

U.S. Drought Monitor

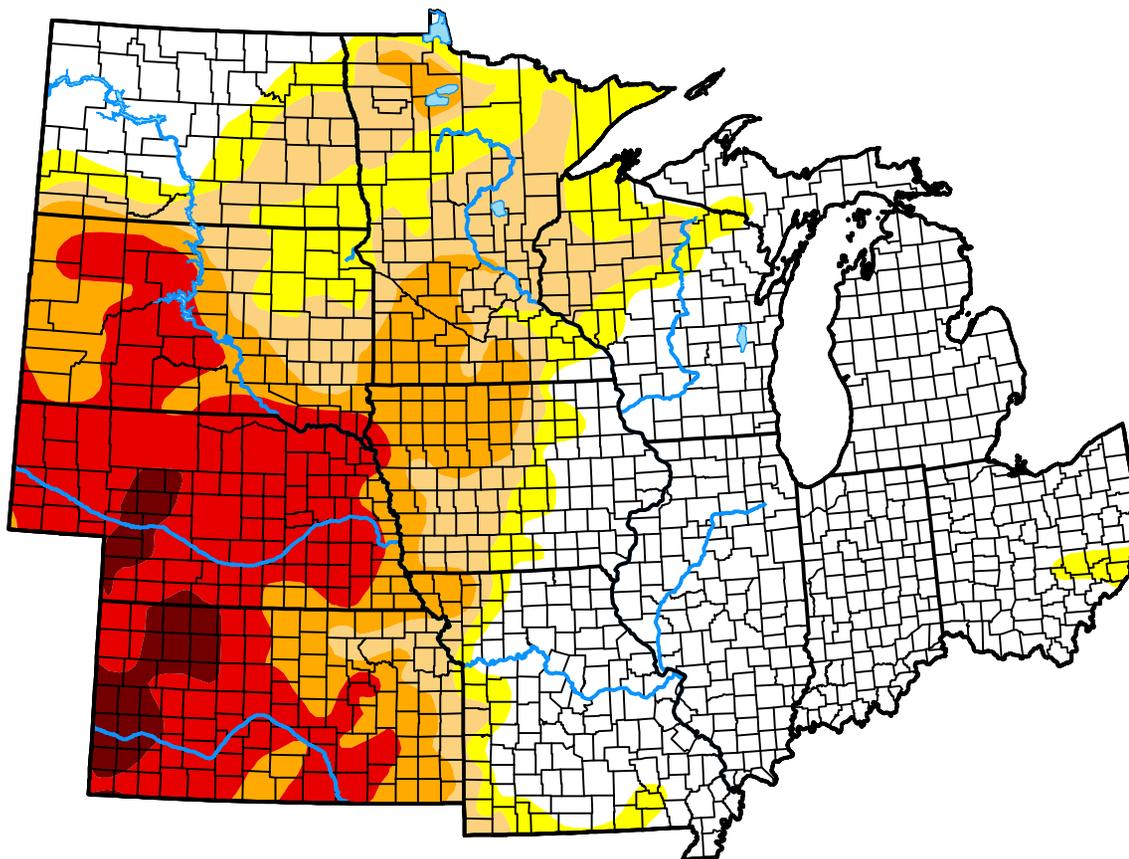
North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	43.31	56.69	45.58	31.82	19.28	2.65
Last Week <i>04-09-2013</i>	37.22	62.78	56.42	43.49	26.02	4.74
3 Months Ago <i>01-15-2013</i>	18.03	81.97	70.09	52.84	29.72	14.74
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	15.49	84.51	71.46	53.03	29.73	14.86
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	3.58	96.42	82.21	57.26	34.44	13.74
One Year Ago <i>04-17-2012</i>	56.24	43.76	17.31	4.26	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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