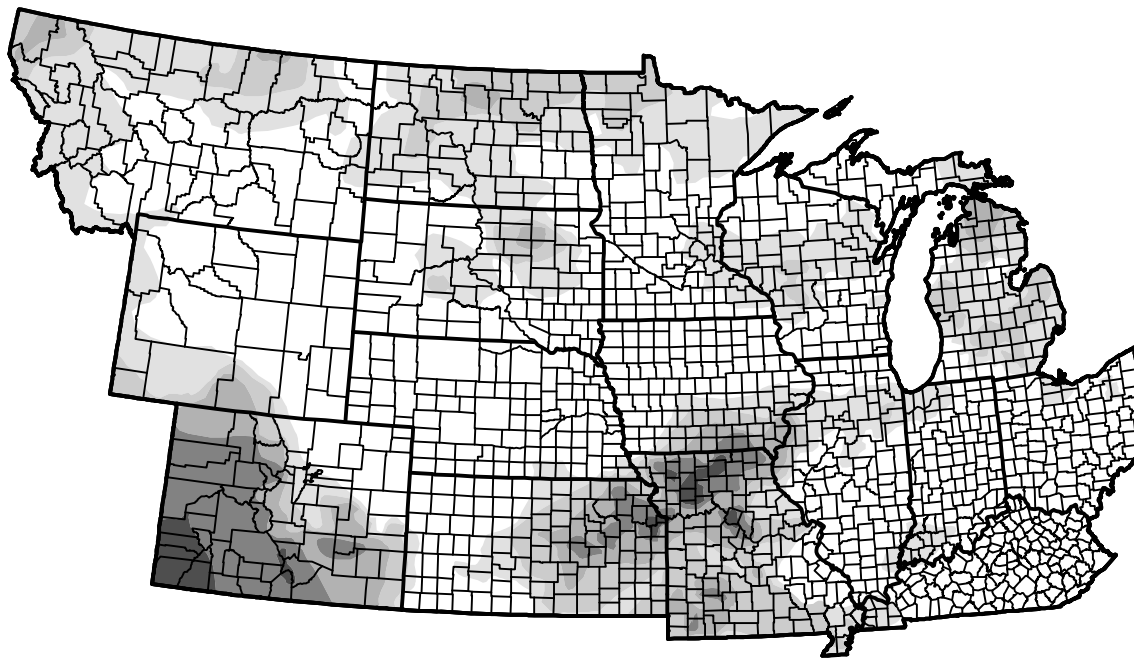


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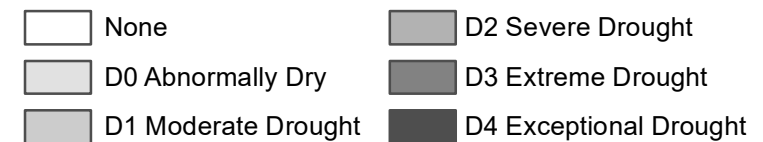
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	53.85	46.15	22.36	11.56	5.80	1.10
Last Week <i>08-14-2018</i>	53.93	46.07	22.31	12.07	6.48	1.28
3 Months Ago <i>05-22-2018</i>	64.83	35.17	18.02	8.36	4.16	0.82
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2018</i>	44.74	55.26	22.30	7.69	2.03	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	50.80	49.20	24.09	12.89	6.13	2.26
One Year Ago <i>08-22-2017</i>	57.51	42.49	26.01	14.22	6.31	1.53



Intensity:



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