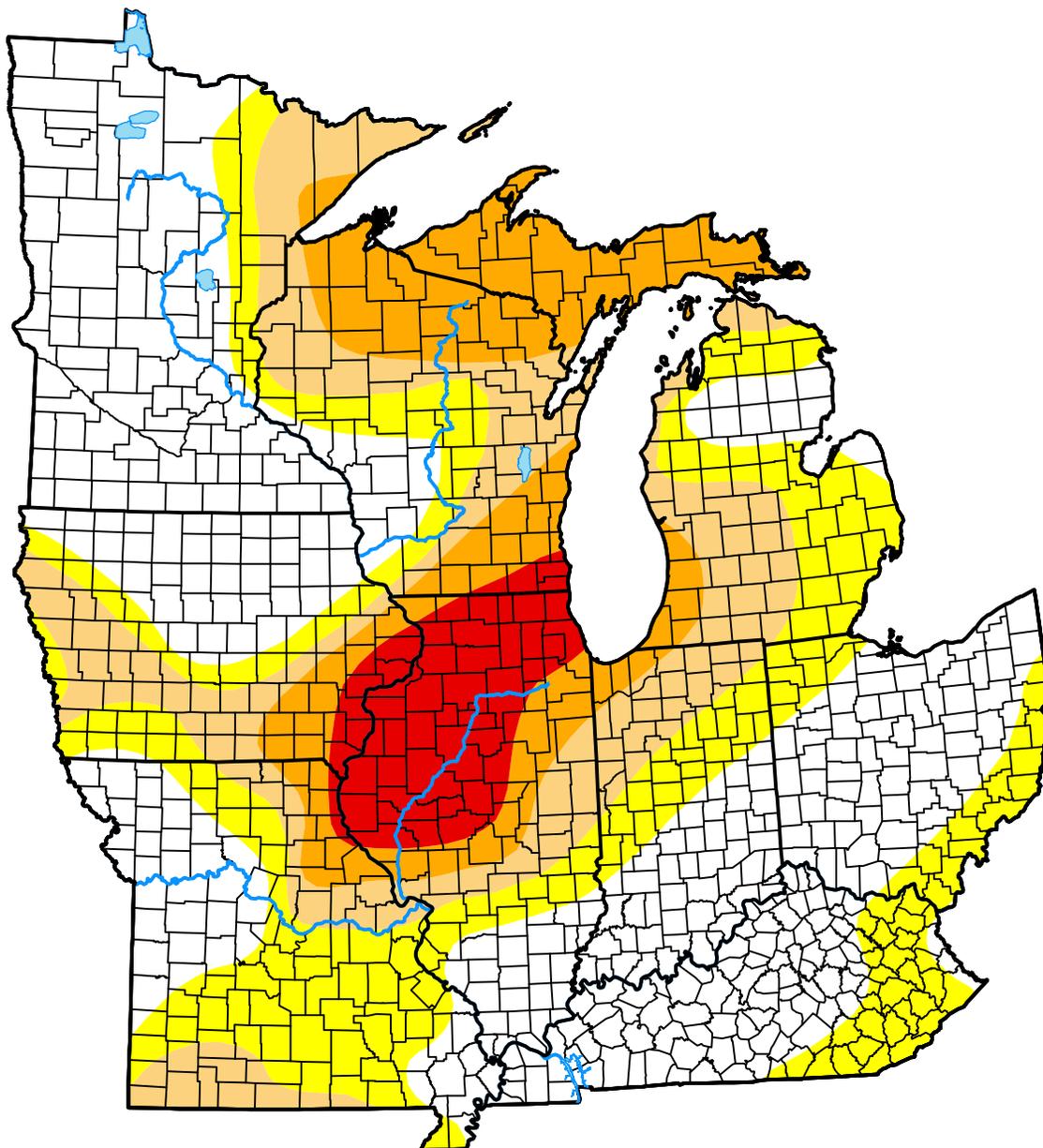


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	43.39	56.61	34.32	18.30	6.15	0.00
Last Week <i>09-06-2005</i>	46.52	53.48	28.38	15.56	5.17	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-14-2005</i>	53.64	46.36	16.46	0.74	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	88.70	11.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	74.41	25.59	0.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-14-2004</i>	96.92	3.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



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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