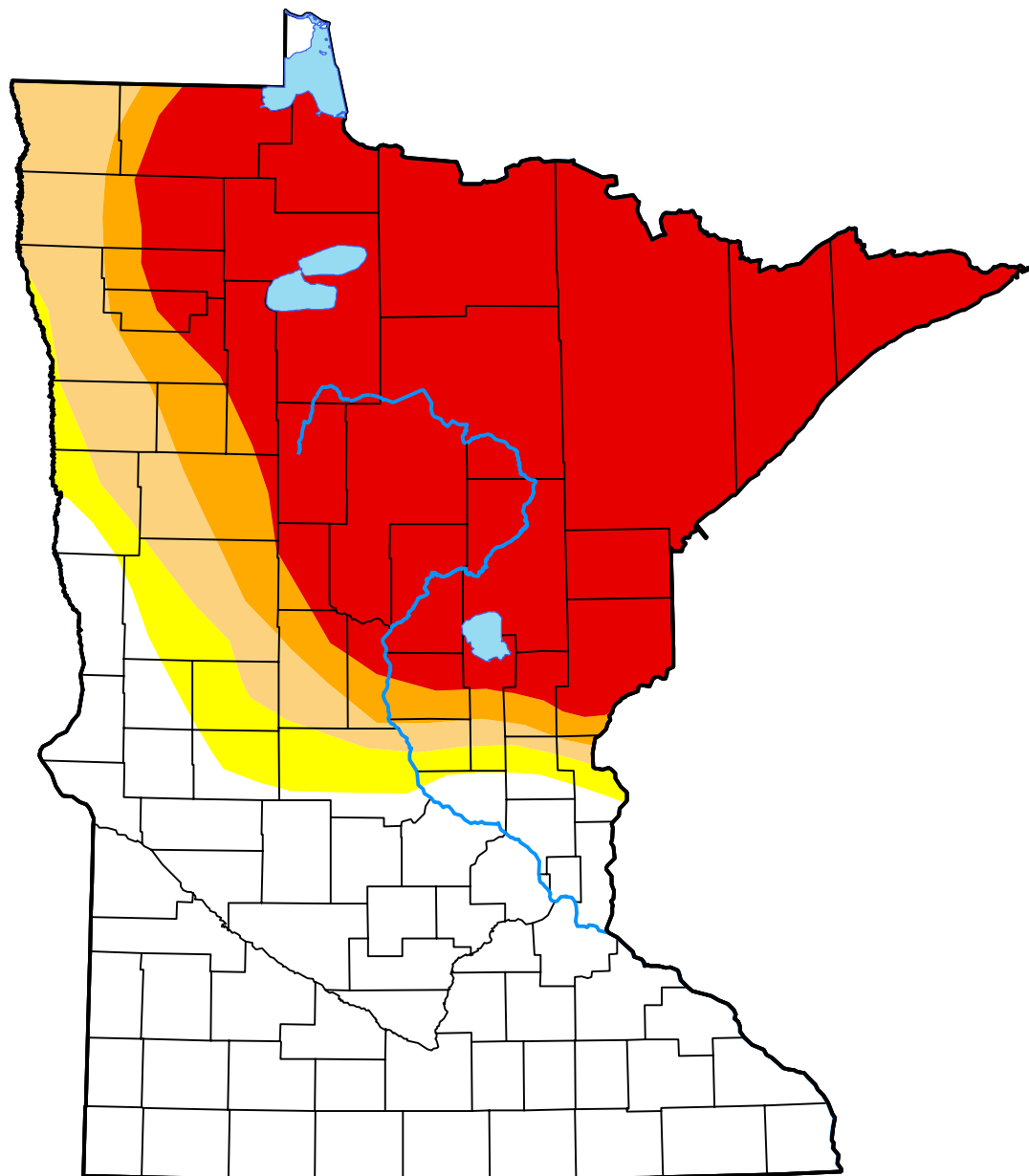


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	38.75	61.25	56.30	48.05	42.23	0.00
Last Week <i>09-21-2006</i>	32.83	67.17	56.79	48.05	42.23	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-29-2006</i>	51.15	48.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	81.80	18.20	11.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-29-2005</i>	81.80	18.20	11.09	0.00	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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