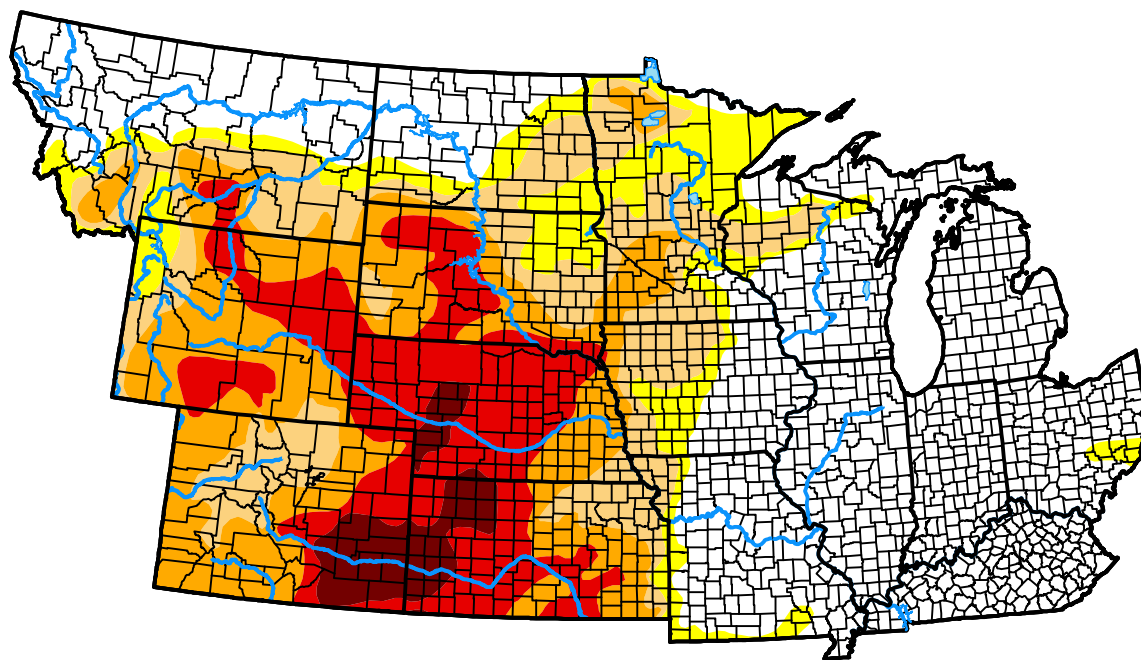


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	41.55	58.45	48.50	33.85	16.98	3.23
Last Week 04-16-2013	39.07	60.93	51.22	37.29	19.89	2.99
3 Months Ago 01-22-2013	21.86	78.14	67.15	53.75	31.32	11.97
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	19.52	80.48	69.04	53.41	30.85	11.96
Start of Water Year 09-25-2012	6.17	93.83	80.70	58.61	33.97	10.86
One Year Ago 04-24-2012	54.62	45.38	18.34	5.09	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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