2008*	60.87	39.13	12.91	2.90	1.14	0.00
One Year Ago *03-06-2008*	47.82	52.18	25.91	9.81	0.63	0.00

Intensity:

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