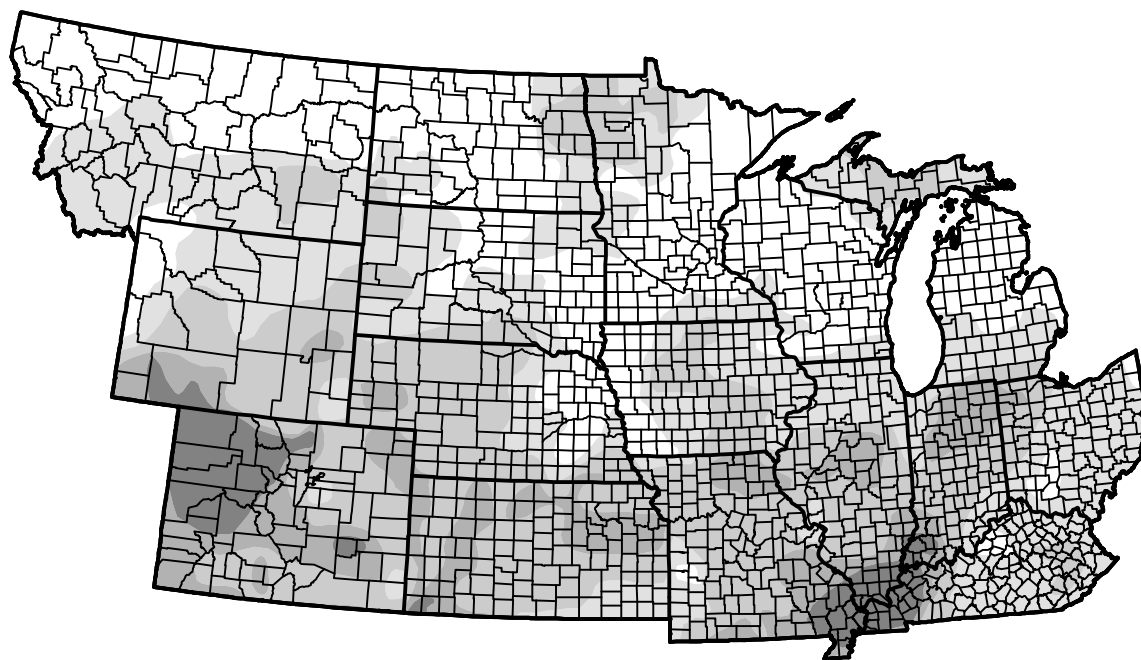


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	27.80	72.20	42.95	14.68	4.31	0.00
Last Week <i>06-12-2012</i>	39.51	60.49	26.59	7.95	1.85	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>03-20-2012</i>	61.83	38.17	17.56	4.79	0.63	0.02
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	68.31	31.69	13.81	5.73	0.91	0.02
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	62.90	37.10	13.74	7.45	2.74	1.31
One Year Ago <i>06-21-2011</i>	90.62	9.38	6.53	4.72	2.06	0.22

Intensity:

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