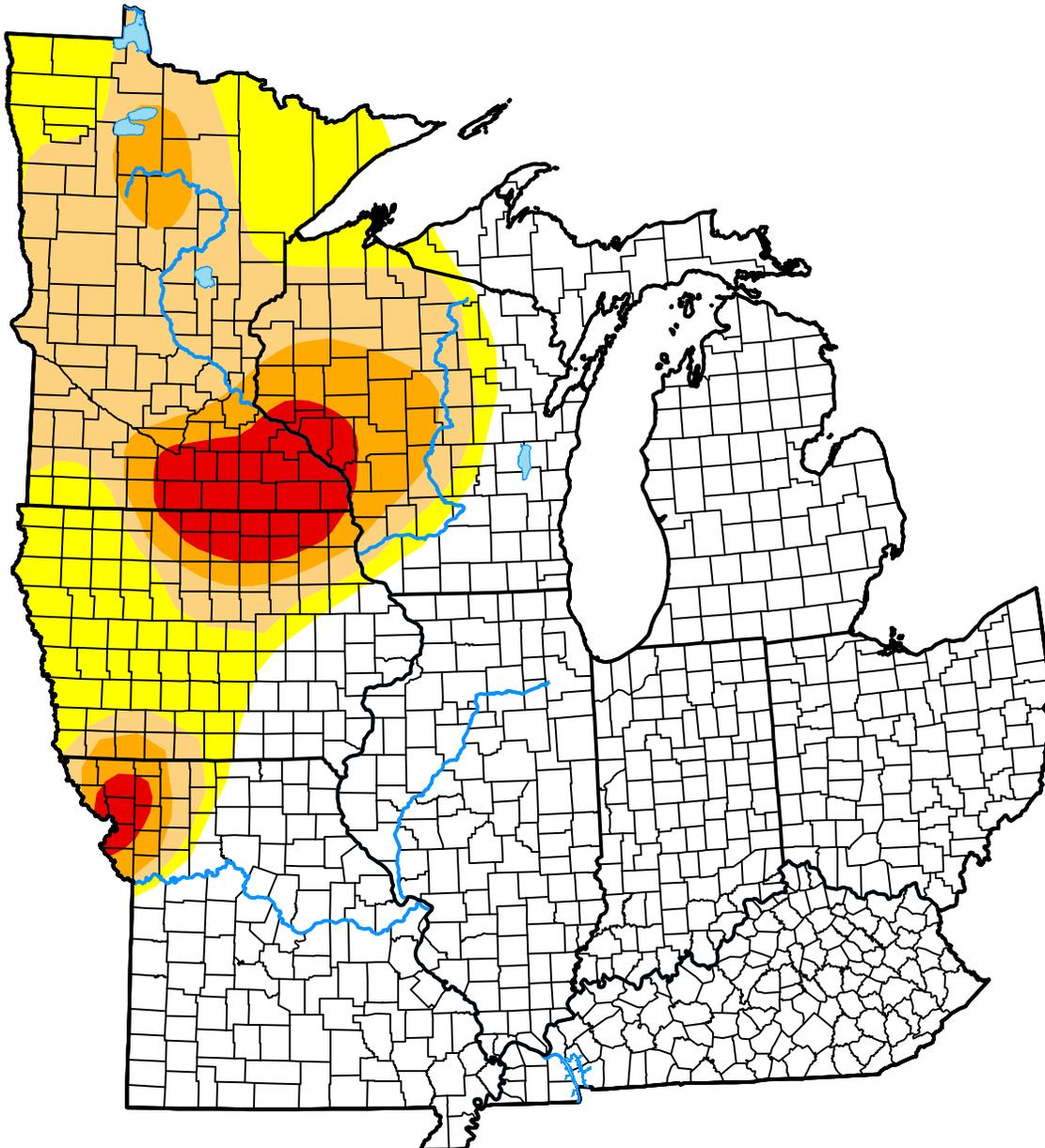


U.S. Drought Monitor

Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	65.31	11.33	14.07	5.68	3.60	0.00
Last Week <i>01-20-2004</i>	66.63	8.89	14.58	6.31	3.60	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-28-2003</i>	47.39	15.04	21.96	10.36	5.24	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	63.10	11.75	13.36	7.25	4.54	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	44.04	16.14	25.16	12.14	2.52	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-28-2003</i>	23.71	37.61	23.71	11.91	3.06	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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