

# U.S. Drought Monitor NWS Central

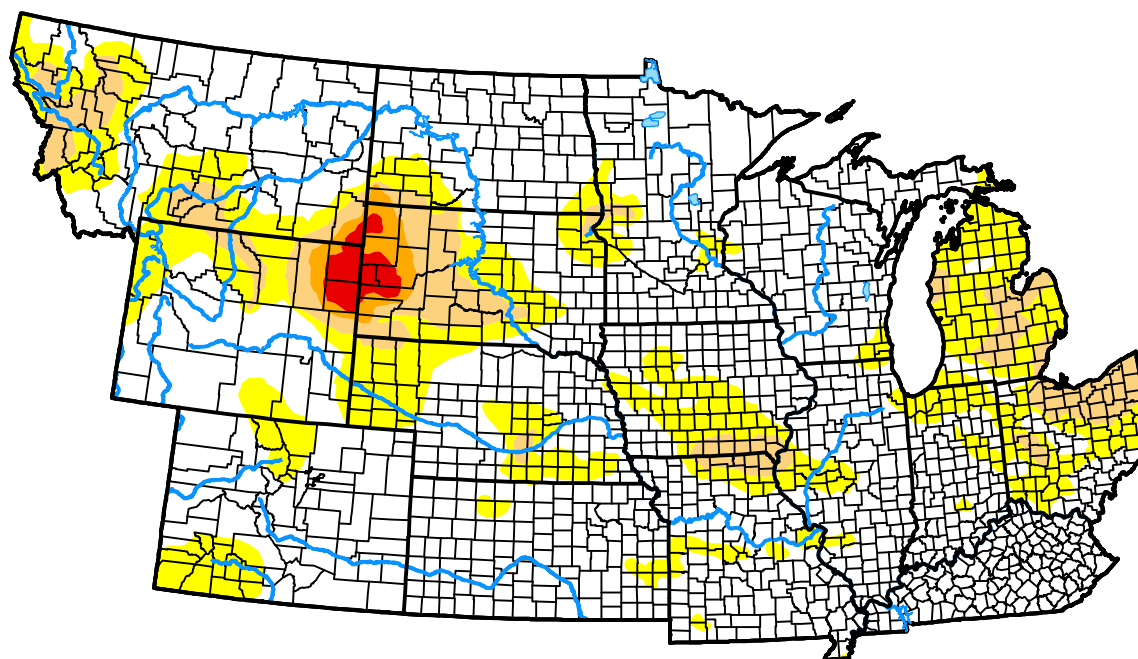
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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0    | D1   | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 69.65 | 21.12 | 7.36 | 1.02 | 0.85 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>07-12-2016              | 74.89 | 17.85 | 6.41 | 0.72 | 0.12 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>04-19-2016           | 73.62 | 21.78 | 4.35 | 0.25 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>12-29-2015 | 78.96 | 15.39 | 2.98 | 2.22 | 0.45 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>09-29-2015    | 71.52 | 22.81 | 2.01 | 1.51 | 2.15 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>07-21-2015           | 84.99 | 9.33  | 2.38 | 1.57 | 1.73 | 0.00 |



## 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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