

U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	67.60	32.40	21.94	10.82	7.01	0.00
Last Week <i>10-24-2006</i>	66.92	33.08	23.60	11.37	7.43	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-01-2006</i>	49.04	50.96	34.23	15.89	5.08	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	58.15	41.85	22.75	9.61	3.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	63.58	36.42	20.80	10.30	7.73	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-01-2005</i>	45.63	54.37	24.86	11.96	3.69	0.00

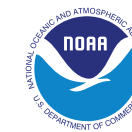
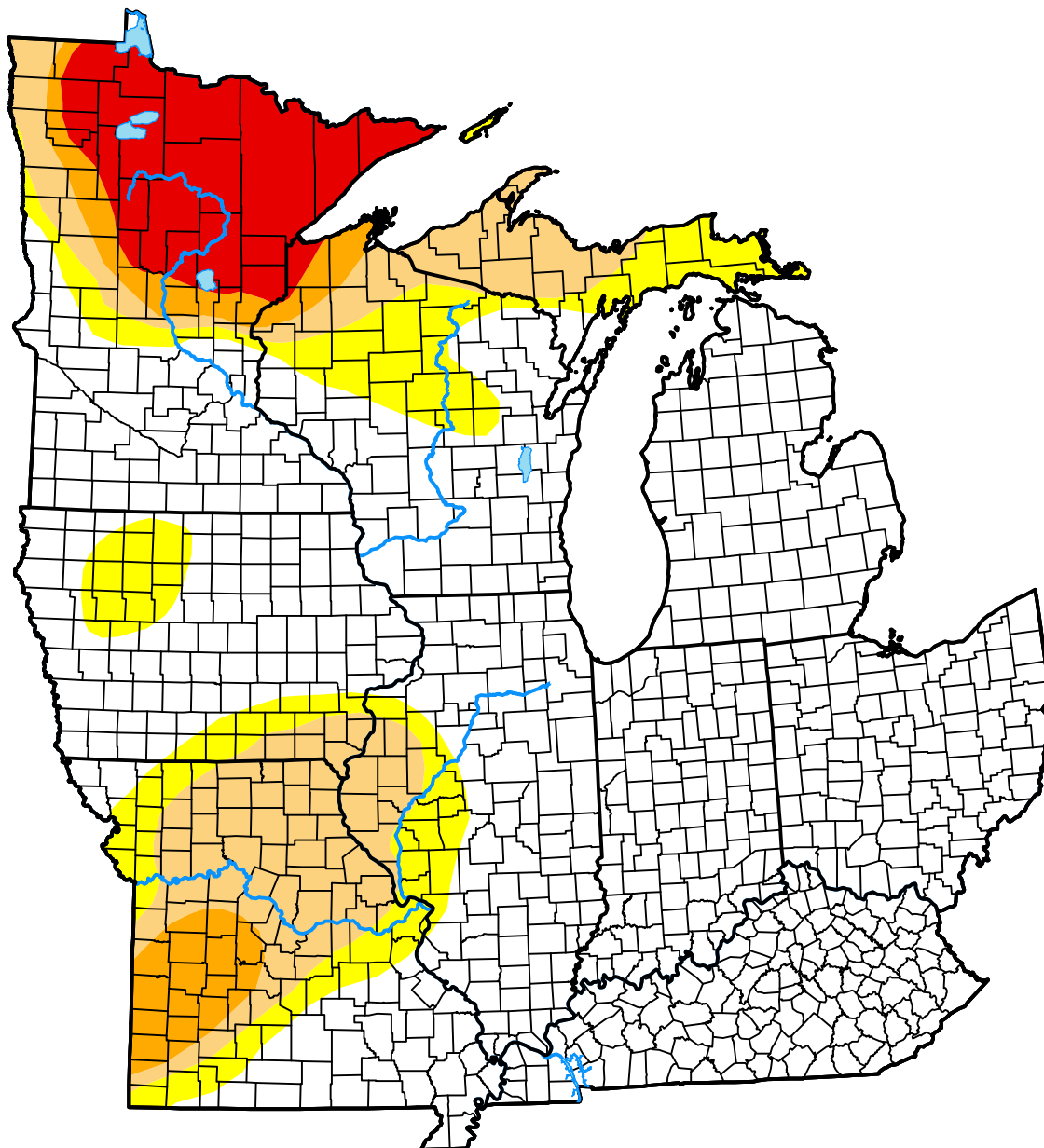
Intensity:

 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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