

# U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

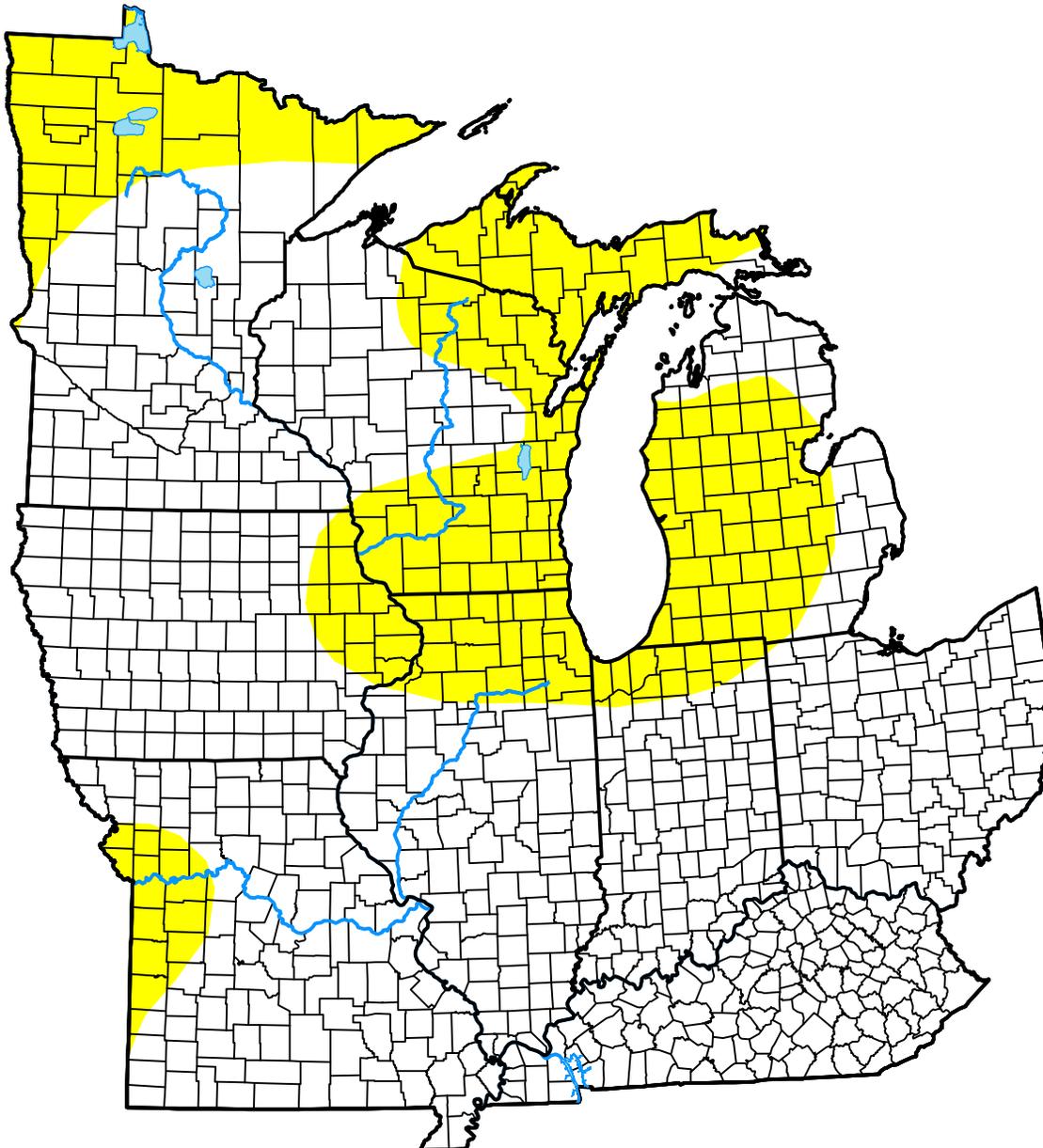
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	73.21	26.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-26-2005</i>	84.00	16.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-01-2005</i>	90.09	9.91	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	88.70	11.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	74.41	25.59	0.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-04-2004</i>	66.05	33.95	18.48	6.74	0.00	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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