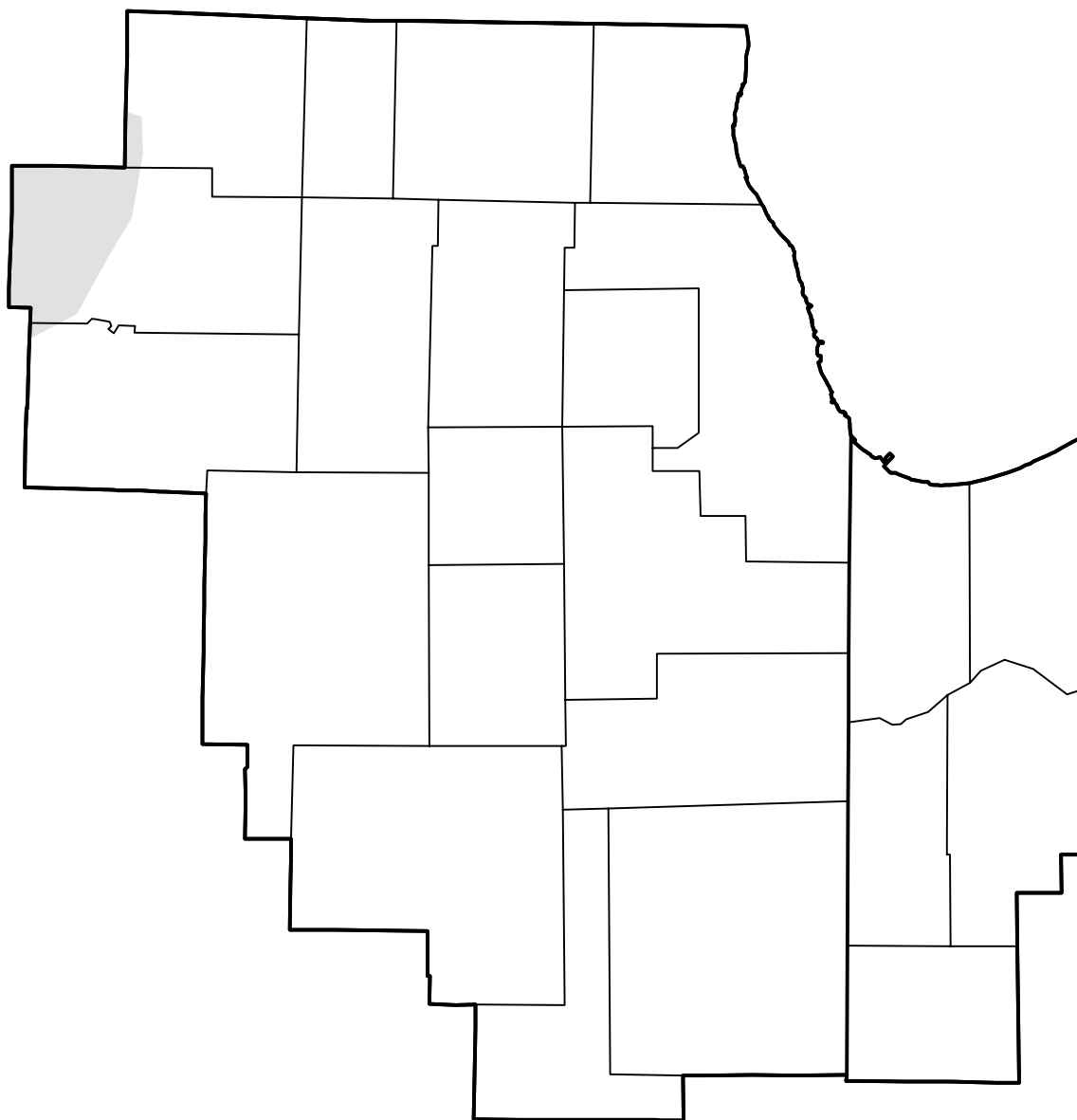


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	97.96	2.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-28-2017	97.96	2.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-05-2017	18.34	81.66	4.30	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2018	97.96	2.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-28-2017	18.34	81.66	4.30	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 01-05-2017	85.43	14.57	0.00	0.00	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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