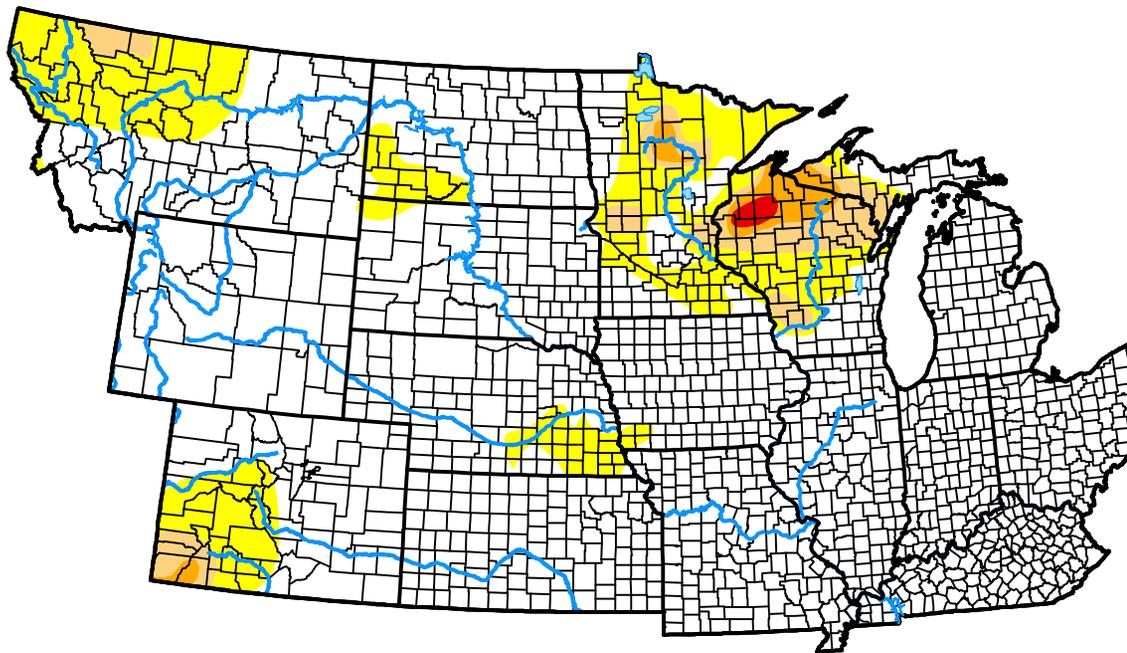


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	81.14	18.86	4.68	1.41	0.21	0.00
Last Week <i>10-06-2009</i>	78.17	21.83	5.27	2.50	0.37	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-14-2009</i>	78.42	21.58	8.24	2.31	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	65.73	34.27	10.66	1.86	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	74.26	25.74	7.29	3.03	0.55	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-14-2008</i>	65.22	34.78	13.26	3.43	0.30	0.00



Intensity:



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