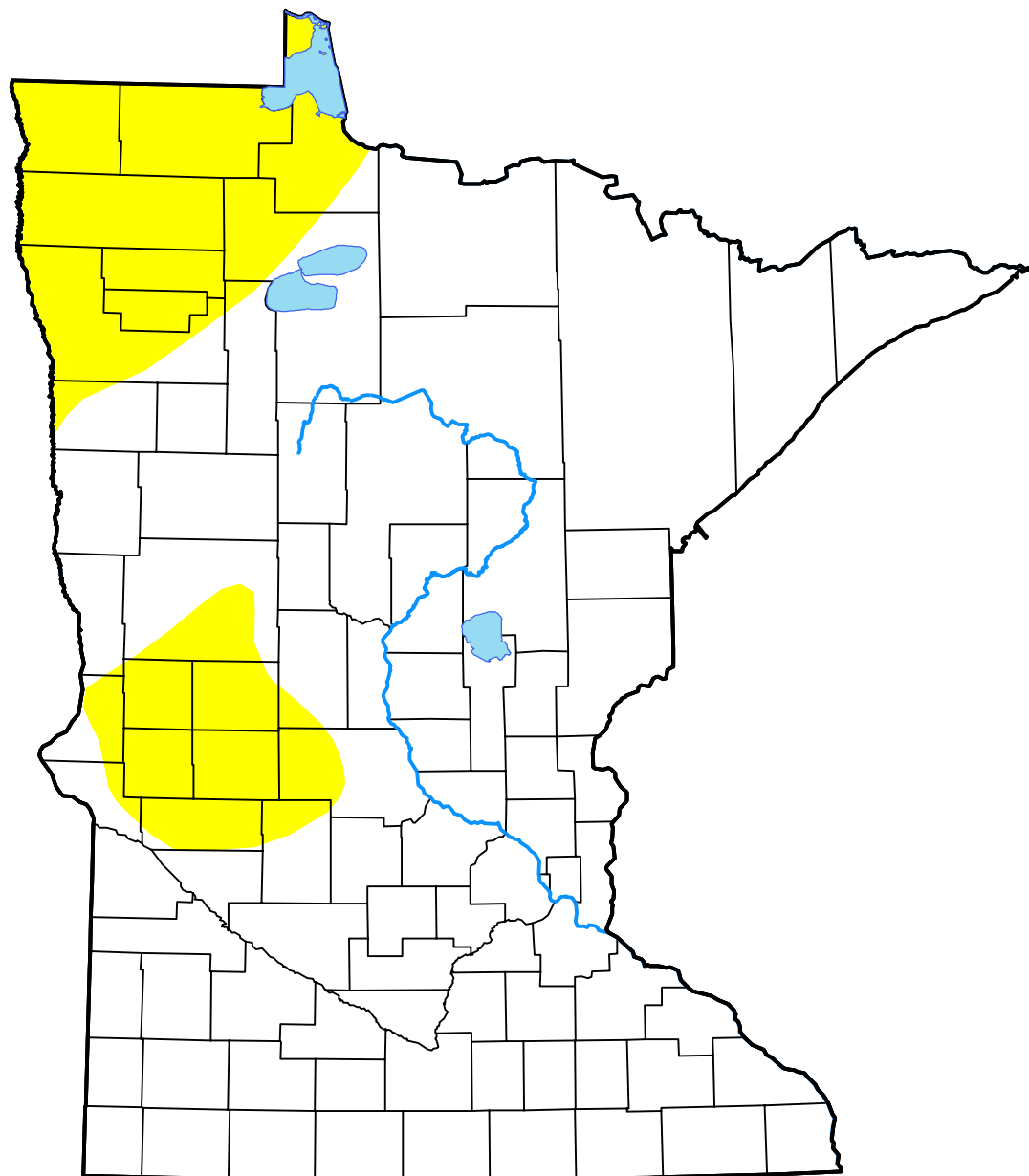


U.S. Drought Monitor

Minnesota



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	82.09	17.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-08-2008</i>	82.12	17.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-14-2008</i>	51.17	48.83	3.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	61.04	38.96	3.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	29.87	70.13	41.37	20.58	1.64	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-17-2007</i>	42.95	57.05	38.14	26.15	11.43	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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