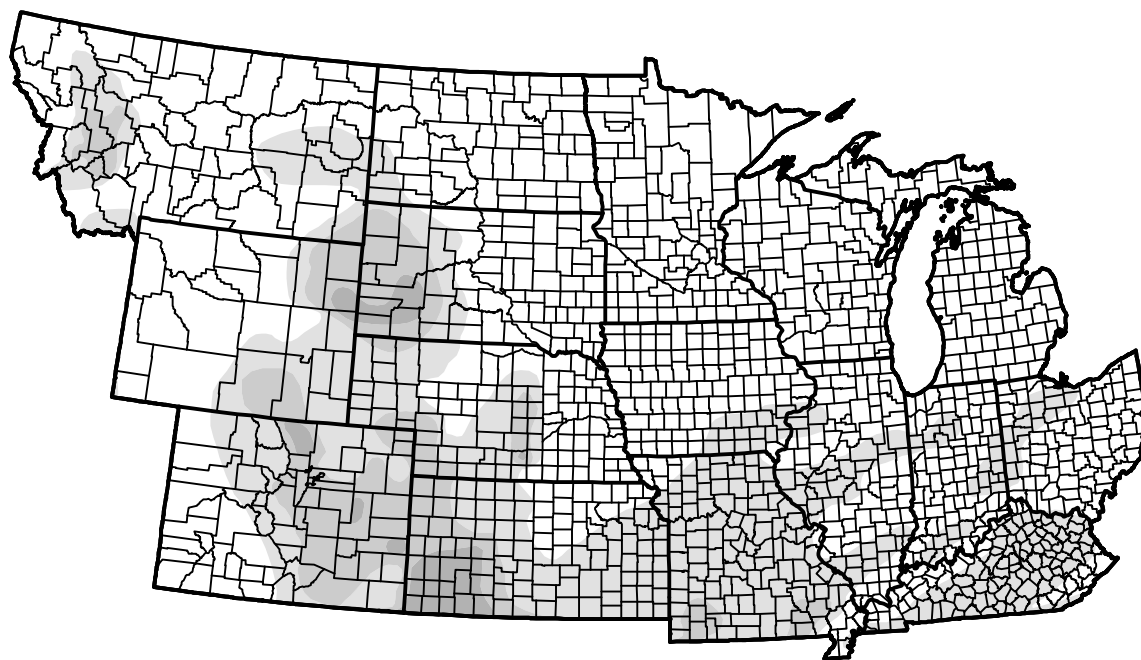


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	63.30	36.70	10.63	1.79	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-20-2016</i>	58.86	41.14	13.64	2.10	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-27-2016</i>	76.71	23.29	7.36	1.93	0.12	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	78.96	21.04	5.65	2.67	0.45	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	76.71	23.29	7.36	1.93	0.12	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-29-2015</i>	78.96	21.04	5.65	2.67	0.45	0.00

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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