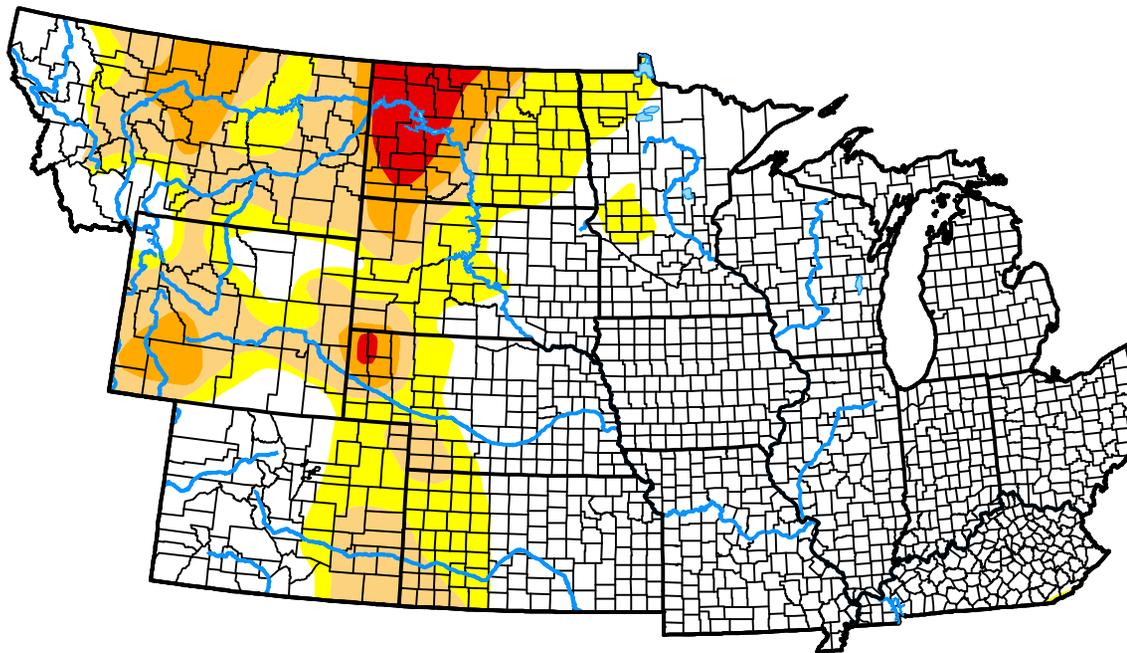


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	65.38	14.84	13.02	4.85	1.92	0.00
Last Week <i>04-29-2008</i>	64.38	13.42	13.58	6.70	1.92	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-05-2008</i>	54.28	22.20	14.43	8.83	0.26	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i>	53.57	22.80	14.72	8.62	0.28	0.01
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	44.63	16.96	17.18	15.18	5.78	0.26
One Year Ago <i>05-08-2007</i>	67.62	13.44	12.33	5.25	1.35	0.00



Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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