

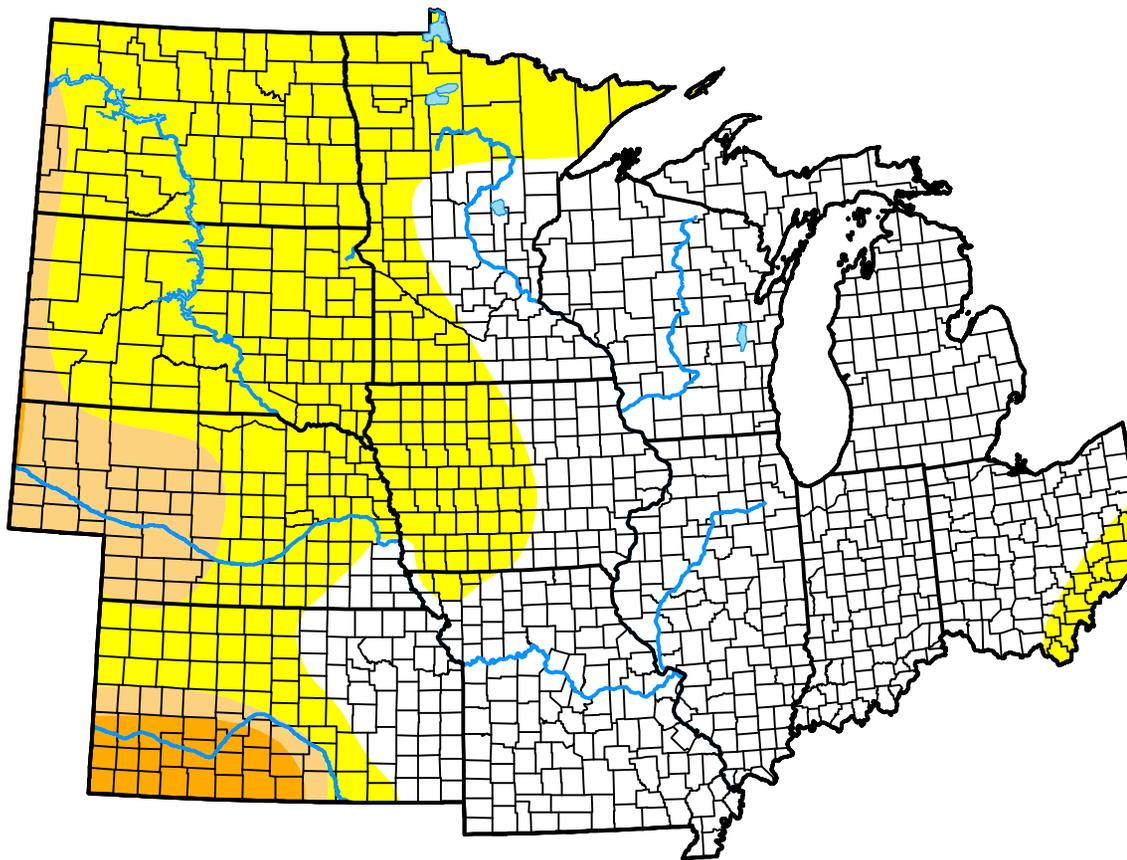
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## North Central States

**March 26, 2002**  
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	52.07	38.60	6.83	2.49	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-19-2002</i>	54.00	38.05	6.57	1.38	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-25-2001</i>	76.45	16.59	6.92	0.05	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	74.67	17.79	7.46	0.07	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	89.84	8.92	0.85	0.40	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-27-2001</i>	83.53	16.47	0.00	0.00	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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