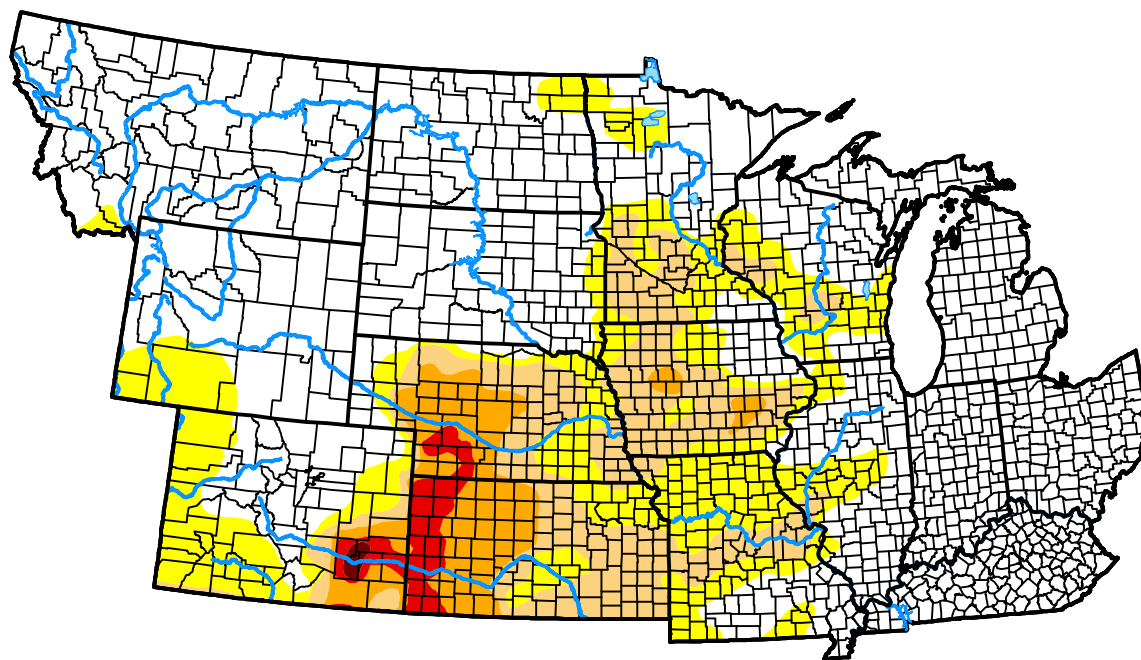


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	63.97	17.95	11.39	4.89	1.67	0.13
Last Week <i>03-11-2014</i>	63.51	21.01	8.80	5.45	1.09	0.13
3 Months Ago <i>12-17-2013</i>	56.68	25.94	10.76	5.72	0.77	0.13
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	59.98	22.98	10.36	5.60	0.94	0.13
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	42.76	24.39	19.10	12.34	1.28	0.13
One Year Ago <i>03-19-2013</i>	31.19	10.46	11.35	19.59	16.66	10.75

Intensity:

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

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