

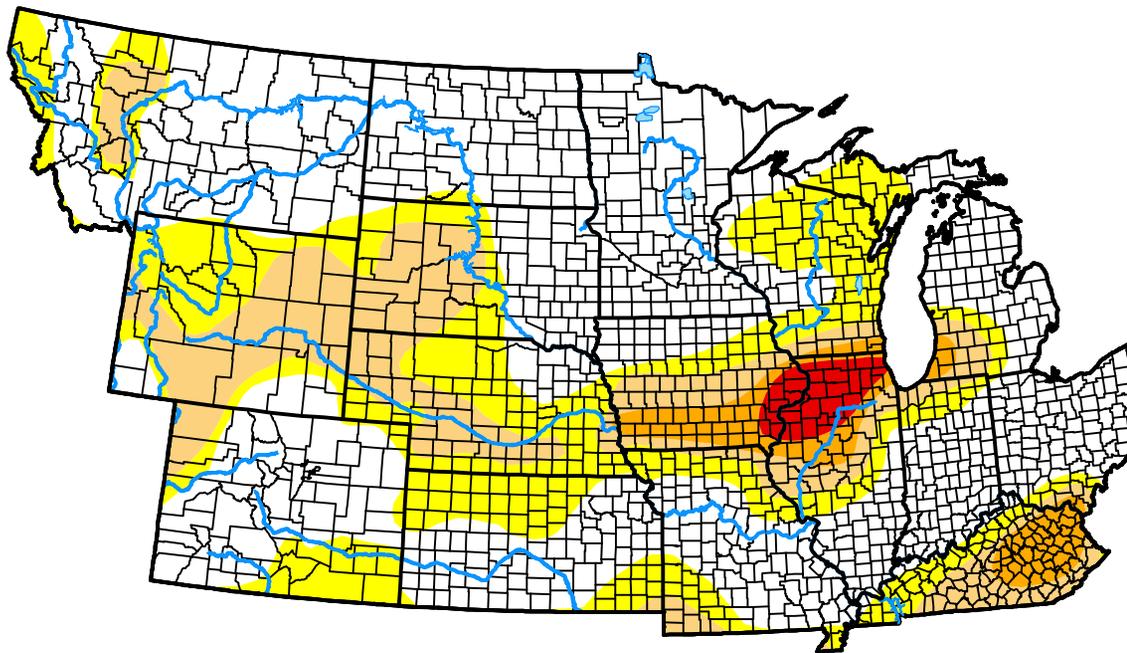
U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	56.32	23.71	15.02	3.46	1.48	0.00
Last Week <i>12-06-2005</i>	56.67	22.74	15.64	3.46	1.48	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-13-2005</i>	40.17	27.86	18.52	10.80	2.65	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>12-14-2004</i>	58.94	11.79	12.74	10.35	4.62	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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