

U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

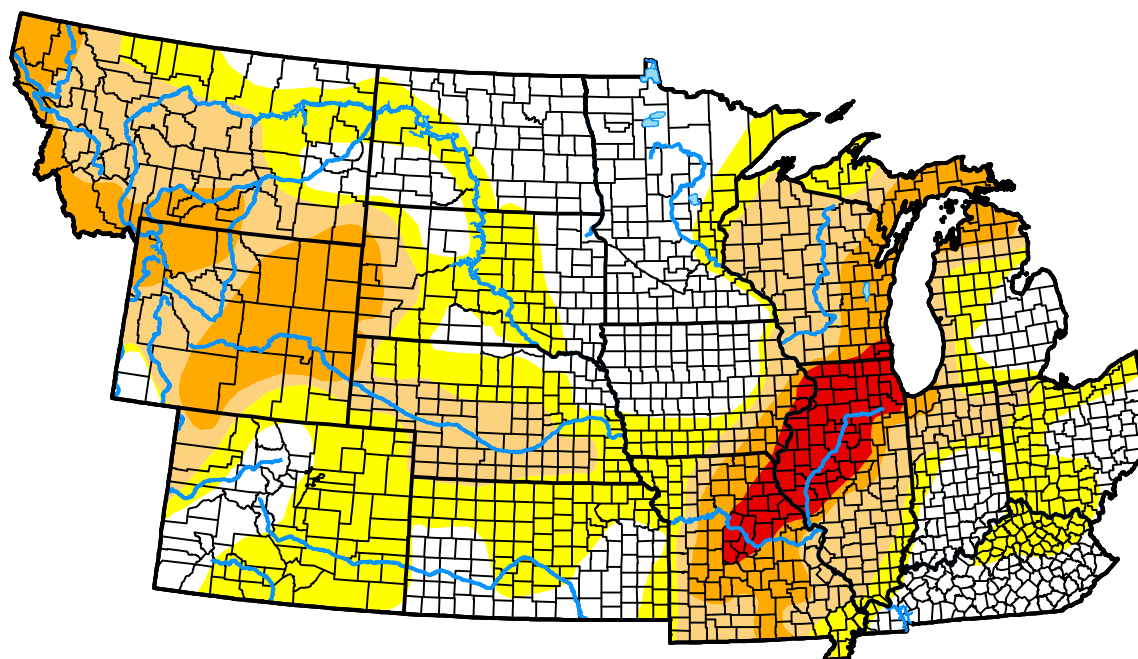
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	31.25	29.30	21.93	14.01	3.52	0.00
Last Week 07-19-2005	35.34	27.46	20.86	14.20	2.14	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-26-2005	53.55	15.71	10.30	12.06	6.48	1.89
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2005	53.66	16.43	11.71	11.31	5.27	1.62
Start of Water Year 09-28-2004	50.74	18.13	11.63	11.46	6.38	1.66
One Year Ago 07-27-2004	55.09	10.06	10.34	14.07	8.04	2.40



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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