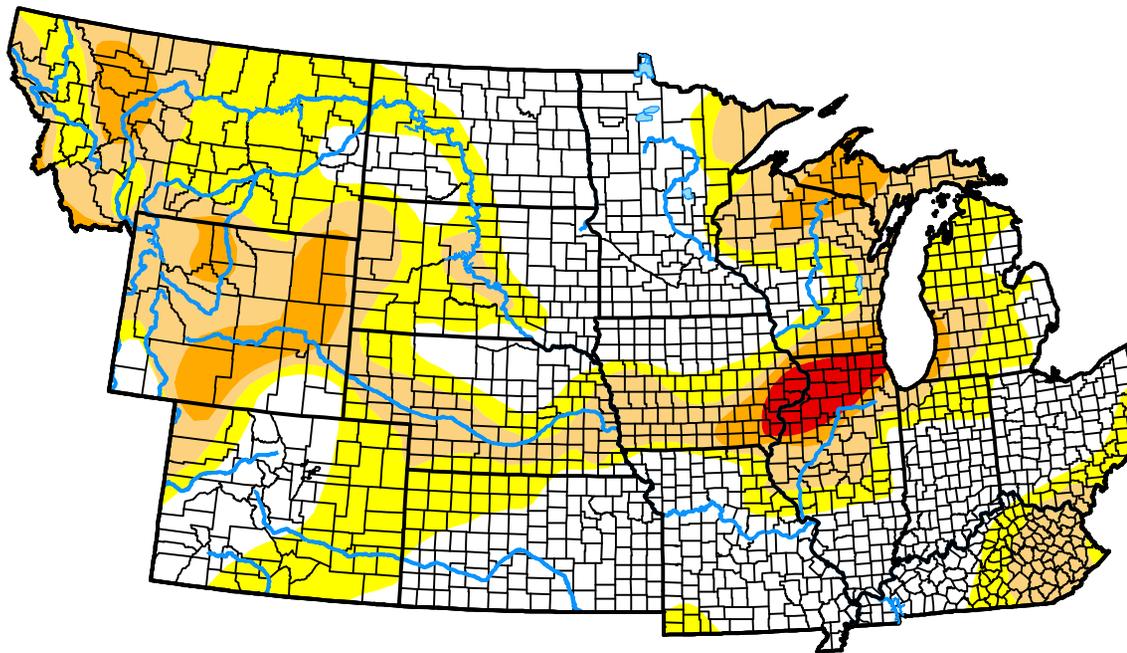


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	42.74	27.73	21.36	6.83	1.34	0.00
Last Week <i>09-27-2005</i>	44.17	26.18	19.70	8.98	0.96	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-05-2005</i>	47.81	23.56	16.65	10.21	1.77	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	53.66	16.43	11.71	11.31	5.27	1.62
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	44.17	26.18	19.70	8.98	0.96	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-05-2004</i>	41.62	23.86	15.63	11.58	5.64	1.66



Intensity:



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