

U.S. Drought Monitor North Central States

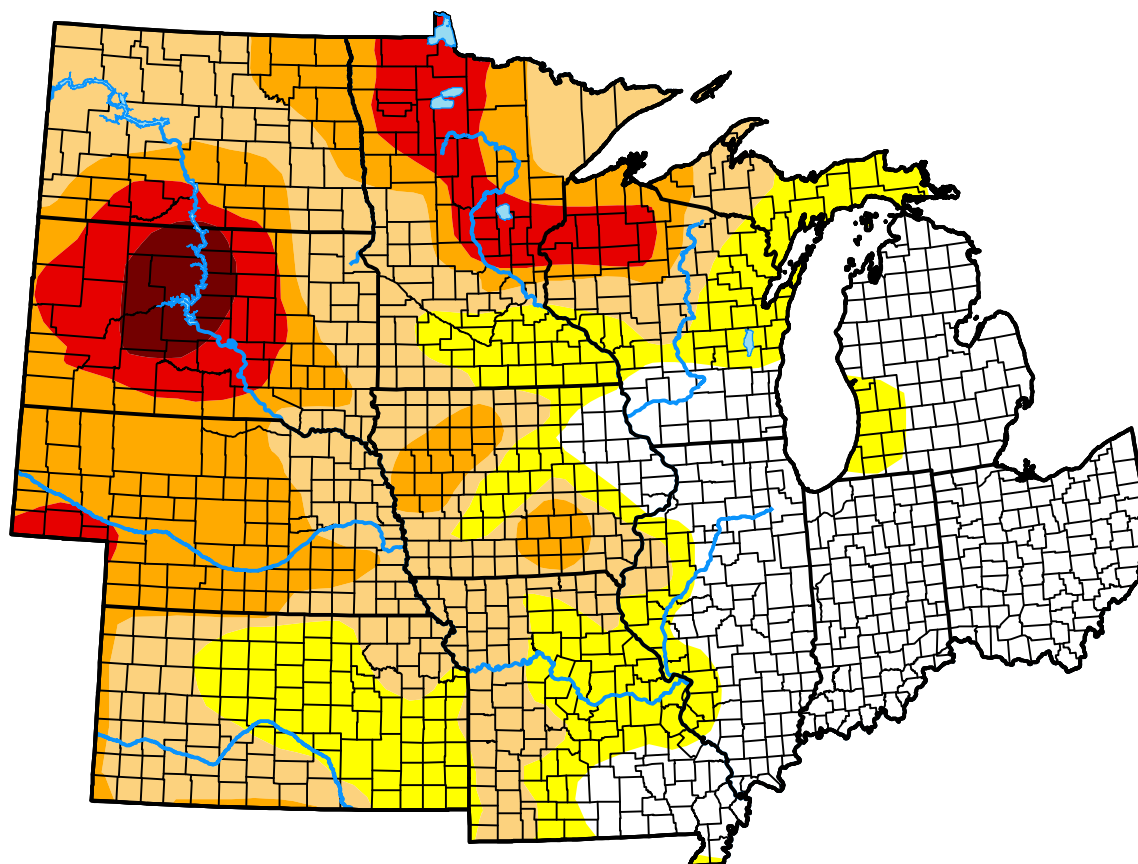
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	25.56	17.23	27.49	18.90	8.88	1.94
Last Week 07-18-2006	24.16	20.28	31.01	19.56	3.57	1.42
3 Months Ago 04-25-2006	54.89	21.36	18.88	3.96	0.92	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2006	58.32	22.61	13.36	3.75	1.96	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2005	54.28	22.07	15.66	6.54	1.45	0.00
One Year Ago 07-26-2005	36.75	28.60	20.18	9.17	5.30	0.00



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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