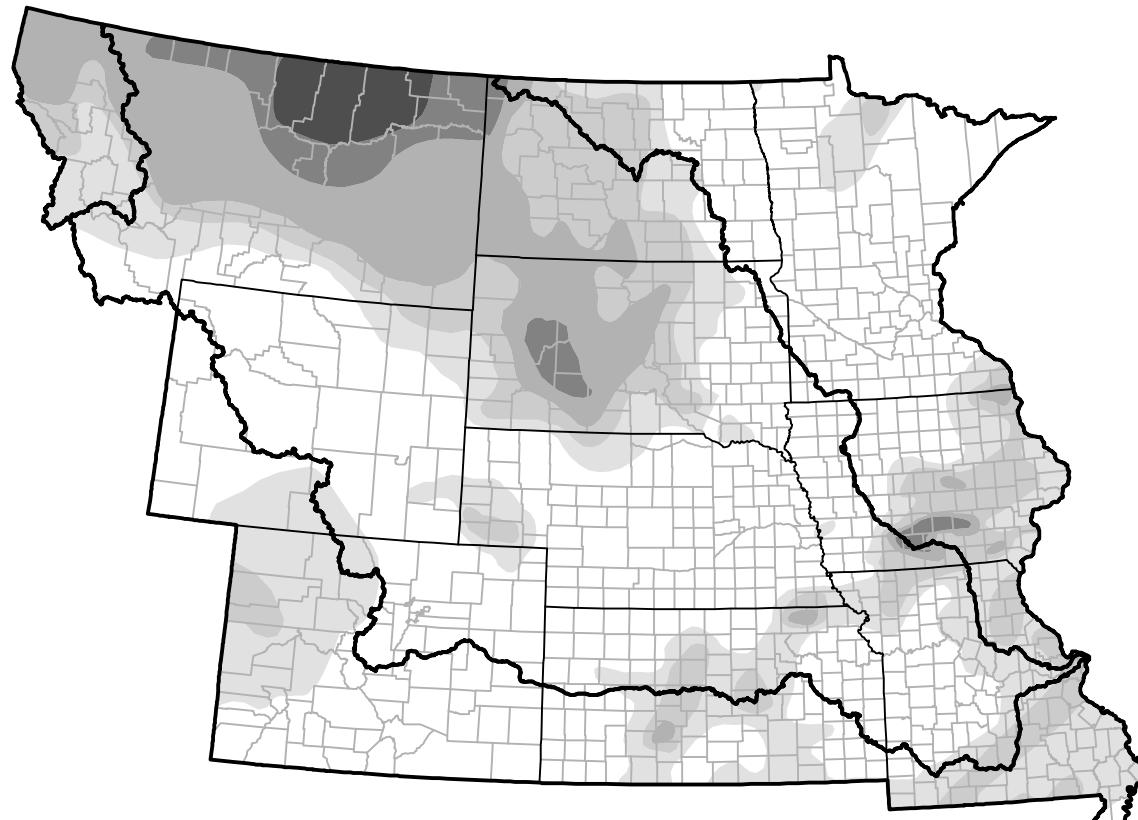


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	50.74	49.26	29.28	16.29	4.82	1.73
Last Week 09-28-2017	47.76	52.24	30.06	17.17	8.17	3.01
3 Months Ago 07-06-2017	59.07	40.93	20.18	12.80	4.96	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2017	58.53	41.47	15.62	2.26	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-28-2017	47.76	52.24	30.06	17.17	8.17	3.01
One Year Ago 10-06-2016	76.47	23.53	8.69	1.77	0.00	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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