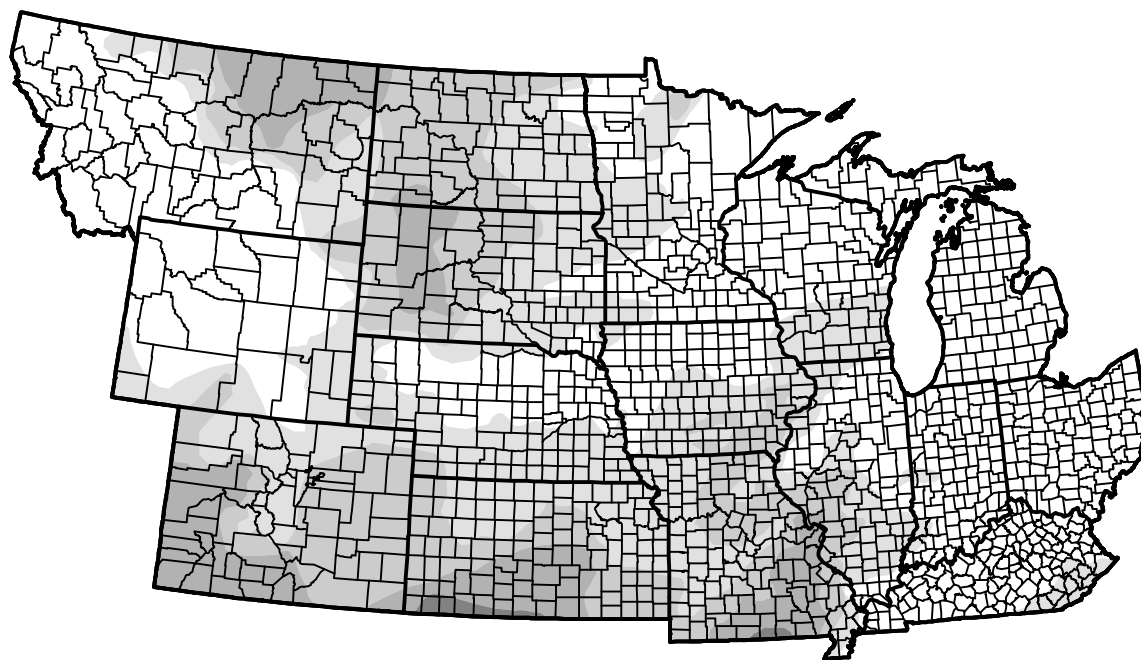


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	44.82	55.18	28.36	9.37	0.38	0.00
Last Week 01-23-2018	44.05	55.95	26.81	8.67	0.37	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-31-2017	64.27	35.73	18.48	6.72	2.29	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2018	44.74	55.26	22.30	7.69	2.03	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2017	50.80	49.20	24.09	12.89	6.13	2.26
One Year Ago 01-31-2017	74.94	25.06	9.14	0.54	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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