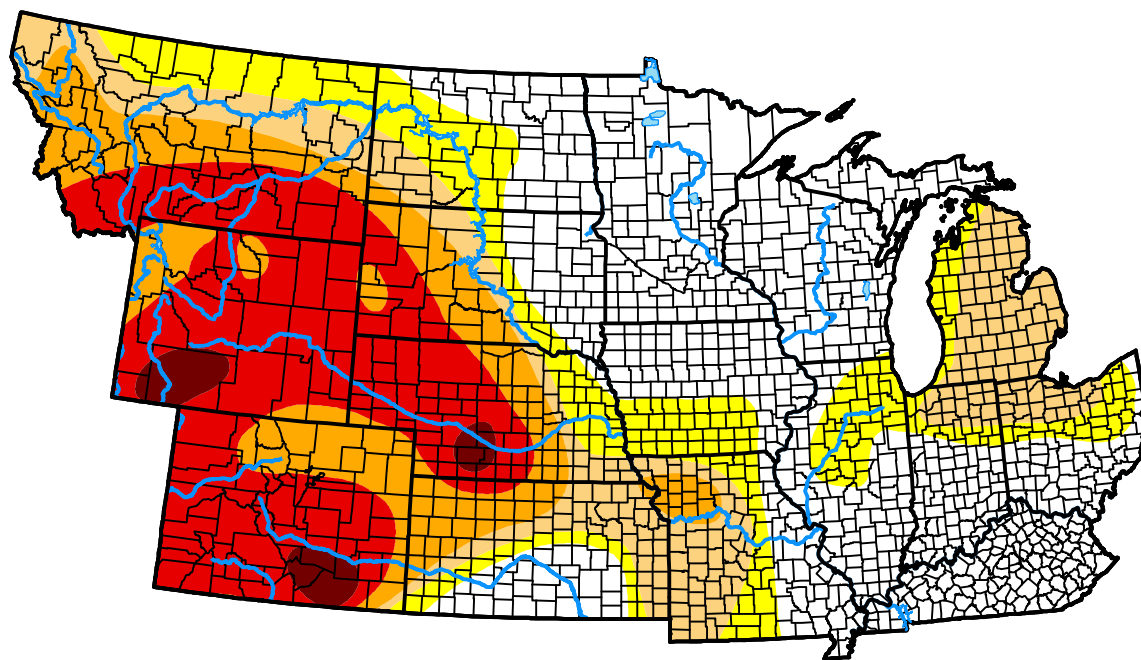


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	37.35	13.67	13.73	12.86	20.58	1.82
Last Week <i>11-12-2002</i>	39.81	11.67	13.17	12.94	20.64	1.77
3 Months Ago <i>08-20-2002</i>	38.60	13.68	12.03	5.89	19.49	10.32
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	56.84	17.86	9.32	7.36	8.62	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	32.21	20.54	12.59	10.16	19.43	5.06
One Year Ago <i>11-20-2001</i>	50.45	30.20	4.77	4.88	9.71	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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