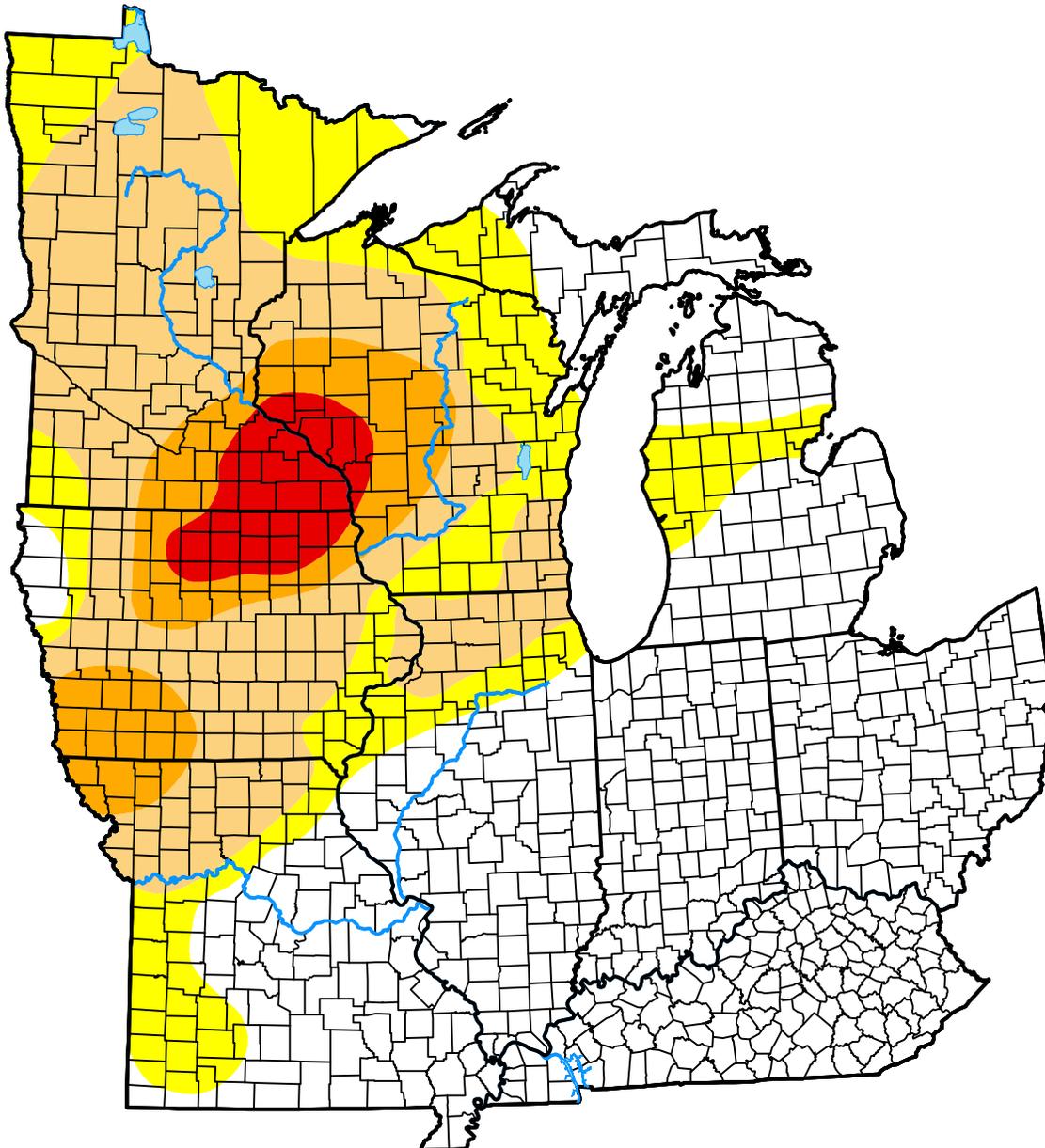


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Midwest

**November 4, 2003**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	50.17	49.83	33.43	10.62	3.37	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-28-2003</i>	47.39	52.61	37.57	15.61	5.24	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-05-2003</i>	78.20	21.80	6.31	2.94	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2002</i>	51.12	48.88	24.16	5.50	1.21	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2003</i>	44.04	55.96	39.82	14.66	2.52	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-05-2002</i>	72.18	27.82	18.35	1.35	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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