

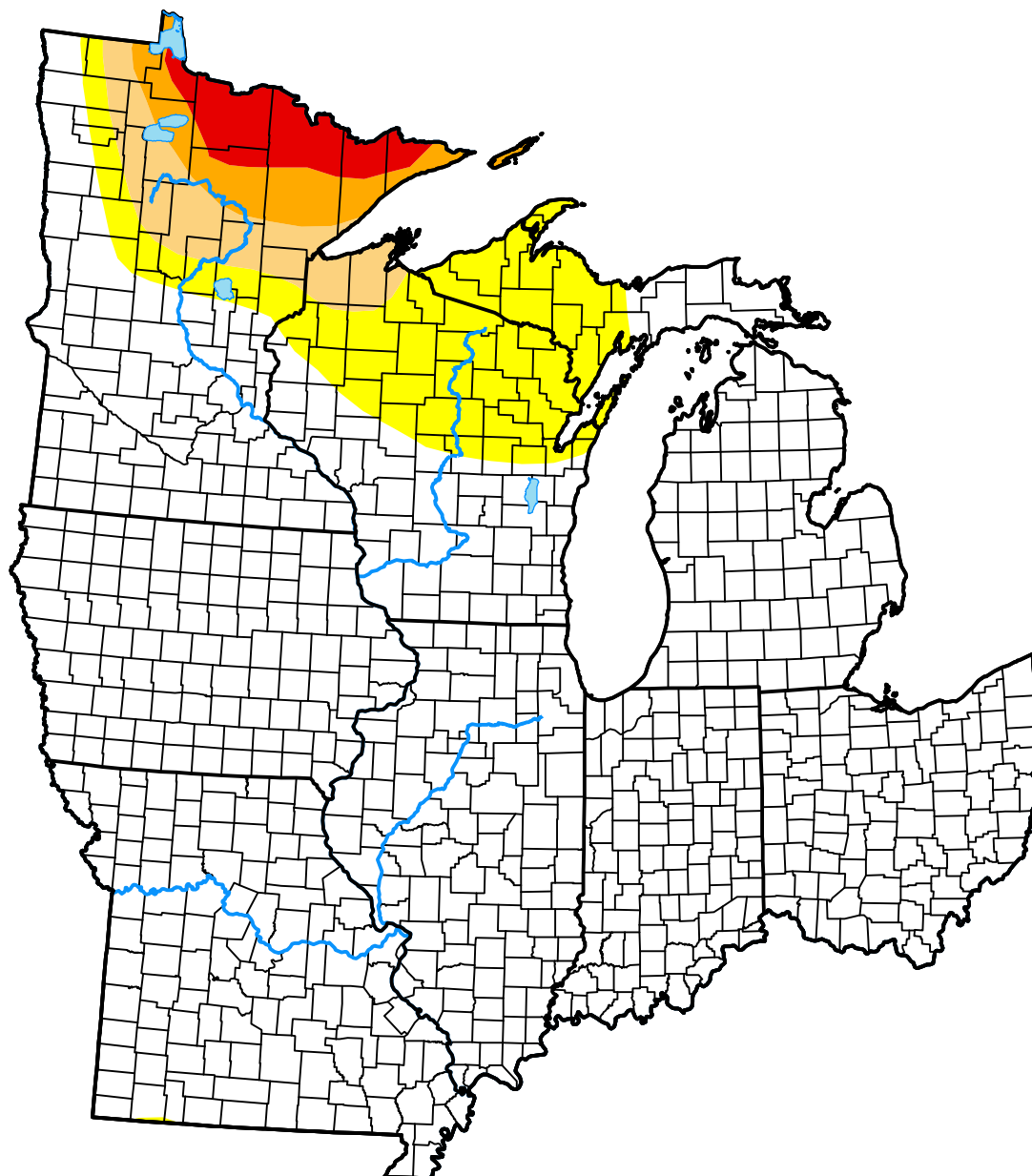
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 83.48 | 16.52 | 7.36  | 4.19  | 2.03  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>04-17-2007</i>              | 88.74 | 11.26 | 6.70  | 4.19  | 2.03  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>01-23-2007</i>           | 65.85 | 34.15 | 17.60 | 12.09 | 7.70  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2007</i> | 58.38 | 41.62 | 19.67 | 12.09 | 7.70  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-26-2006</i>    | 60.38 | 39.62 | 22.63 | 11.20 | 8.41  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>04-25-2006</i>           | 65.32 | 34.68 | 15.21 | 3.92  | 1.36  | 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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