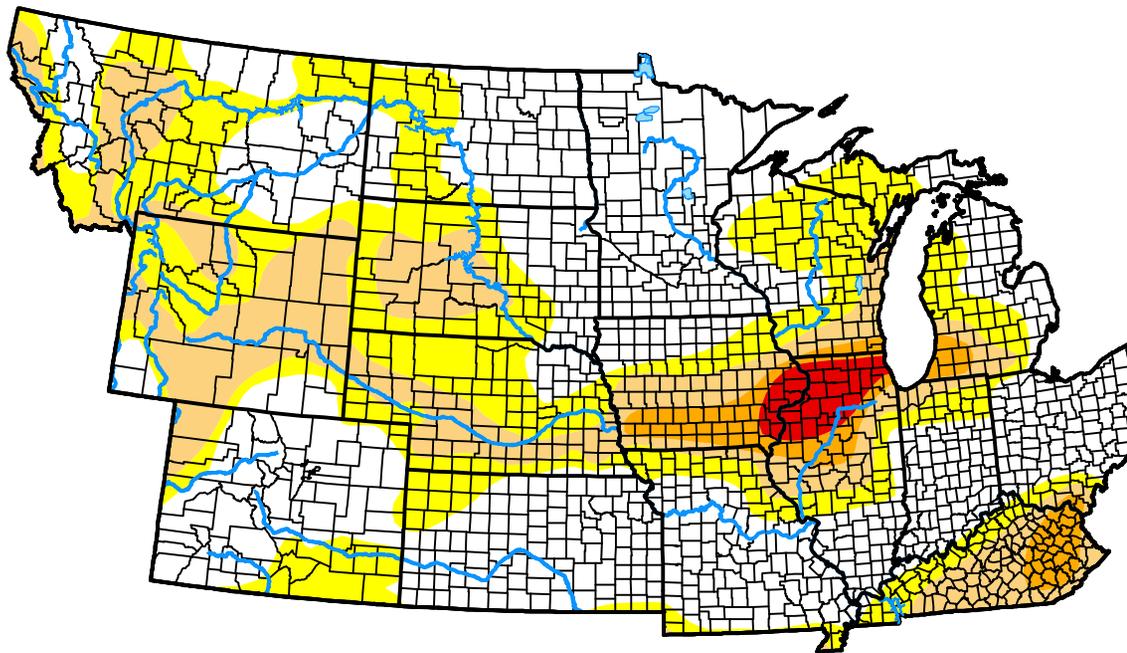


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	49.45	50.55	22.46	4.69	1.49	0.00
Last Week <i>11-08-2005</i>	45.32	54.68	23.33	4.84	1.49	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-16-2005</i>	37.45	62.55	33.47	12.39	1.84	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	53.66	46.34	29.92	18.21	6.90	1.62
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	44.17	55.83	29.64	9.94	0.96	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-16-2004</i>	53.89	46.11	30.71	17.28	7.08	1.56



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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