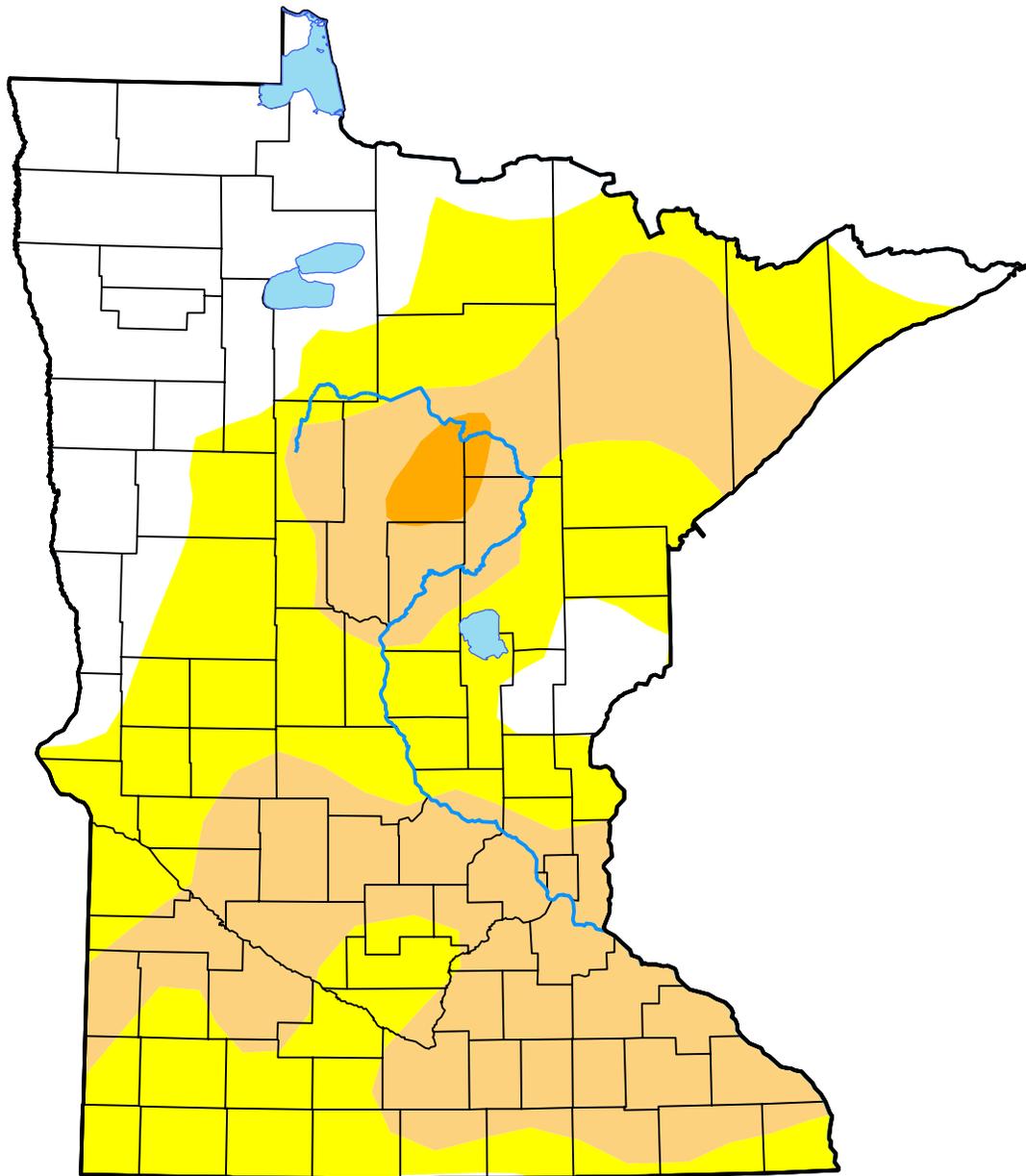


U.S. Drought Monitor

Minnesota

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	26.00	39.51	33.32	1.17	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-11-2008</i>	19.18	47.79	31.86	1.17	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-19-2008</i>	86.19	13.81	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	61.04	35.17	3.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	29.87	28.76	20.79	18.94	1.64	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-20-2007</i>	23.79	20.06	18.10	29.92	8.13	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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