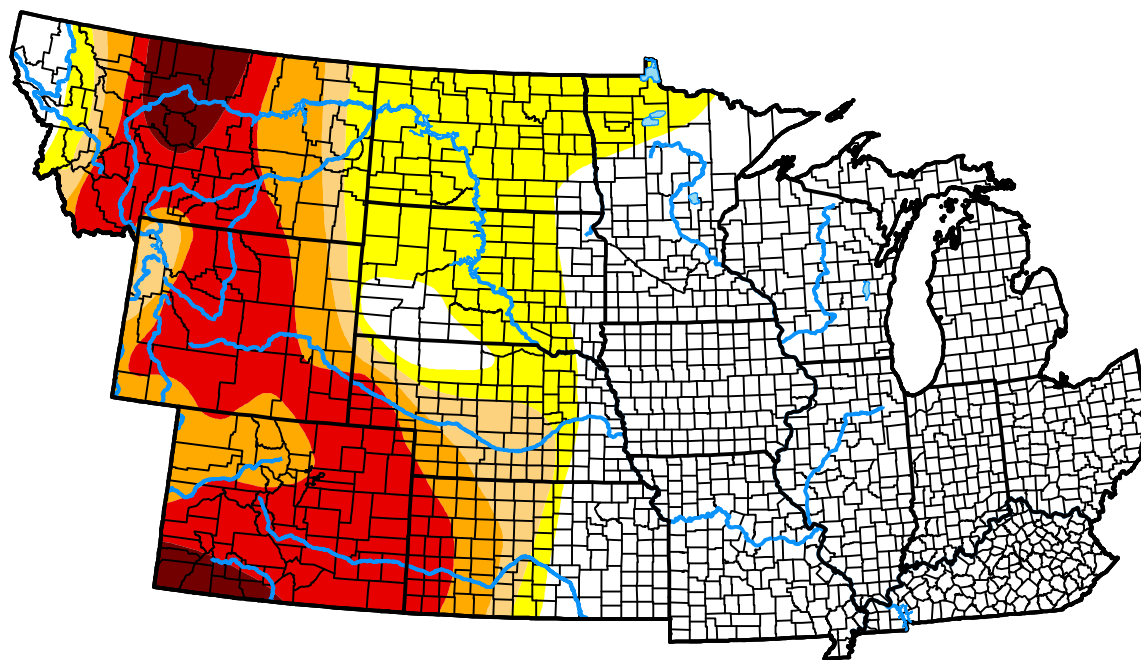


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	50.16	15.90	5.34	9.11	16.91	2.59
Last Week 05-21-2002	53.36	11.84	6.09	9.22	17.91	1.59
3 Months Ago 02-26-2002	39.38	27.62	15.60	9.91	7.49	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2002	56.84	17.86	9.32	7.36	8.62	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-25-2001	69.85	12.69	2.79	6.62	8.04	0.00
One Year Ago 05-29-2001	71.76	7.63	9.76	9.24	1.61	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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