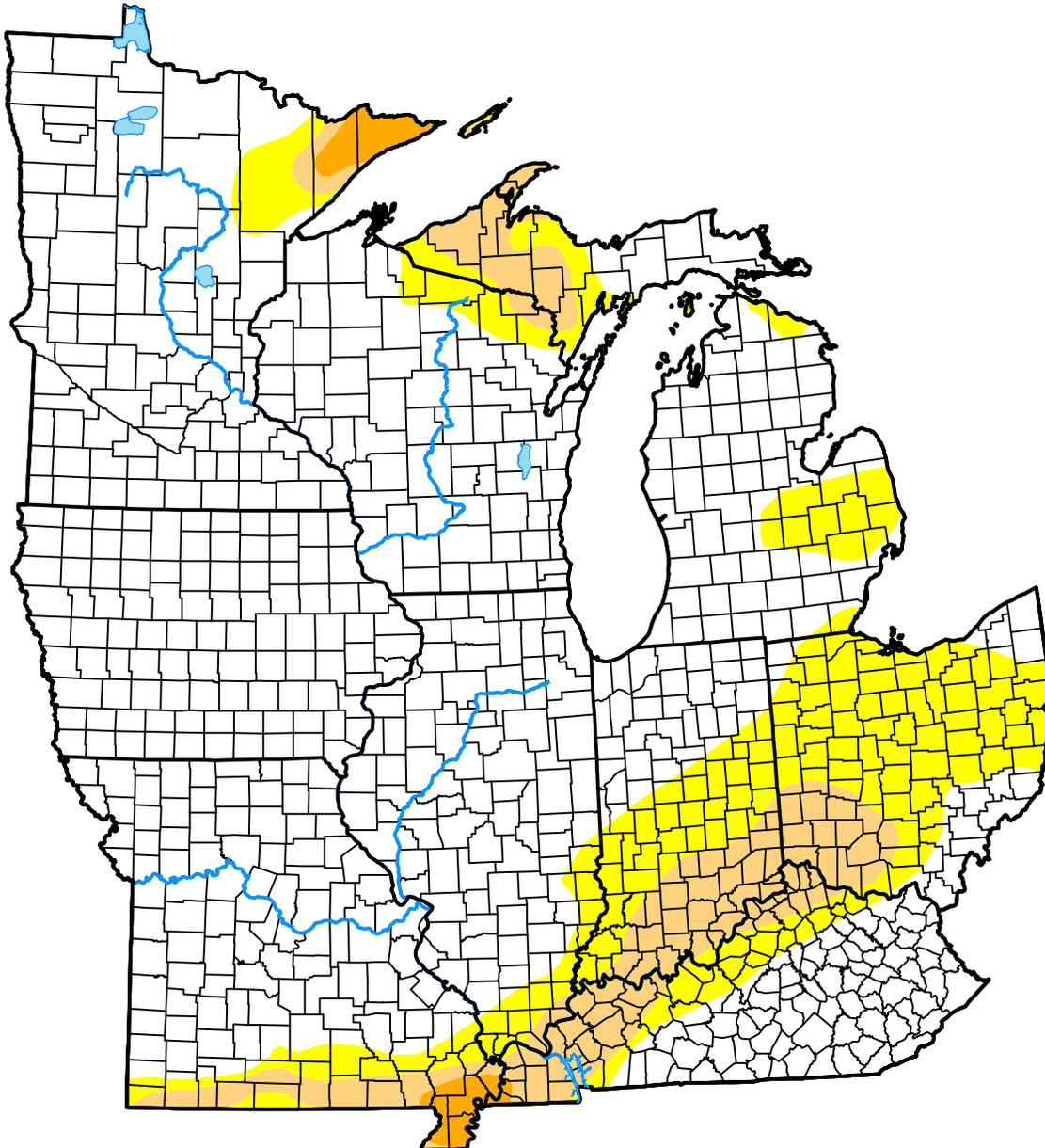


U.S. Drought Monitor

Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	75.95	24.05	8.85	1.05	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-07-2010</i>	76.56	23.44	6.02	1.17	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-15-2010</i>	80.41	19.59	12.04	7.27	2.87	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>09-15-2009</i>	72.89	27.11	9.24	1.60	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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