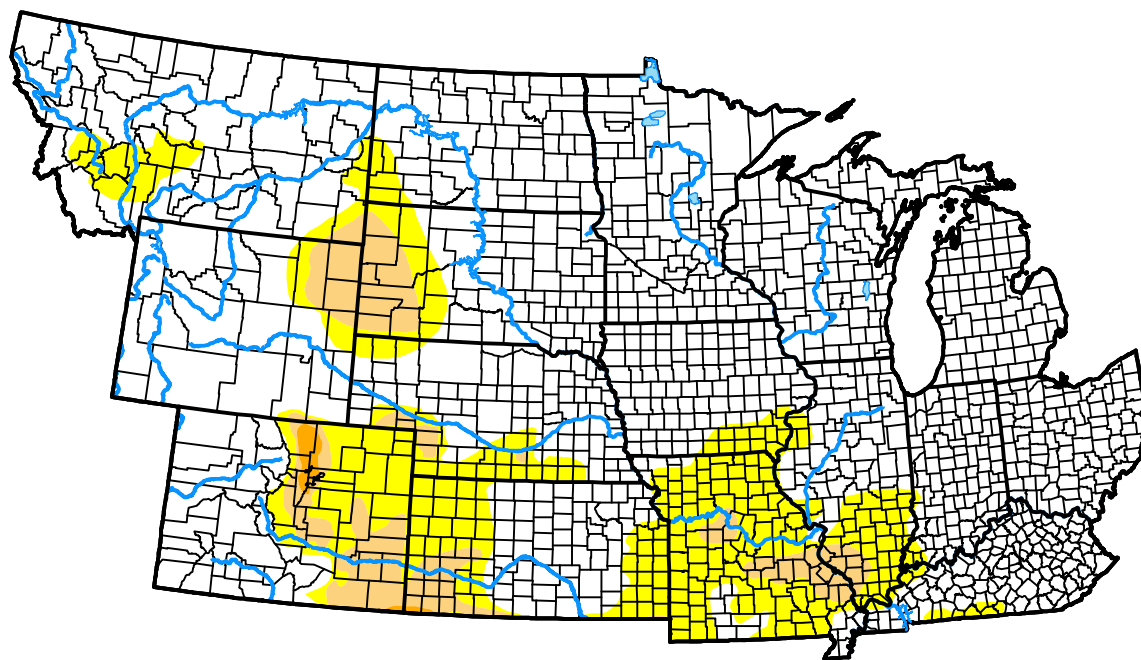


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	77.31	22.69	6.07	0.31	0.00	0.00
Last Week 03-28-2017	72.53	27.47	12.38	1.13	0.06	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-03-2017	65.79	34.21	12.04	1.70	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	65.79	34.21	12.04	1.70	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	76.71	23.29	7.36	1.93	0.12	0.00
One Year Ago 04-05-2016	69.50	30.50	6.44	0.46	0.00	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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