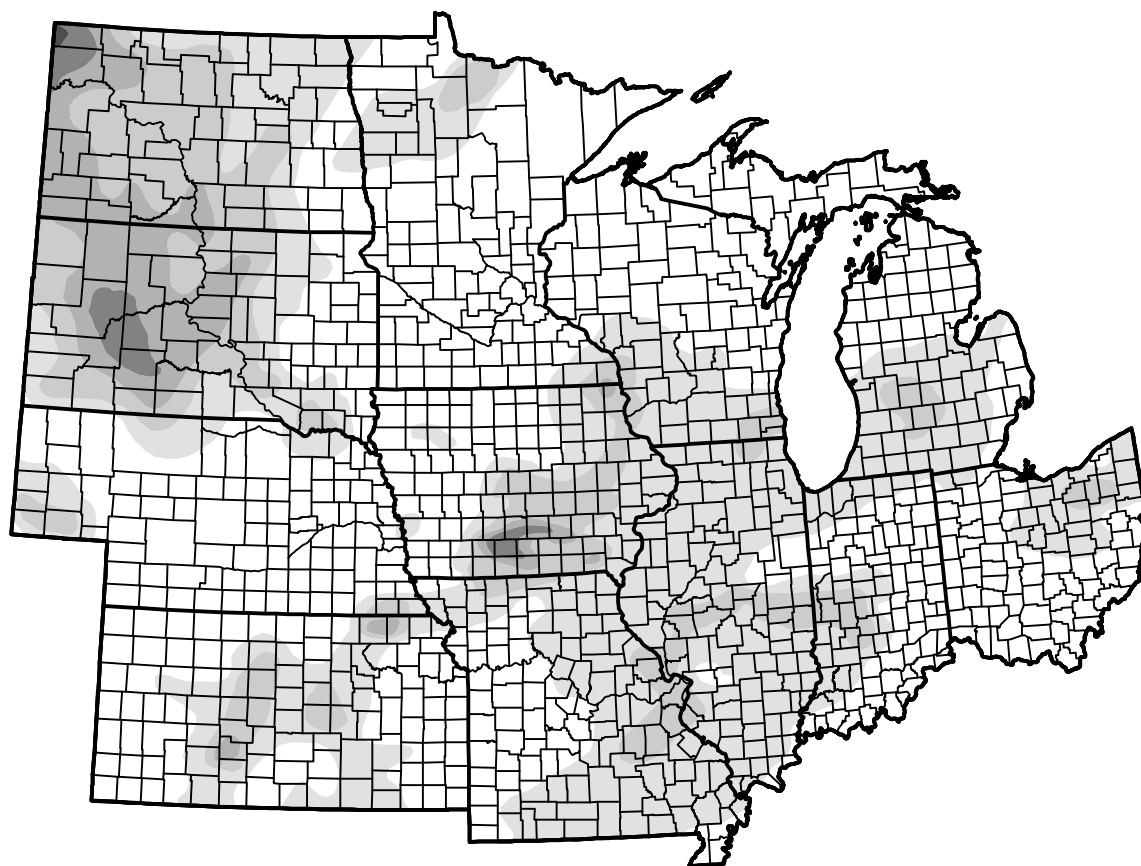


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	50.58	49.42	19.04	6.07	1.04	0.04
Last Week 09-19-2017	44.17	55.83	25.23	8.09	1.16	0.04
3 Months Ago 06-27-2017	64.60	35.40	13.12	7.49	2.52	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	67.92	32.08	10.18	2.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	86.72	13.28	2.76	0.51	0.11	0.00
One Year Ago 09-27-2016	86.72	13.28	2.76	0.51	0.11	0.00

Intensity:

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

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