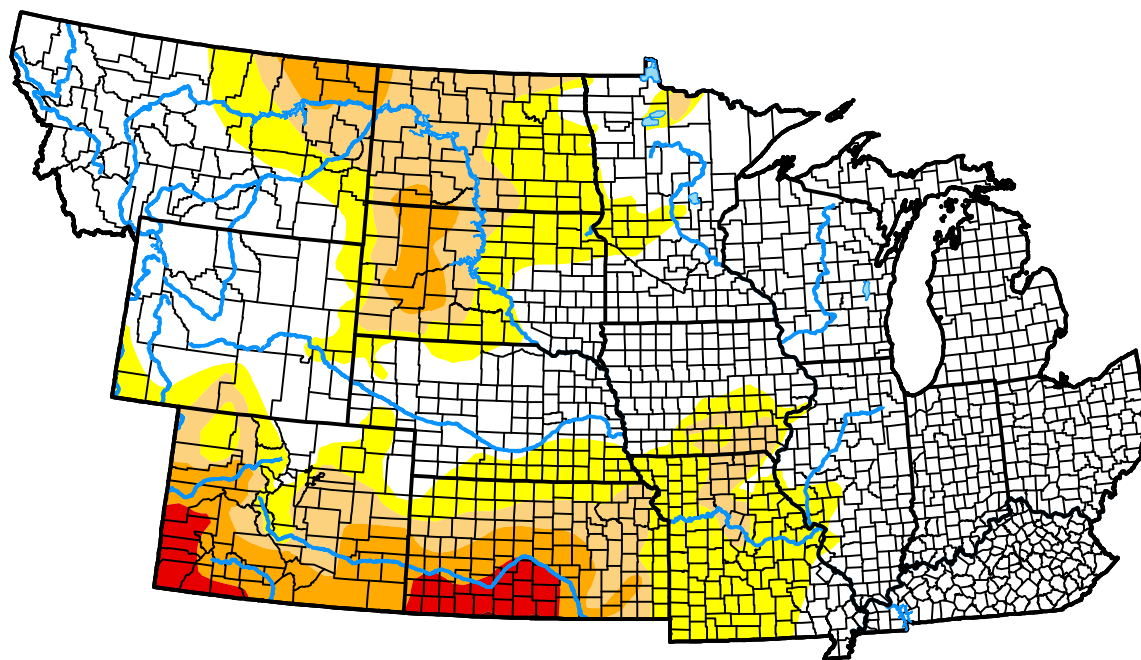


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	58.51	19.76	12.31	7.24	2.15	0.02
Last Week 02-27-2018	56.80	19.91	15.69	6.23	1.36	0.00
3 Months Ago 12-05-2017	57.27	22.82	13.05	4.91	1.96	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2018	44.74	32.96	14.61	5.66	2.03	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2017	50.80	25.10	11.21	6.75	3.87	2.26
One Year Ago 03-07-2017	73.14	12.33	13.22	1.26	0.06	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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