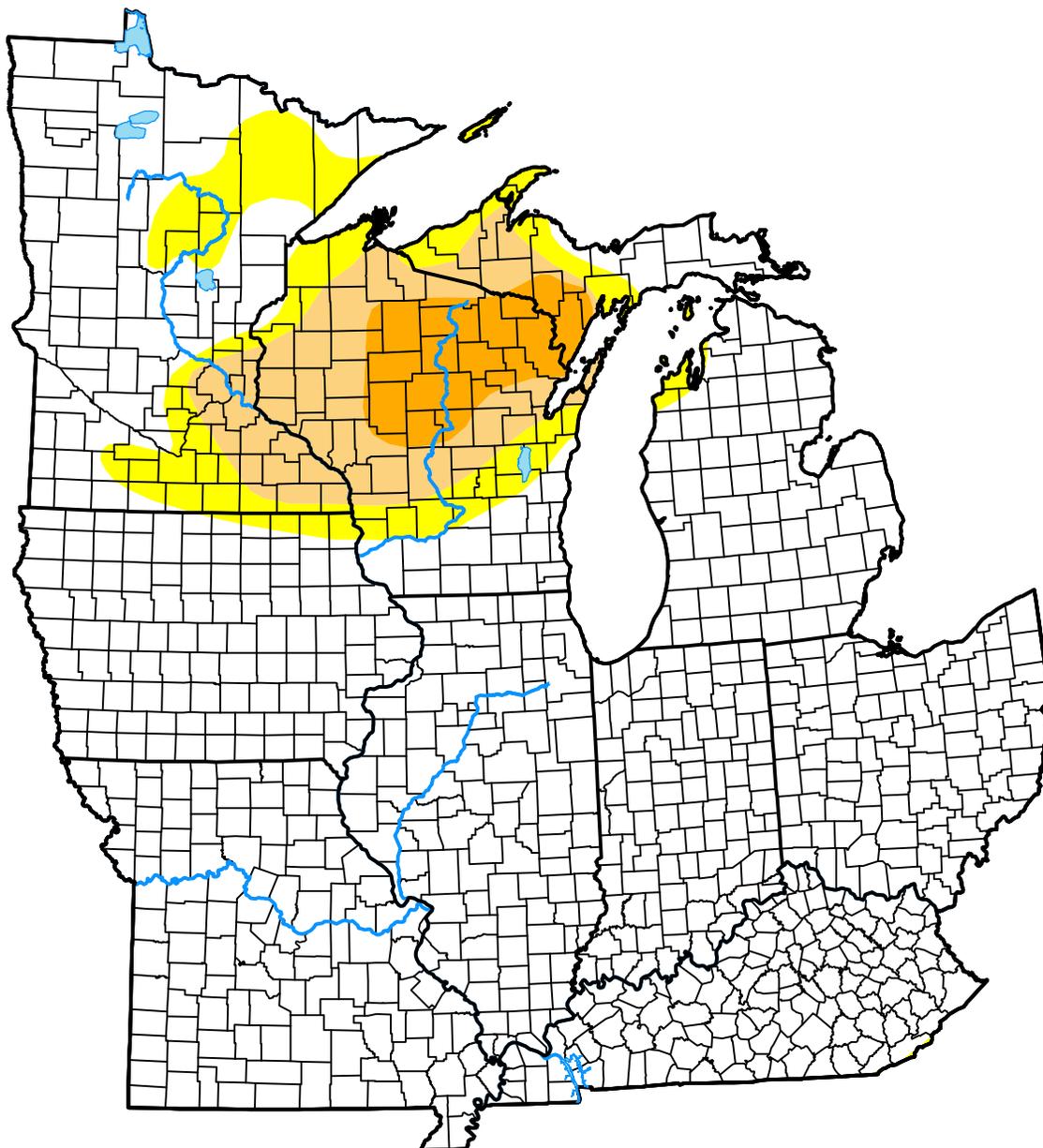


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	82.96	7.24	6.40	3.40	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-27-2009</i>	72.78	17.40	6.41	3.40	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-04-2008</i>	64.43	15.79	12.96	6.14	0.68	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	72.23	11.90	11.55	4.32	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	53.12	23.92	19.53	3.43	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-05-2008</i>	82.69	14.46	2.82	0.03	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



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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