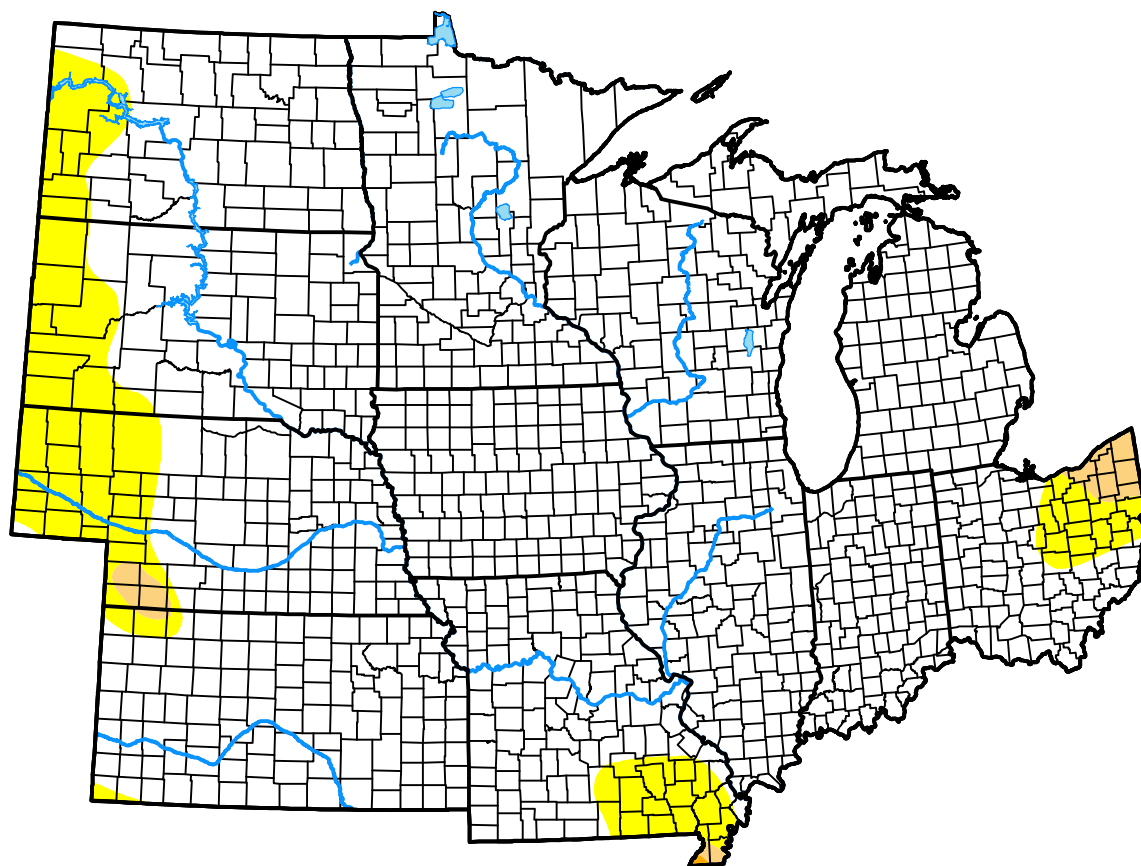


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	89.31	9.77	0.89	0.02	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-25-2001</i>	89.84	8.92	0.85	0.40	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-03-2001</i>	88.51	8.09	2.69	0.71	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	79.21	14.96	3.52	2.32	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	89.84	8.92	0.85	0.40	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-03-2000</i>	54.75	20.54	10.75	13.35	0.61	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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