

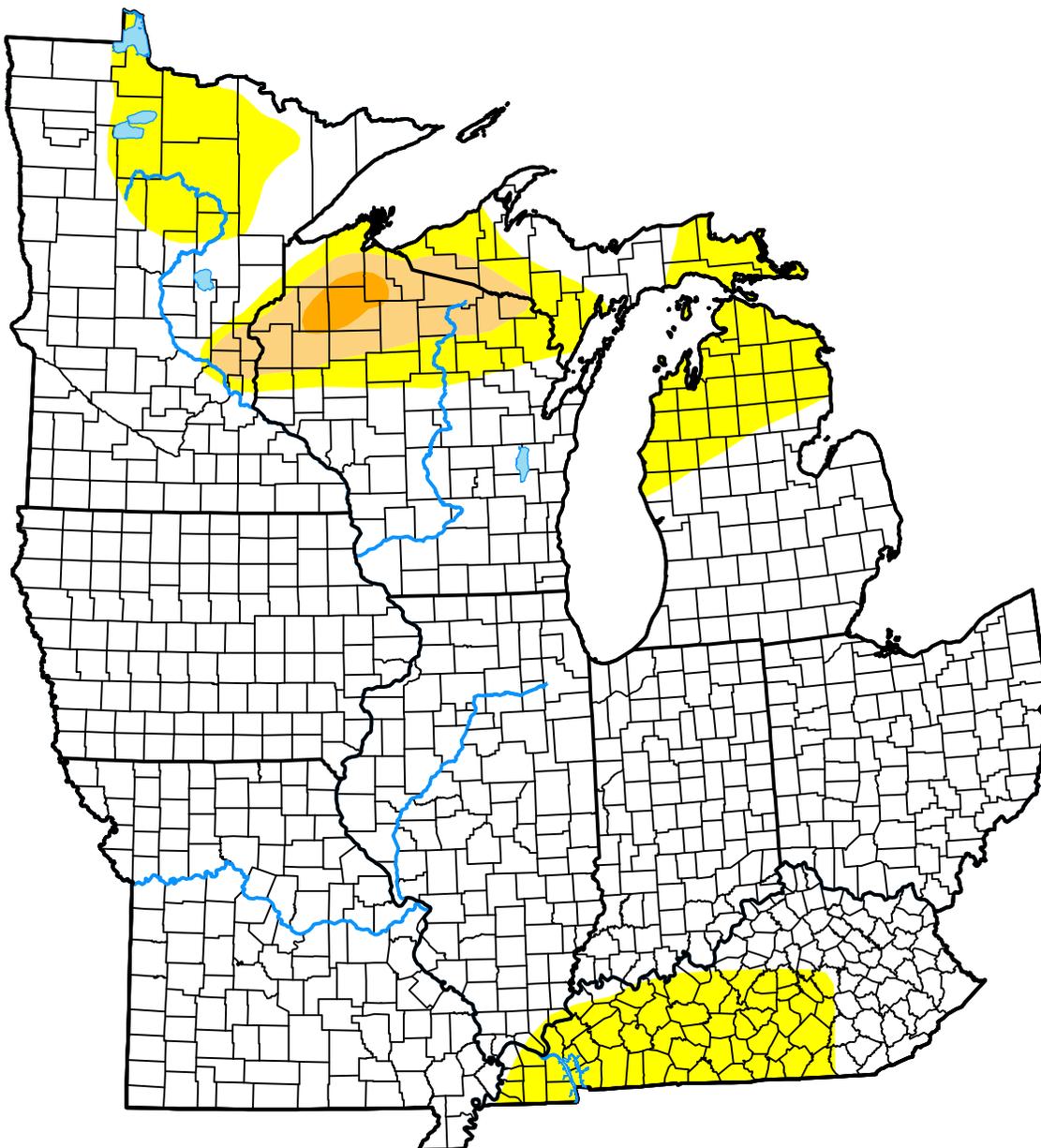
U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	82.89	17.11	3.08	0.45	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-02-2010</i>	89.84	10.16	3.08	0.45	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-08-2009</i>	88.70	11.30	3.48	0.80	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	88.70	11.30	3.48	0.80	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	67.63	32.37	15.28	7.03	1.27	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-10-2009</i>	85.69	14.31	9.24	3.55	0.00	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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