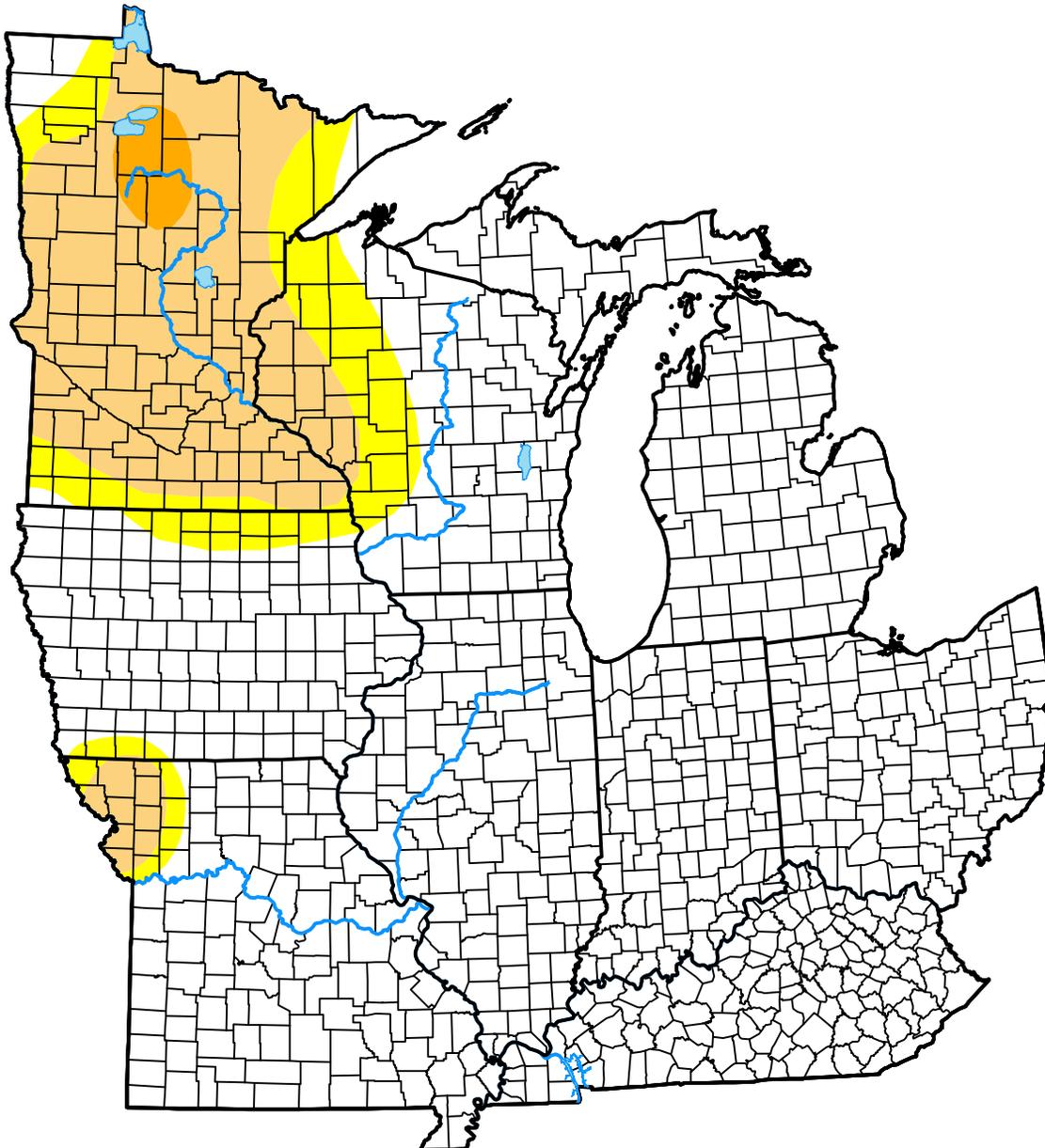


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	77.89	6.56	14.52	1.03	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-23-2004</i>	74.47	5.46	17.65	2.43	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-30-2003</i>	63.10	11.75	13.36	7.25	4.54	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>04-01-2003</i>	34.28	22.84	25.81	14.07	3.00	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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