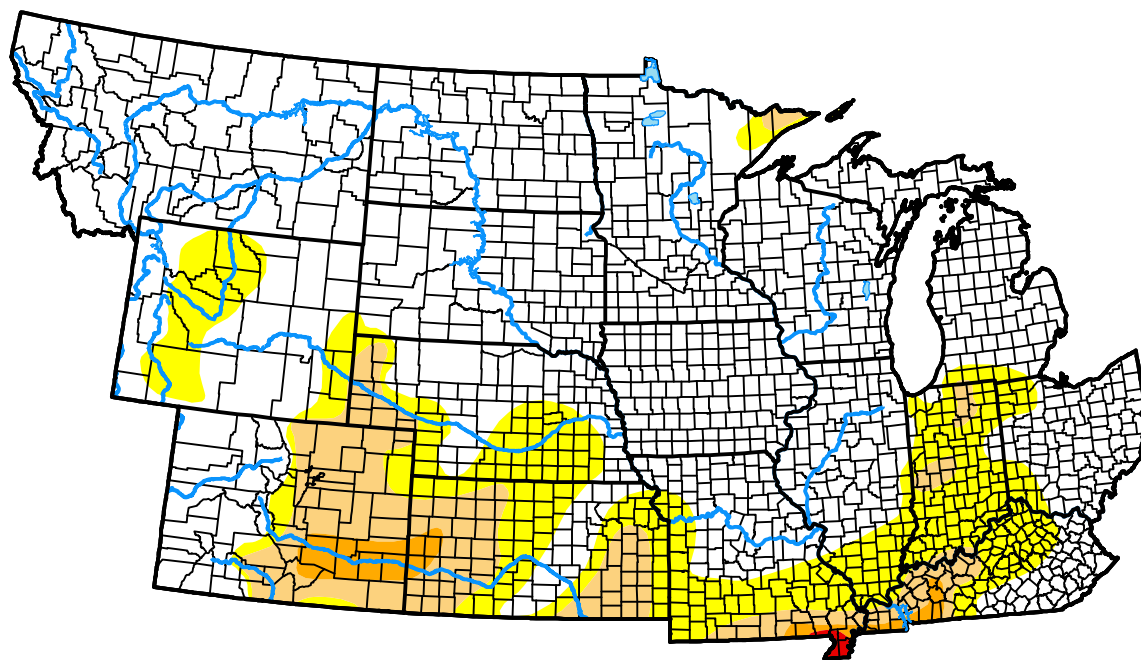


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	72.49	16.84	8.97	1.58	0.13	0.00
Last Week <i>01-11-2011</i>	74.13	15.34	8.83	1.58	0.13	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-19-2010</i>	71.46	19.86	5.83	2.58	0.28	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	73.90	16.71	7.66	1.60	0.13	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	73.60	20.61	4.64	1.16	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-19-2010</i>	83.34	12.78	3.50	0.38	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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