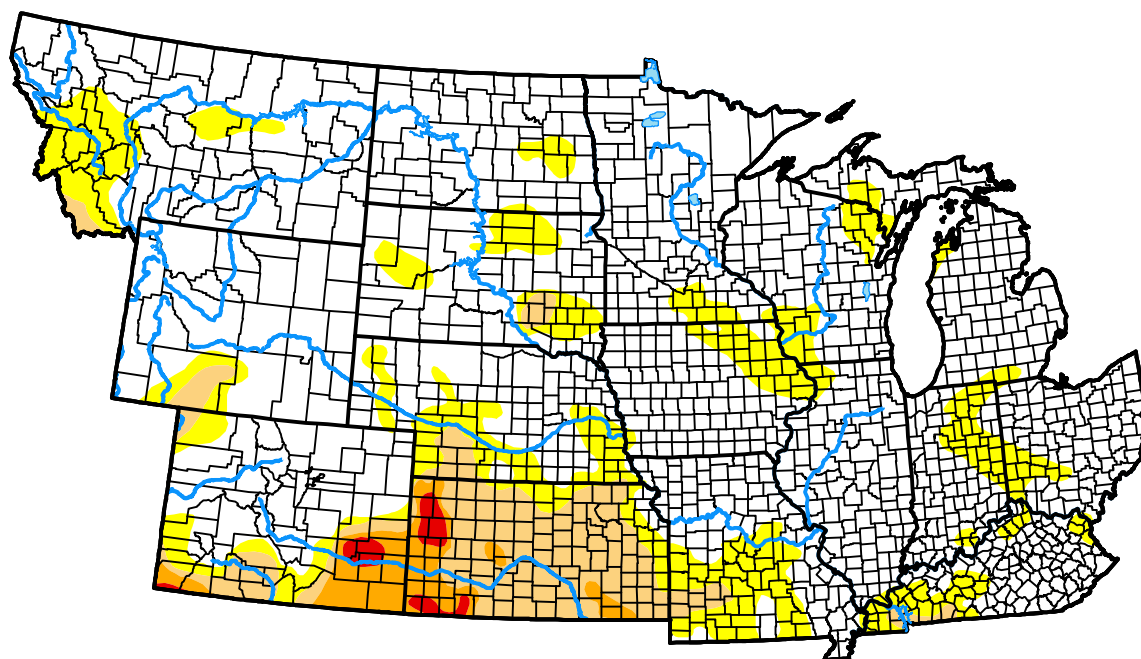


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	74.39	15.45	7.32	2.20	0.64	0.00
Last Week 08-12-2014	76.59	12.96	7.62	2.15	0.69	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-20-2014	73.71	8.75	8.38	4.26	4.50	0.40
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2013	59.98	22.98	10.36	5.60	0.94	0.13
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	42.76	24.39	19.10	12.34	1.28	0.13
One Year Ago 08-20-2013	43.14	24.76	13.98	10.09	7.08	0.94

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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