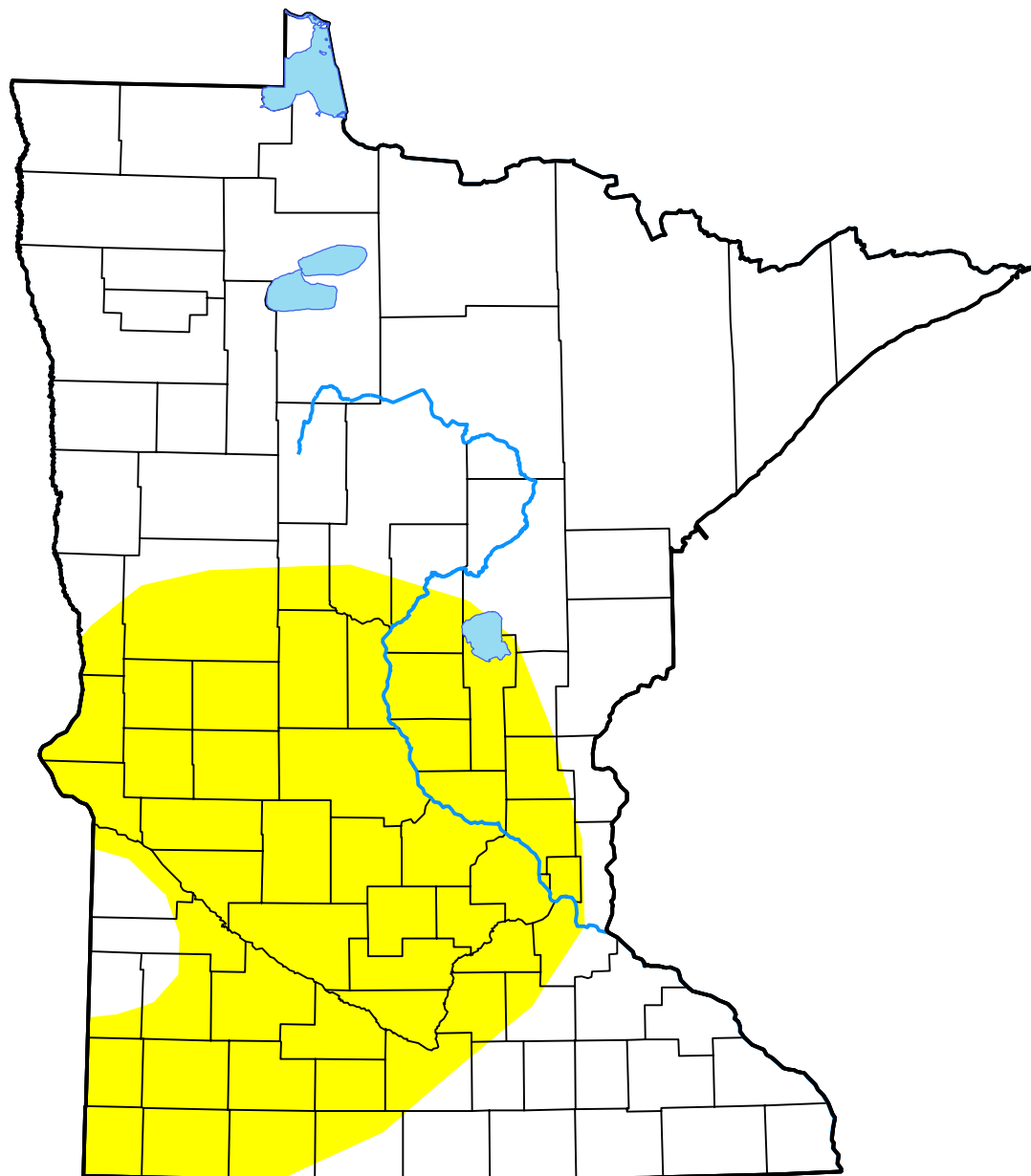


U.S. Drought Monitor Minnesota



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	64.76	35.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-30-2004	54.72	45.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-07-2004	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-06-2005	64.76	35.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2004	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 01-08-2004	0.90	25.19	52.53	10.90	10.49	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.
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