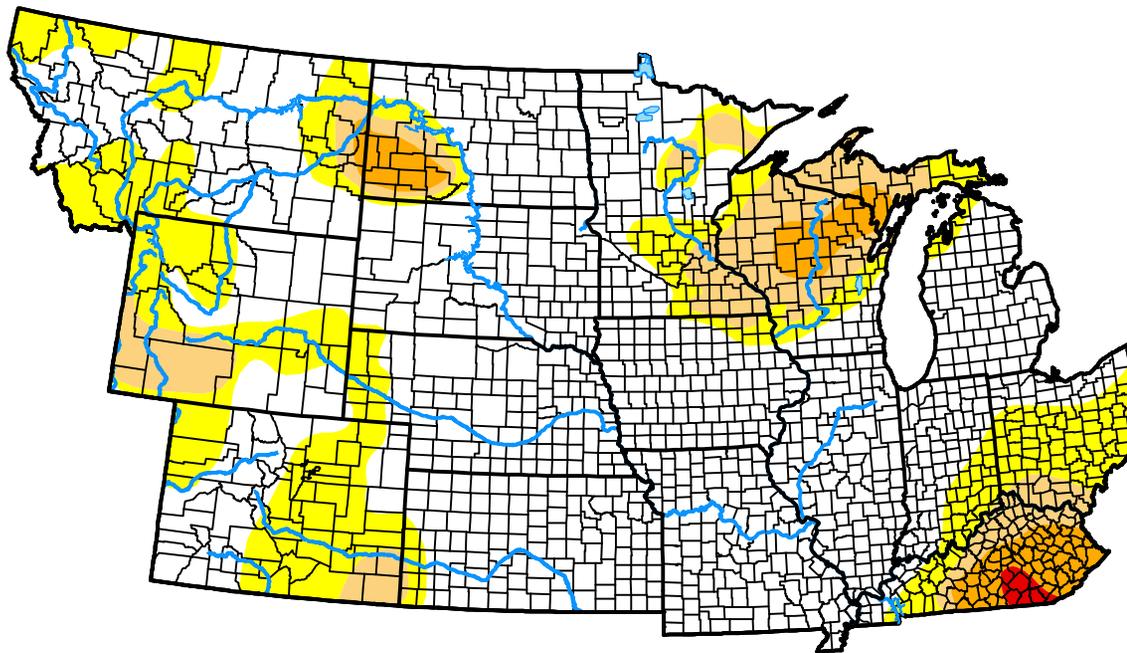


# U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	66.45	21.17	8.58	3.50	0.29	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-21-2008</i>	64.01	22.12	10.03	3.54	0.30	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-29-2008</i>	62.12	26.11	5.54	2.85	3.32	0.06
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	53.57	22.80	14.72	8.62	0.28	0.01
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2008</i>	57.05	26.50	12.91	2.68	0.85	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-30-2007</i>	56.24	18.95	14.44	8.55	1.76	0.06



### 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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