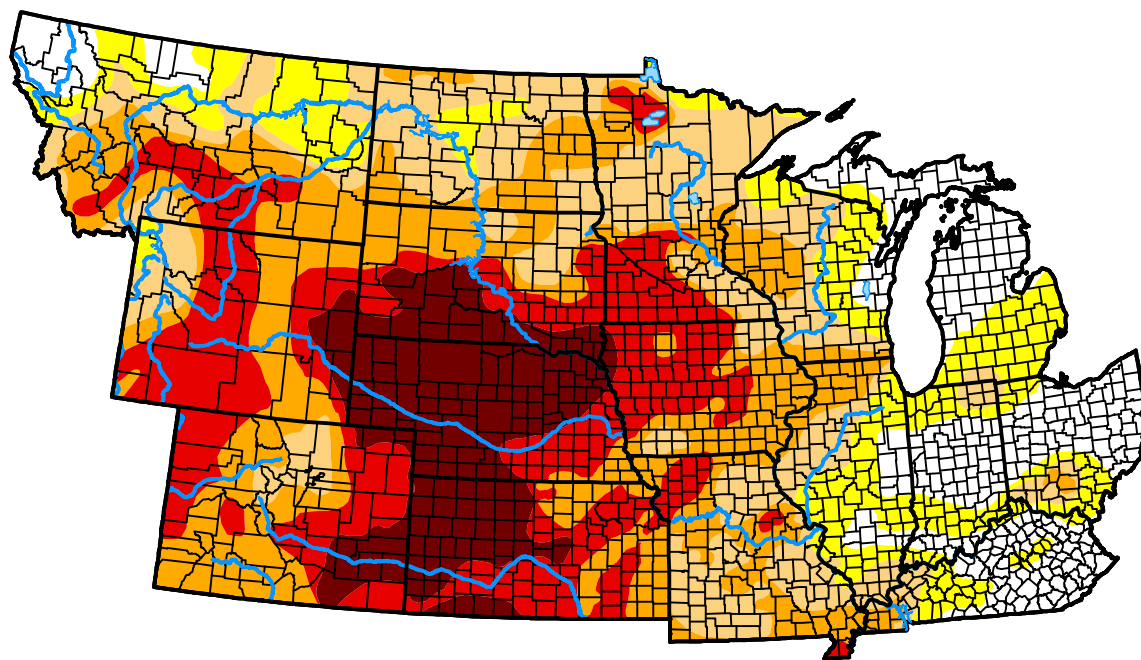


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	12.39	12.52	20.22	23.20	19.45	12.22
Last Week <i>10-23-2012</i>	9.42	12.42	21.47	23.65	20.83	12.22
3 Months Ago <i>07-31-2012</i>	11.82	14.58	13.39	25.20	31.10	3.91
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	68.31	17.88	8.08	4.81	0.90	0.02
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	6.17	13.13	22.09	24.64	23.11	10.86
One Year Ago <i>11-01-2011</i>	65.51	13.92	10.86	6.79	1.79	1.13

Intensity:

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

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