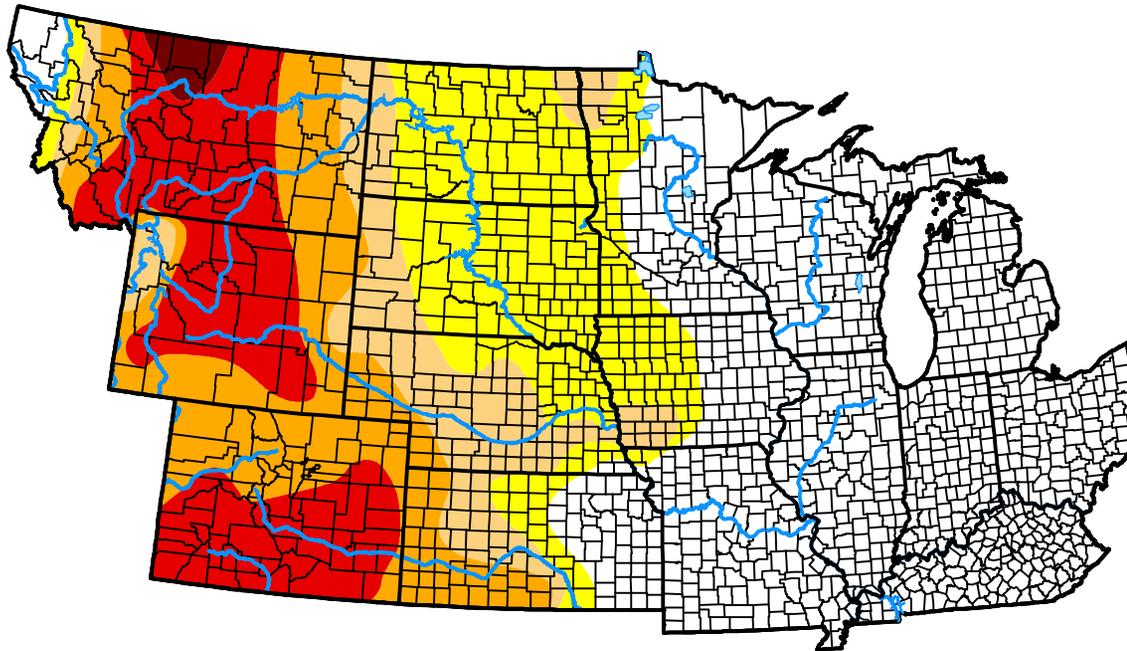


# U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	41.82	18.14	10.26	14.03	15.02	0.73
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-23-2002</i>	40.30	18.52	11.64	14.90	14.63	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-29-2002</i>	45.99	27.68	10.59	8.40	7.34	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	56.84	17.86	9.32	7.36	8.62	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	69.85	12.69	2.79	6.62	8.04	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-01-2001</i>	70.48	9.70	11.09	8.74	0.00	0.00



**Intensity:**



*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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