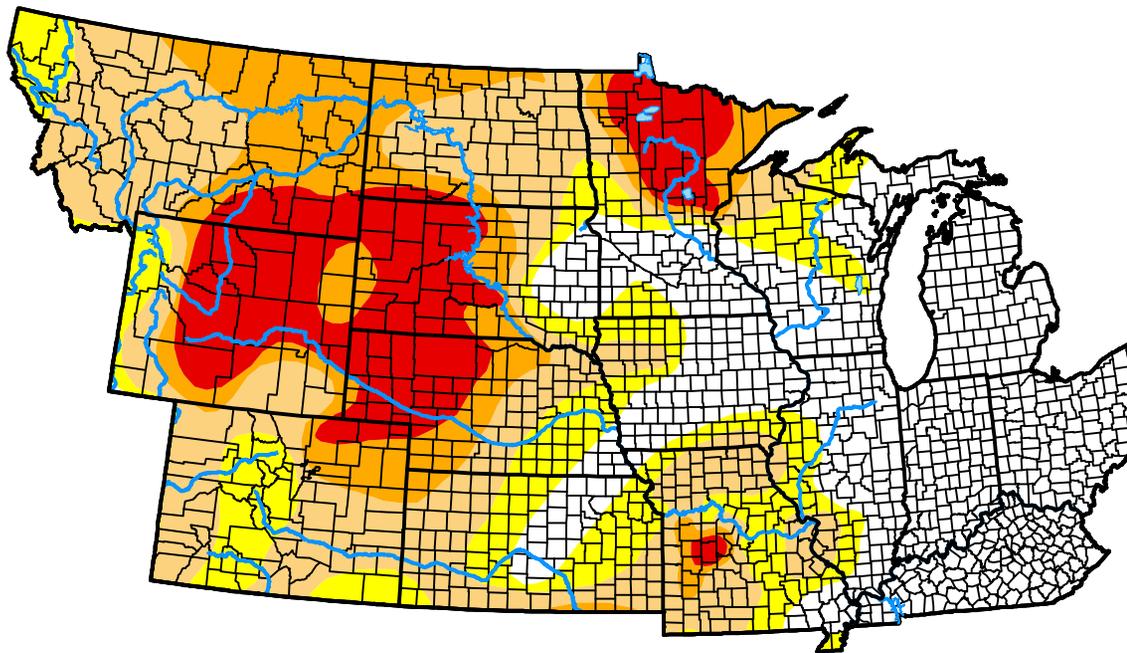


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 29.65 | 15.94 | 26.80 | 13.57 | 14.04 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>09-05-2006</i> | 27.05 | 17.32 | 26.34 | 16.96 | 12.32 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>06-13-2006</i> | 46.85 | 25.61 | 14.61 | 8.41 | 4.53 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i> | 54.22 | 25.41 | 16.13 | 2.94 | 1.30 | 0.00 |
| 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>09-13-2005</i> | 40.17 | 27.86 | 18.52 | 10.80 | 2.65 | 0.00 |



Intensity:



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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