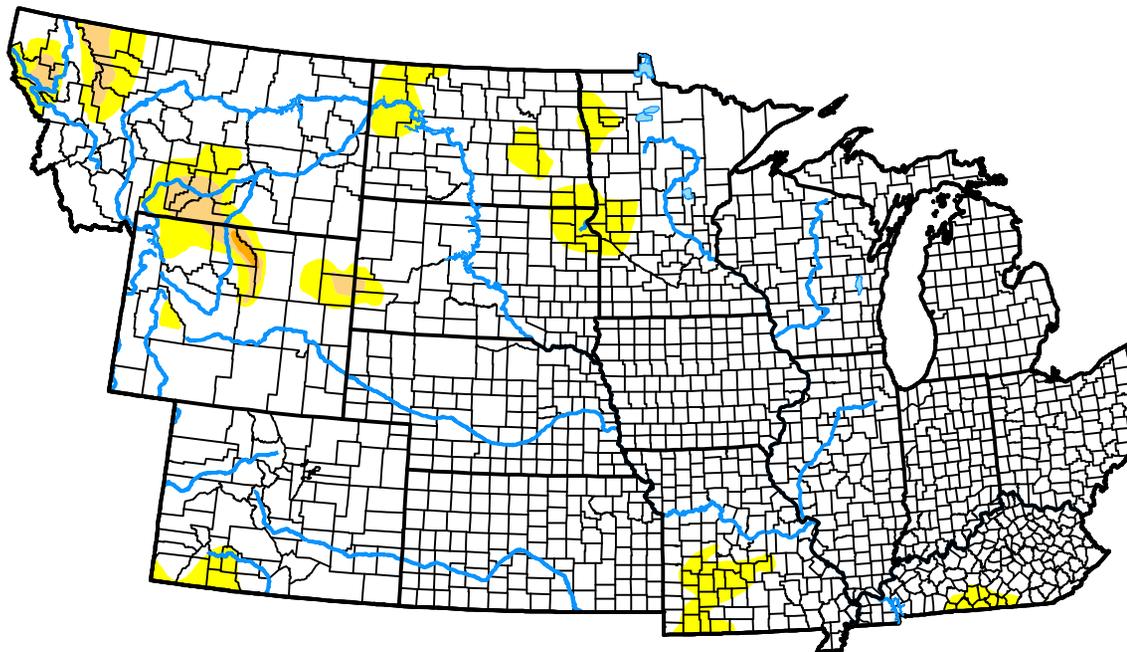


# U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	91.59	6.97	1.35	0.09	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-10-2016</i>	88.79	9.22	1.85	0.15	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-16-2016</i>	81.23	13.68	3.79	1.31	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2015</i>	78.96	15.39	2.98	2.22	0.45	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	71.52	22.81	2.01	1.51	2.15	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-19-2015</i>	59.02	26.46	13.32	1.21	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



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