

U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	66.92	9.48	12.23	3.94	7.43	0.00
Last Week <i>10-17-2006</i>	60.60	14.83	13.10	4.03	7.43	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-25-2006</i>	47.32	18.99	19.36	8.07	6.26	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	58.15	19.10	13.13	6.61	3.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	63.58	15.62	10.50	2.56	7.73	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-25-2005</i>	46.85	28.86	12.32	8.27	3.69	0.00

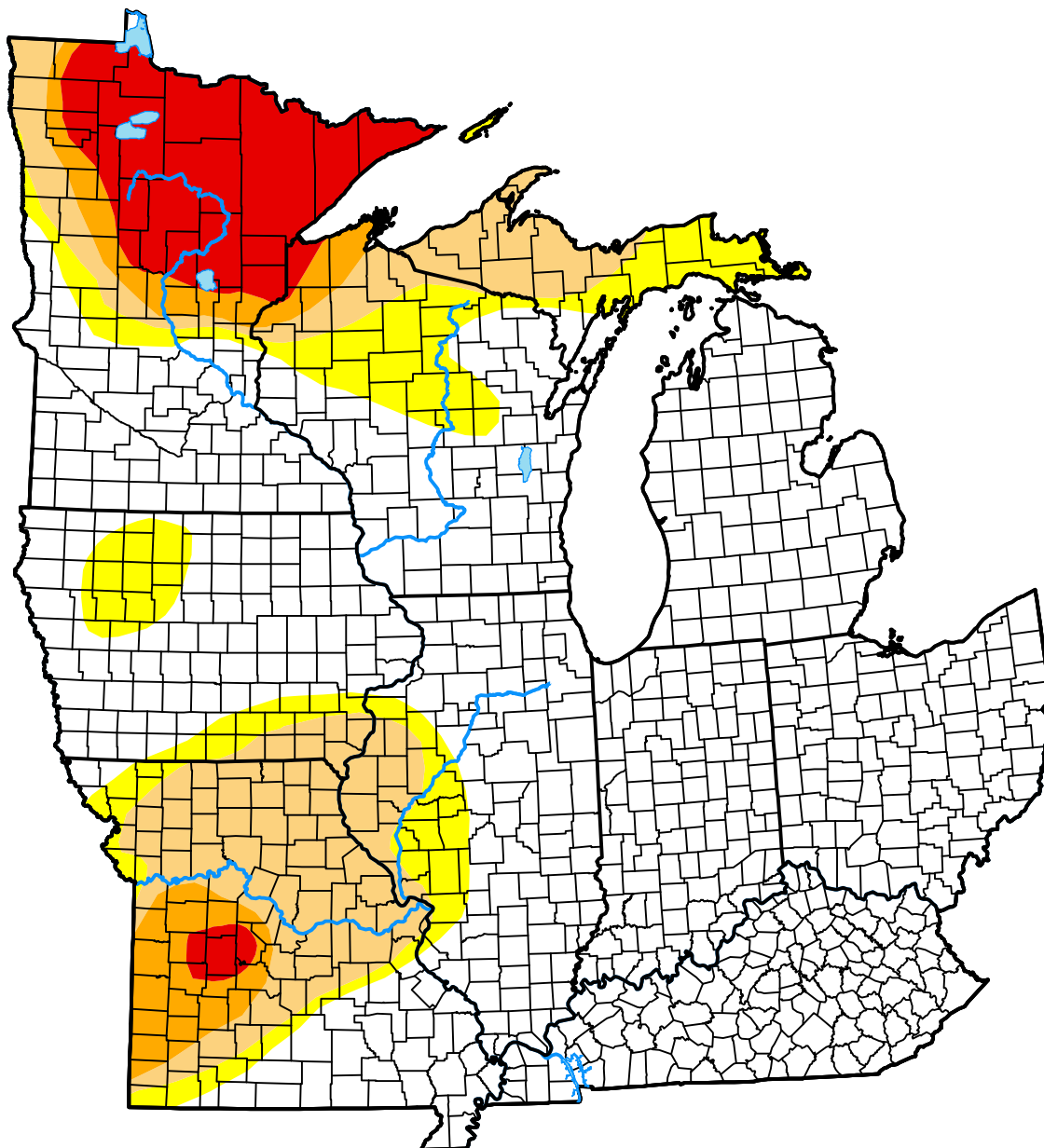
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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