

U.S. Drought Monitor

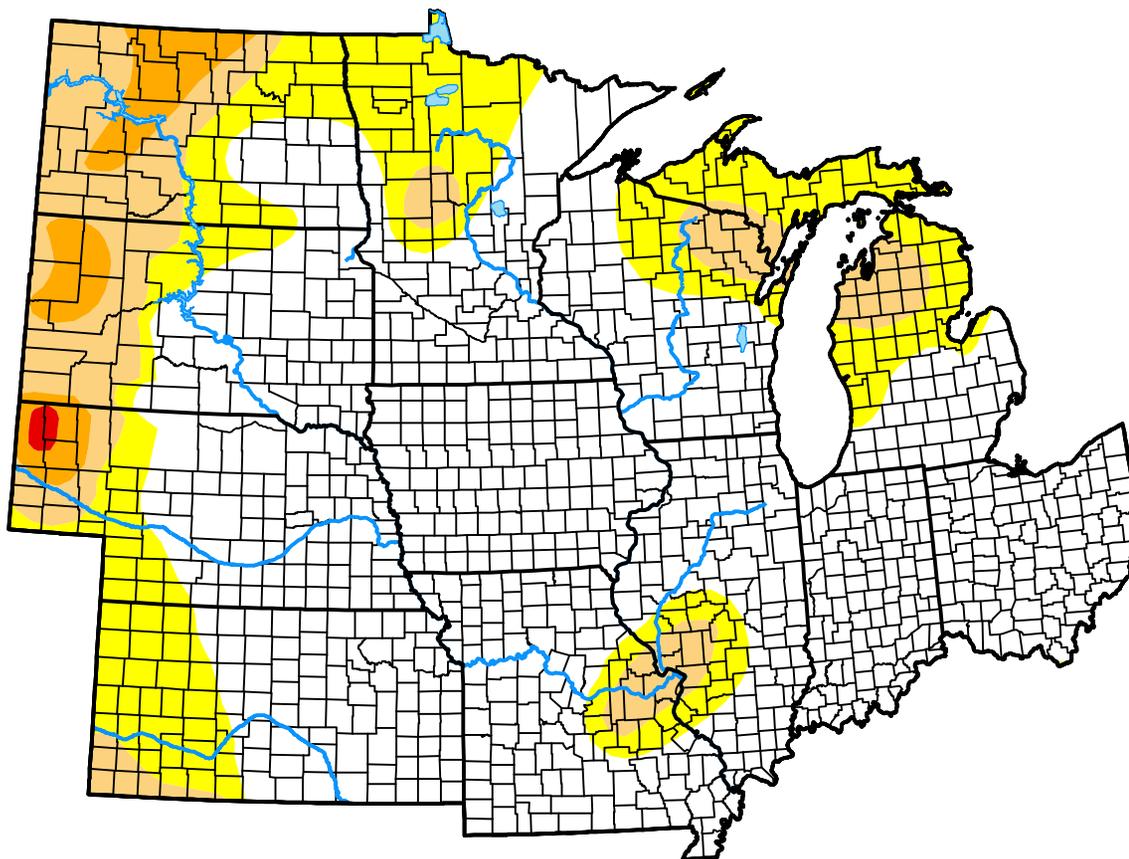
North Central States

December 18, 2007
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	66.79	19.08	10.85	3.11	0.17	0.00
Last Week <i>12-11-2007</i>	64.09	21.07	11.55	3.11	0.17	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-18-2007</i>	57.17	16.56	12.34	11.07	2.85	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	44.56	21.41	14.92	10.23	8.88	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	57.07	16.29	14.88	9.57	2.18	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-19-2006</i>	34.33	29.24	16.66	10.36	9.24	0.16



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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