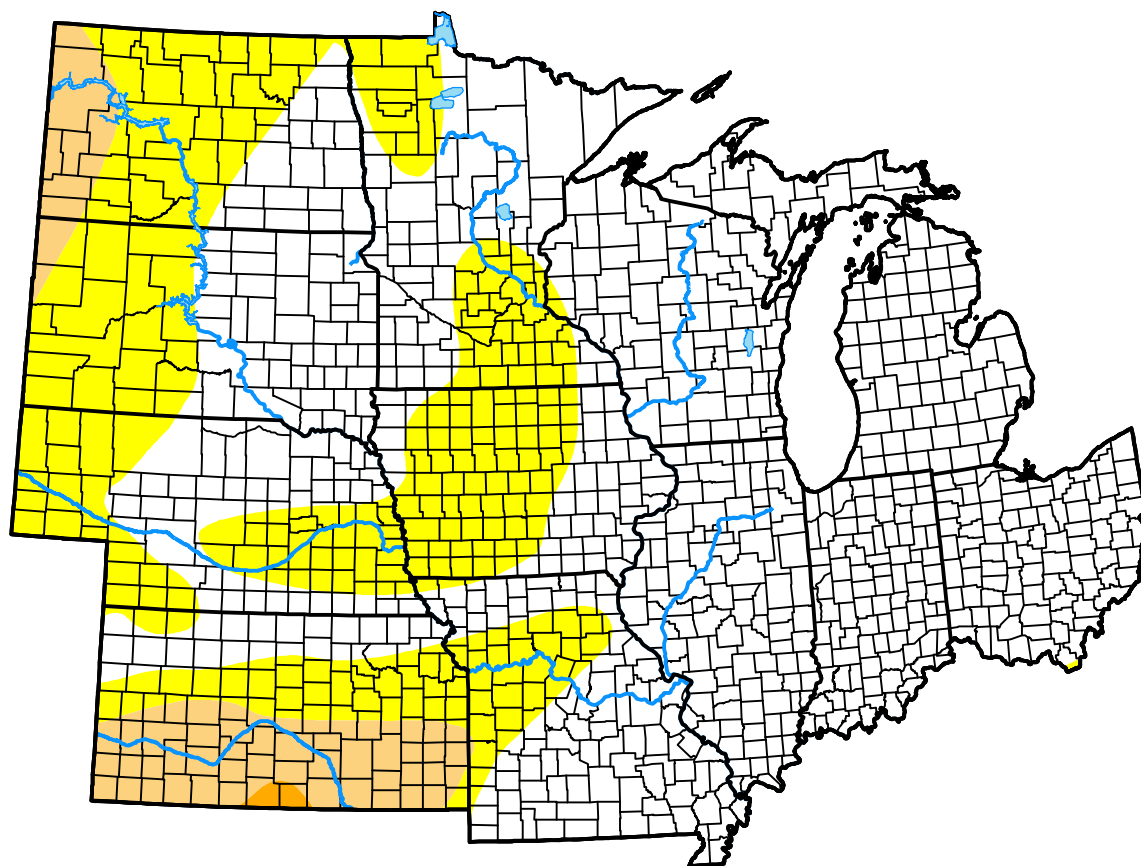


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	64.50	28.38	6.91	0.20	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-22-2002</i>	69.79	23.21	6.92	0.07	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-30-2001</i>	78.66	20.45	0.89	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	74.67	17.79	7.46	0.07	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	89.84	8.92	0.85	0.40	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-30-2001</i>	81.00	14.75	3.62	0.63	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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