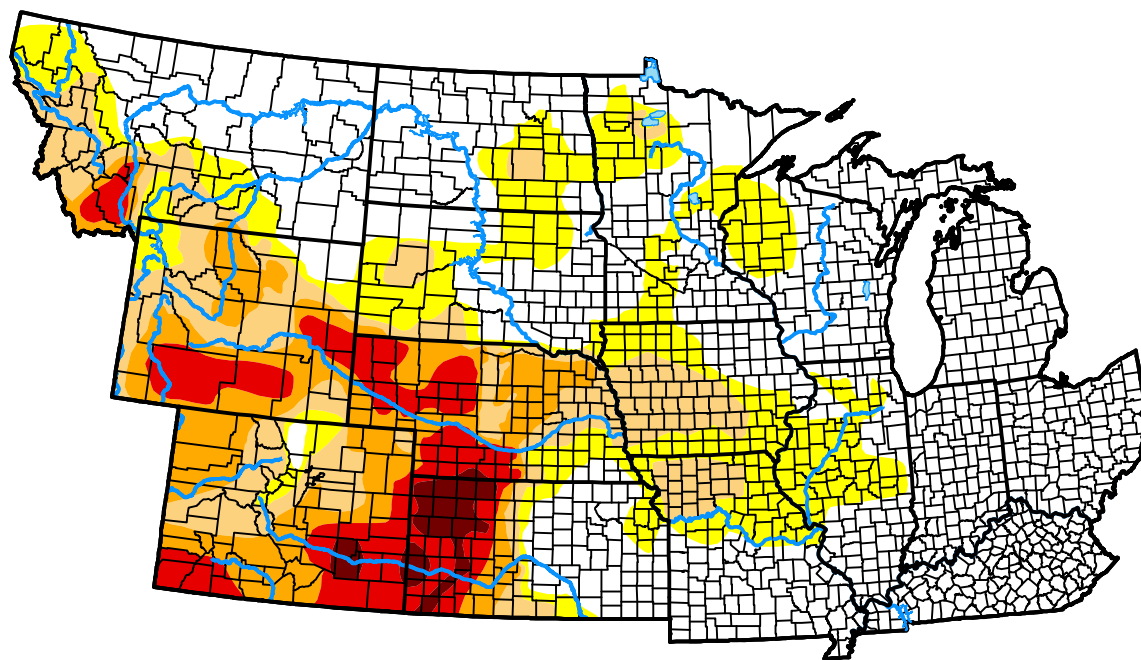


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	50.83	49.17	31.48	18.66	8.52	1.50
Last Week <i>08-06-2013</i>	51.17	48.83	31.68	19.62	8.88	2.53
3 Months Ago <i>05-14-2013</i>	43.66	56.34	44.35	31.84	13.50	3.48
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	19.52	80.48	69.04	53.41	30.85	11.96
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	6.17	93.83	80.70	58.61	33.97	10.86
One Year Ago <i>08-14-2012</i>	13.21	86.79	71.85	58.39	37.19	10.37

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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