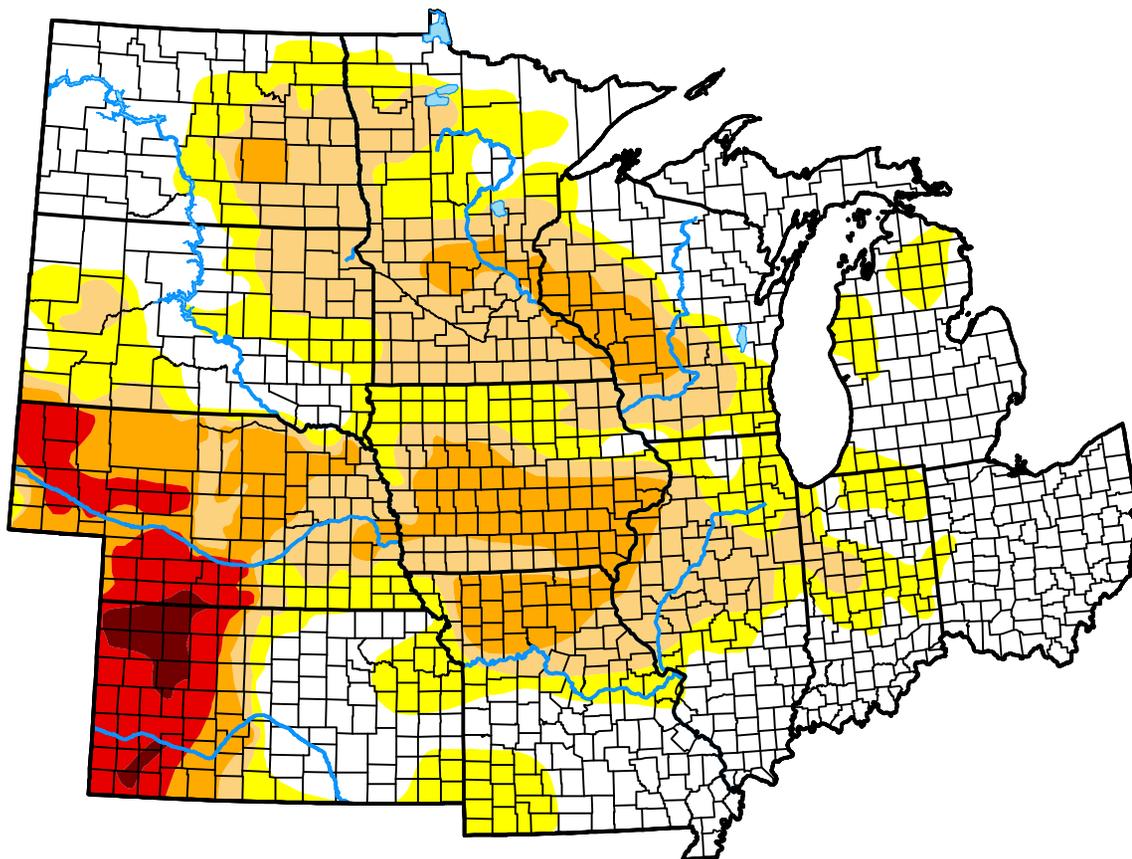


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## North Central States

**September 10, 2013**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 12, 2013)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	39.53	21.30	20.83	12.40	4.91	1.03
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-03-2013</i>	42.91	19.83	21.37	9.96	4.91	1.03
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-11-2013</i>	68.32	9.02	7.93	6.41	5.34	2.98
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	15.49	13.05	18.43	23.30	14.87	14.86
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	3.58	14.20	24.95	22.82	20.70	13.74
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-11-2012</i>	3.20	19.51	21.24	23.09	18.56	14.40

***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>*

***Author:***

Anthony Artusa  
 NOAA/NWS/NCEP/CPC



**droughtmonitor.unl.edu**