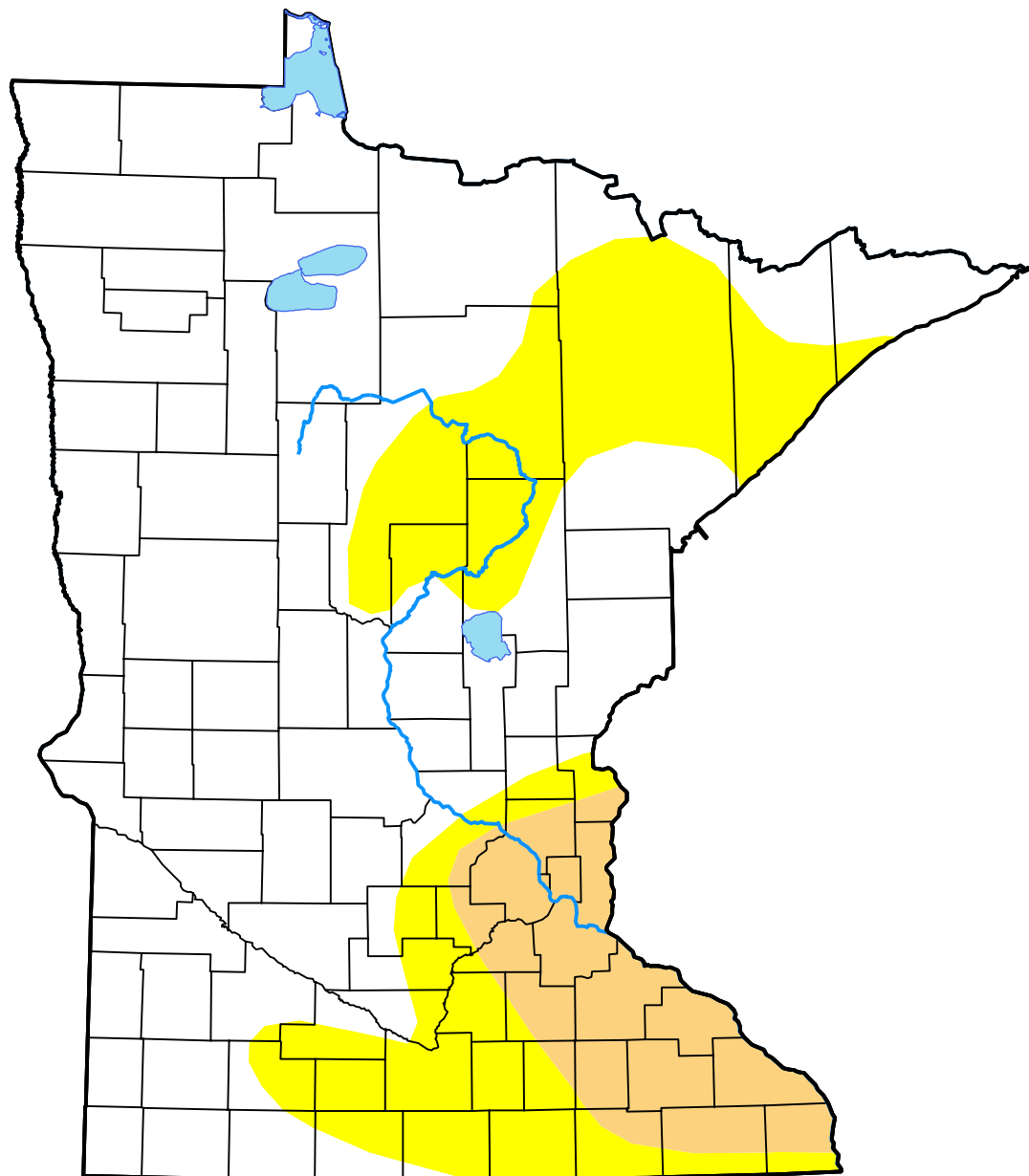


U.S. Drought Monitor Minnesota



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	68.50	22.30	9.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-01-2009</i>	68.50	22.30	9.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-09-2008</i>	25.91	34.34	38.13	1.62	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	68.50	22.30	9.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	25.91	32.85	39.62	1.62	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-10-2008</i>	61.24	34.96	3.79	0.00	0.00	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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