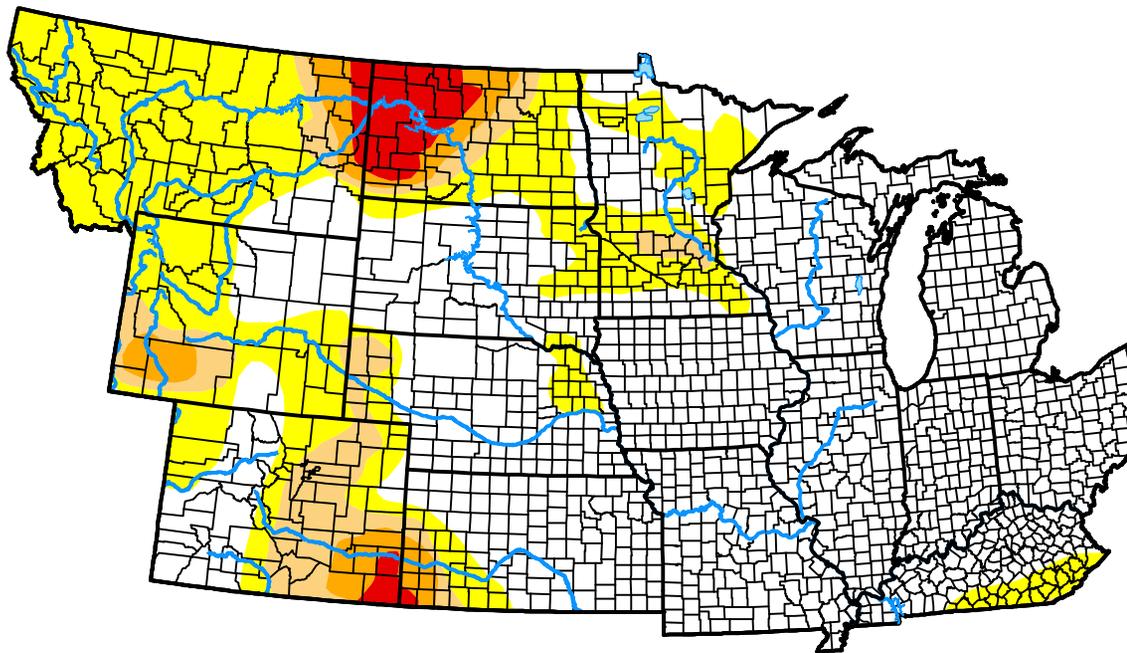


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	61.47	26.74	6.08	3.10	2.60	0.00
Last Week <i>08-05-2008</i>	59.21	27.90	6.70	3.26	2.87	0.06
3 Months Ago <i>05-13-2008</i>	66.09	15.06	12.18	4.86	1.80	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>08-14-2007</i>	29.91	25.98	19.11	20.69	4.31	0.00



Intensity:

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

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