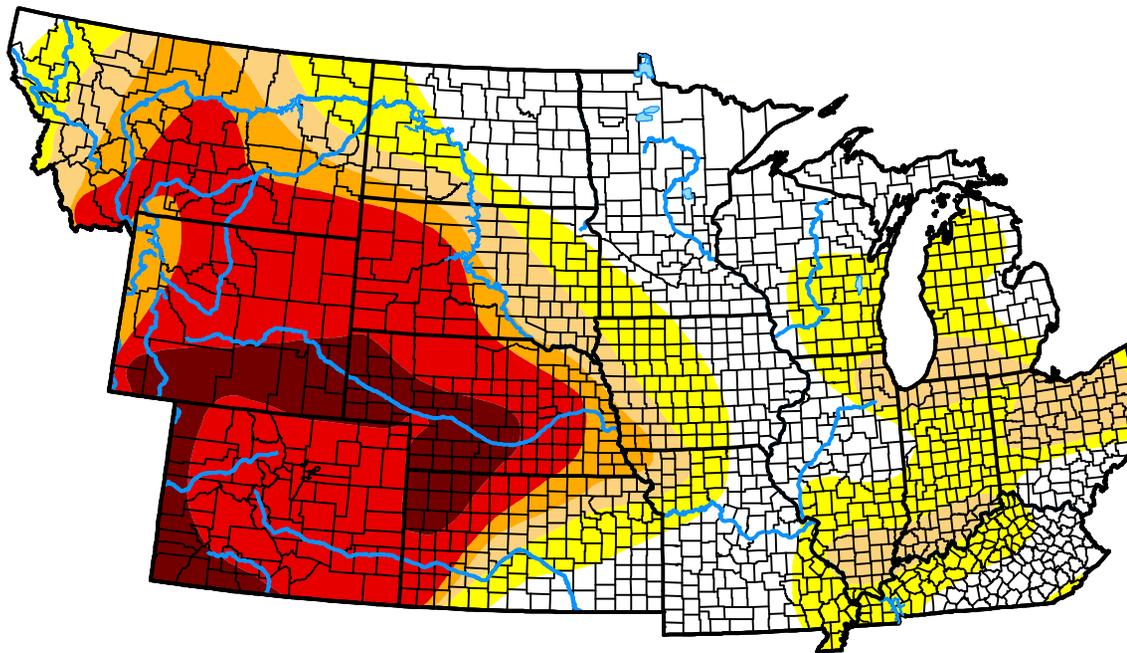


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	29.13	70.87	50.41	38.40	30.39	7.73
Last Week <i>07-23-2002</i>	32.55	67.45	48.63	38.10	23.61	6.10
3 Months Ago <i>04-30-2002</i>	41.82	58.18	40.04	29.78	15.75	0.73
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	56.84	43.16	25.30	15.98	8.62	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	69.85	30.15	17.46	14.66	8.04	0.00
One Year Ago <i>07-31-2001</i>	58.43	41.57	16.22	8.83	2.96	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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