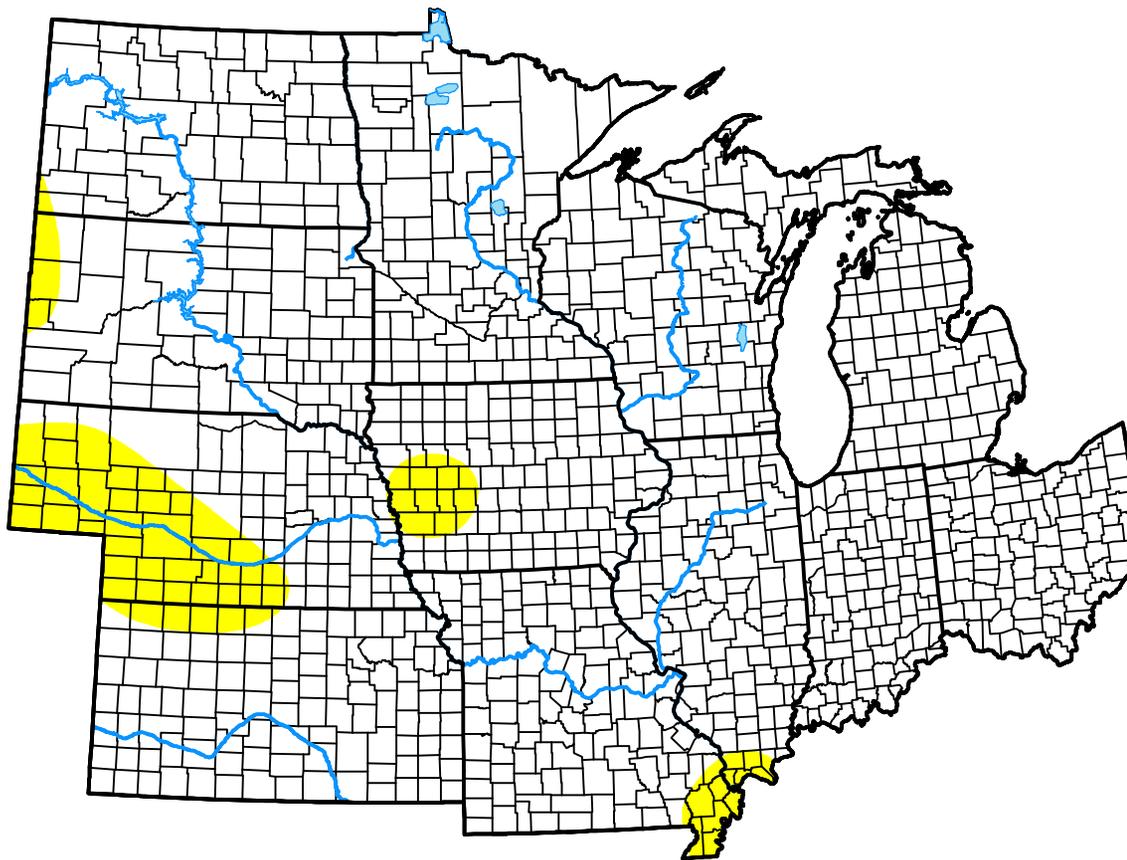


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	92.71	7.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-13-2001</i>	93.16	6.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-19-2000</i>	76.34	23.66	6.56	2.07	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	79.21	20.79	5.84	2.32	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	57.57	42.43	20.46	11.46	0.25	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-21-2000</i>	32.60	67.40	36.61	15.98	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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