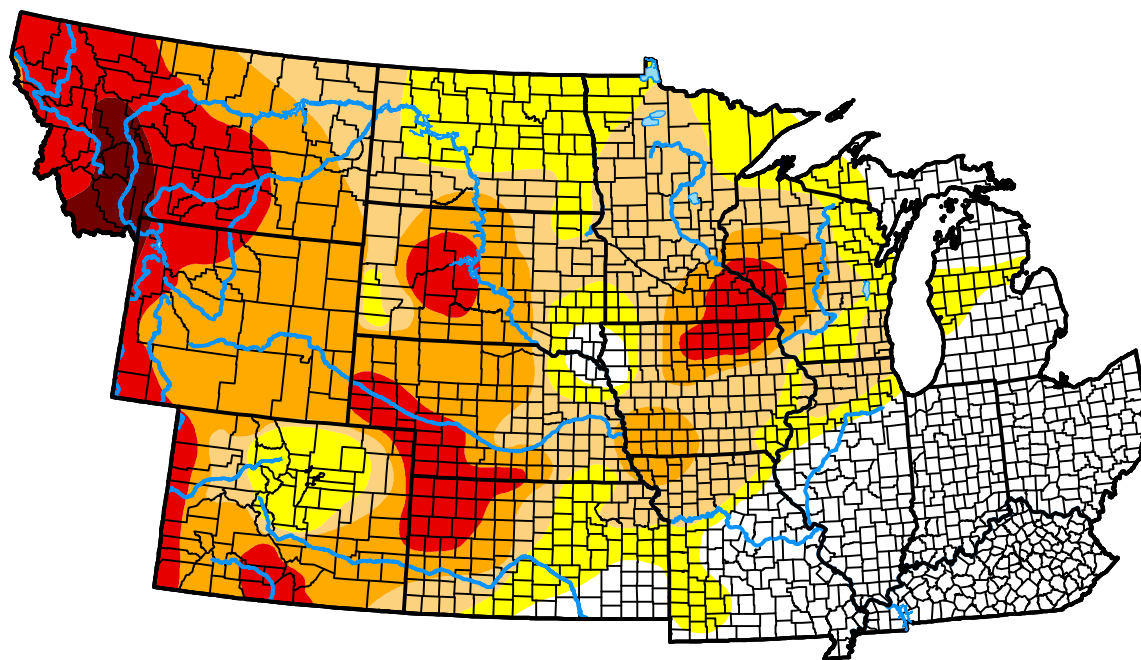


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	23.26	16.67	20.39	23.71	14.21	1.74
Last Week <i>10-28-2003</i>	22.04	15.44	19.44	27.22	14.15	1.71
3 Months Ago <i>08-05-2003</i>	39.22	12.15	17.34	19.11	11.02	1.16
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	27.11	17.35	15.50	14.97	22.96	2.11
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	19.87	16.43	24.52	25.67	11.74	1.77
One Year Ago <i>11-05-2002</i>	38.93	11.69	15.24	11.66	20.64	1.84

Intensity:

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

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