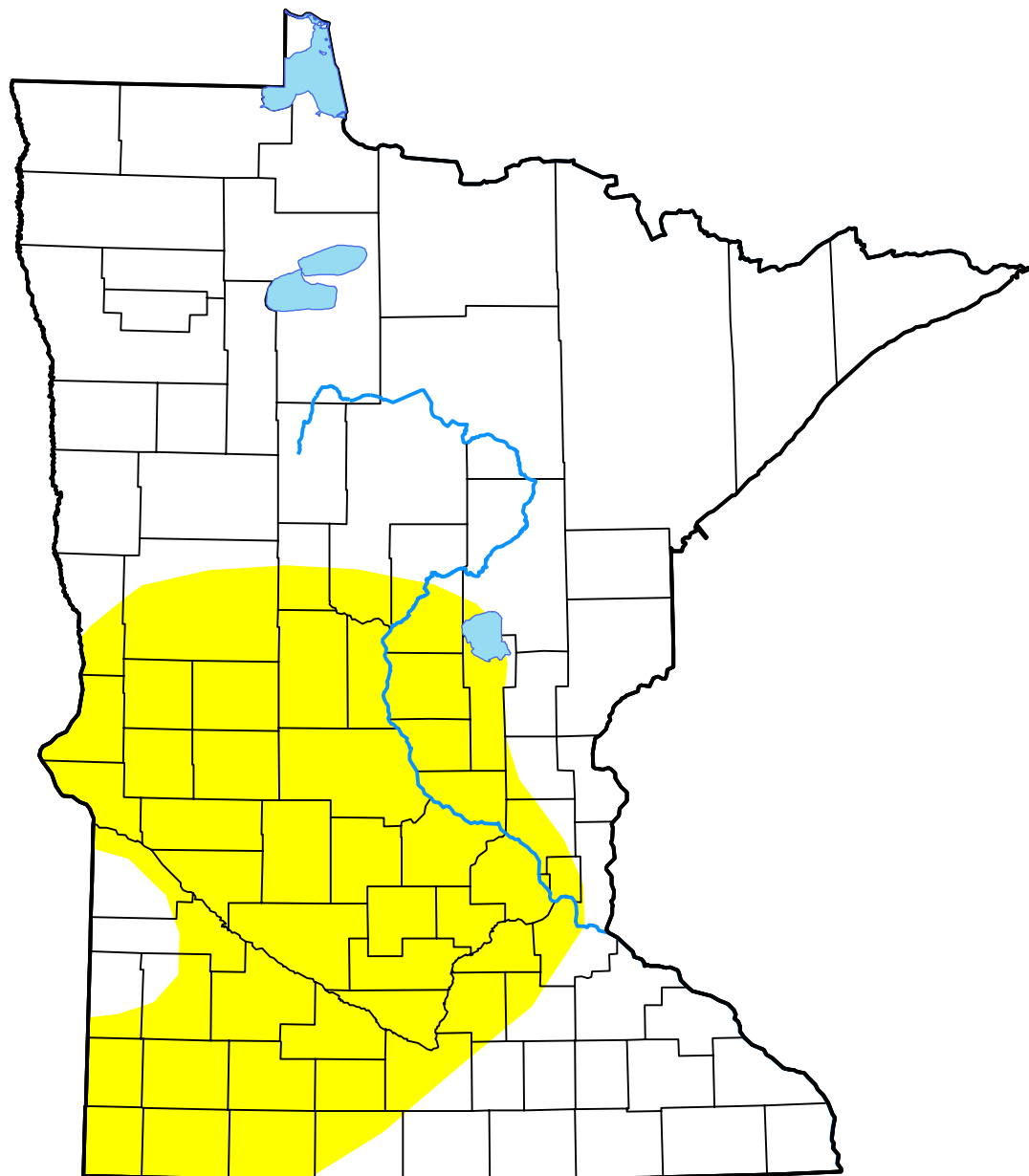


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	65.70	34.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-13-2005</i>	64.76	35.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-21-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	64.76	35.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-22-2004</i>	0.91	99.09	75.92	21.39	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. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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