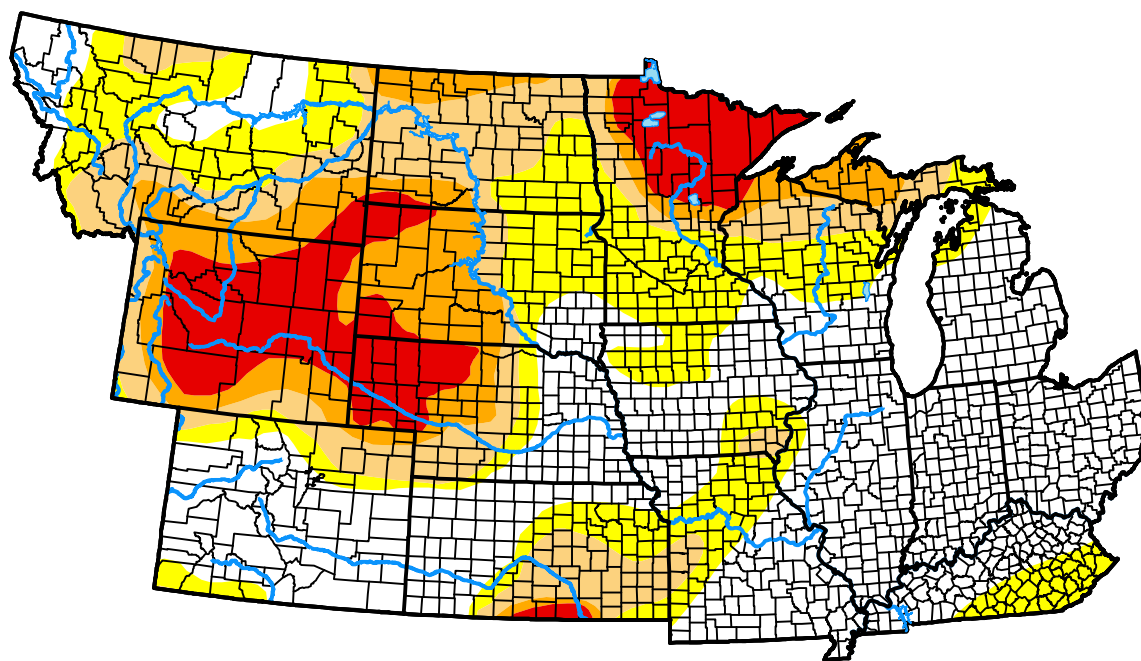


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	41.97	21.28	15.07	10.91	10.77	0.00
Last Week <i>01-09-2007</i>	38.94	23.84	15.49	10.92	10.82	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-17-2006</i>	33.06	17.71	22.20	16.21	10.82	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	39.62	23.84	16.46	10.43	9.65	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	31.69	20.36	21.39	15.72	10.83	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-17-2006</i>	53.60	23.07	18.74	3.08	1.50	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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