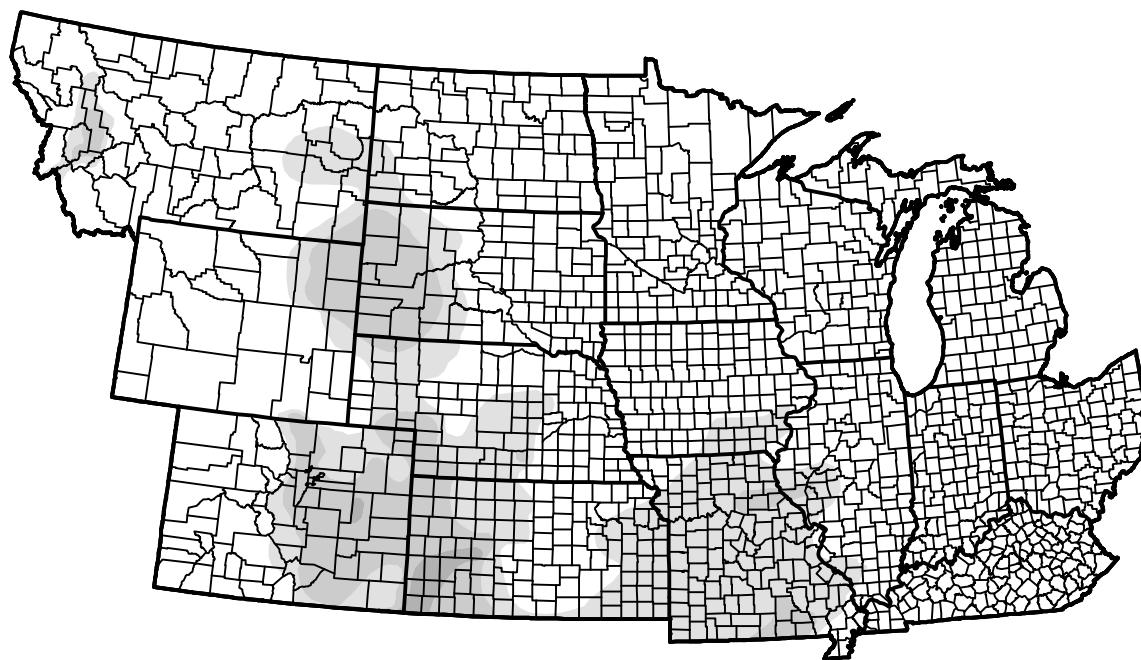


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	74.94	25.06	9.14	0.54	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-24-2017</i>	73.31	26.69	11.21	1.01	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-01-2016</i>	70.94	29.06	9.77	0.29	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	65.79	34.21	12.04	1.70	0.00	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>02-02-2016</i>	80.76	19.24	5.09	1.61	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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