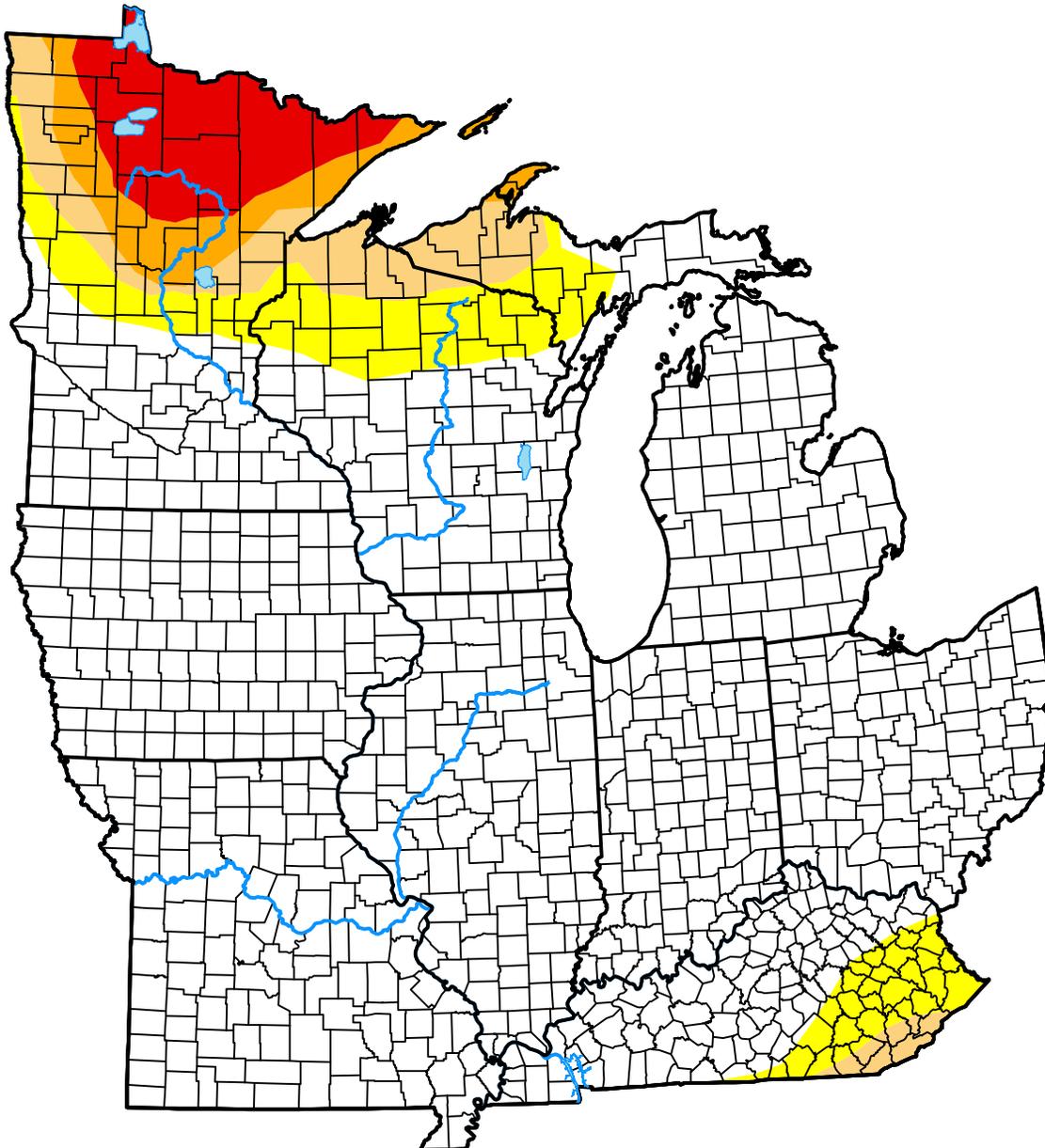


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	81.58	7.12	4.37	2.61	4.31	0.00
Last Week <i>03-06-2007</i>	82.30	6.50	4.27	2.61	4.31	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-12-2006</i>	62.27	21.77	7.10	1.85	7.01	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	57.83	24.09	6.97	4.04	7.07	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>03-14-2006</i>	67.87	9.45	12.03	9.92	0.72	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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