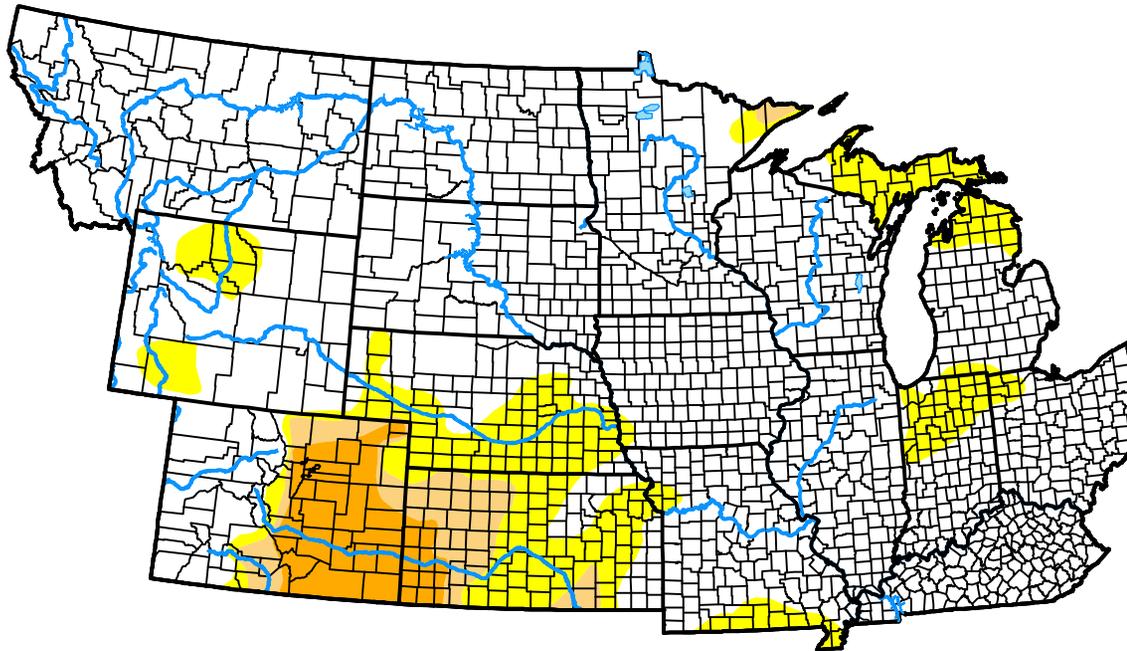


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	79.02	13.50	3.21	4.26	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-15-2011</i>	80.27	12.46	3.70	3.57	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-21-2010</i>	74.78	15.39	8.19	1.52	0.13	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>03-23-2010</i>	76.87	13.91	7.65	1.57	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

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

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