

# U.S. Drought Monitor

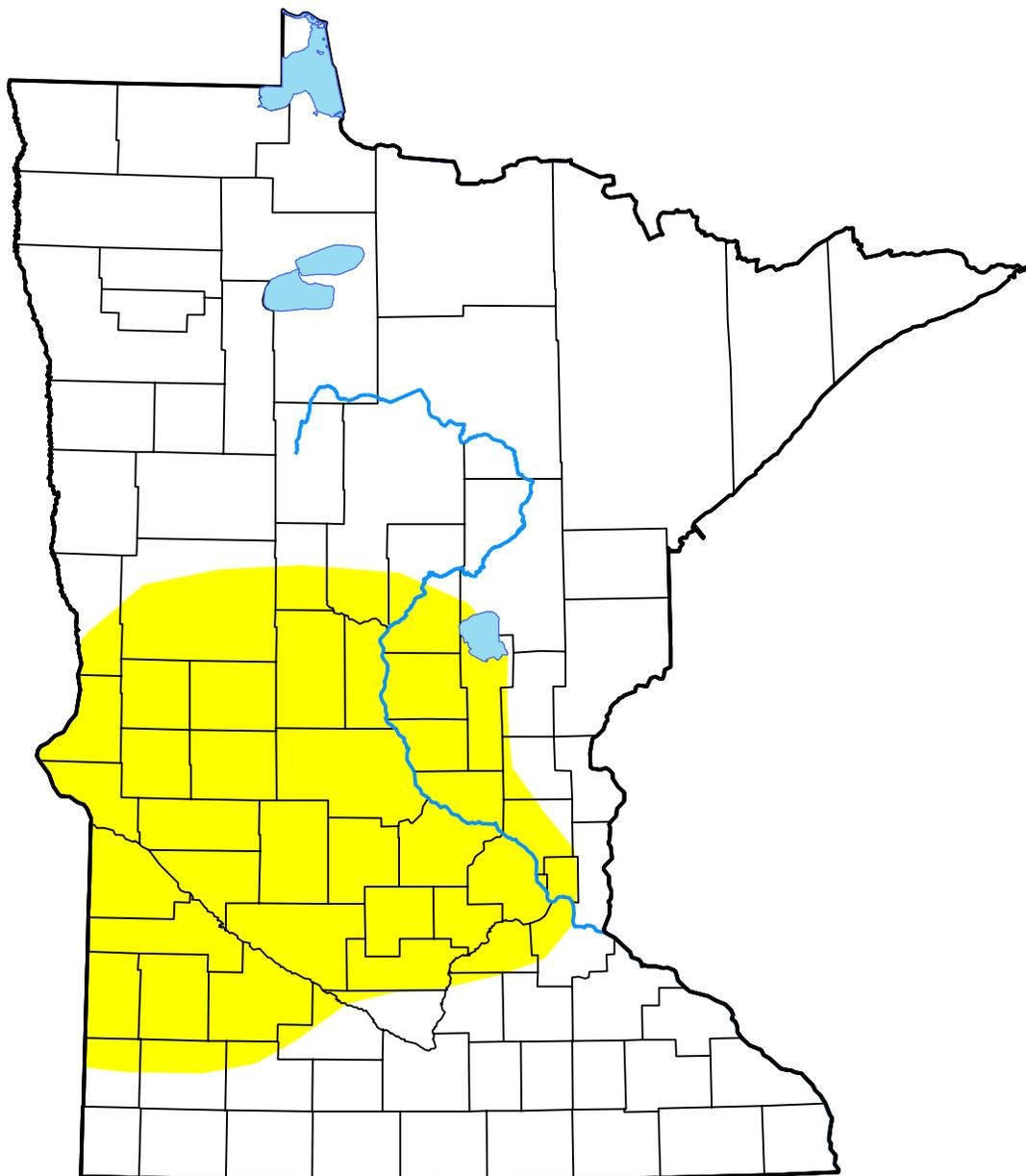
## Minnesota

**March 15, 2005**  
*(Released Thursday, Mar. 17, 2005)*

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	71.11	28.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-10-2005</i>	71.11	28.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-16-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	64.76	35.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-18-2004</i>	1.29	11.48	75.30	11.93	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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