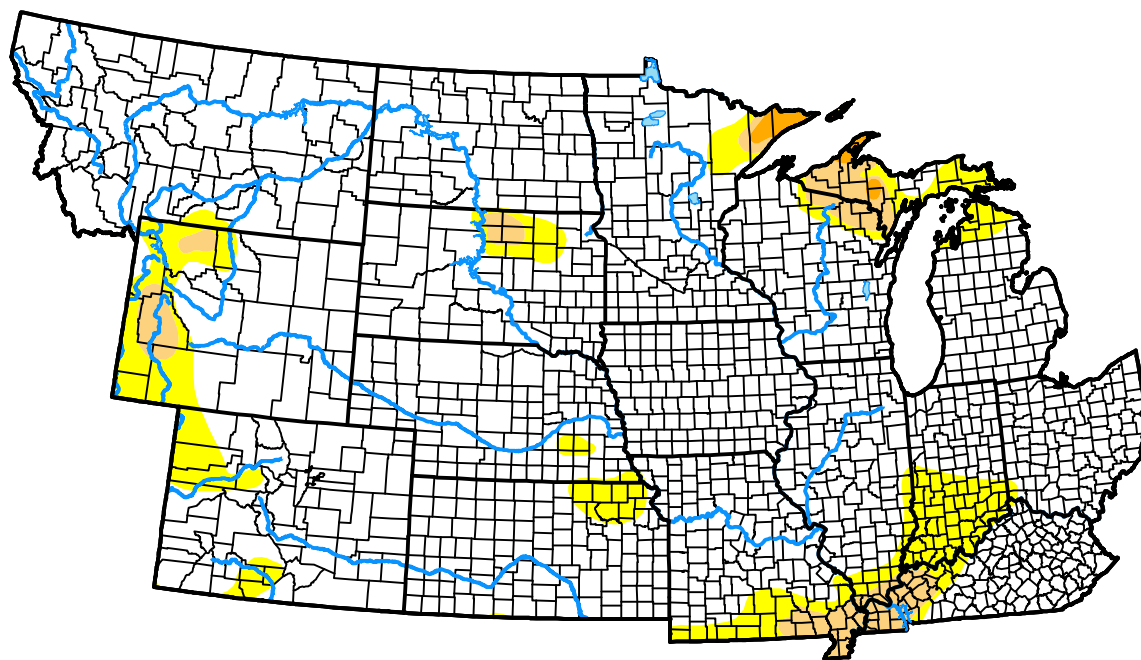


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	87.53	12.47	3.41	0.38	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-17-2010</i>	87.84	12.16	3.86	0.72	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-25-2010</i>	81.71	18.29	9.73	3.65	0.47	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	84.52	15.48	2.18	0.34	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>08-25-2009</i>	83.63	16.37	4.64	1.46	0.00	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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