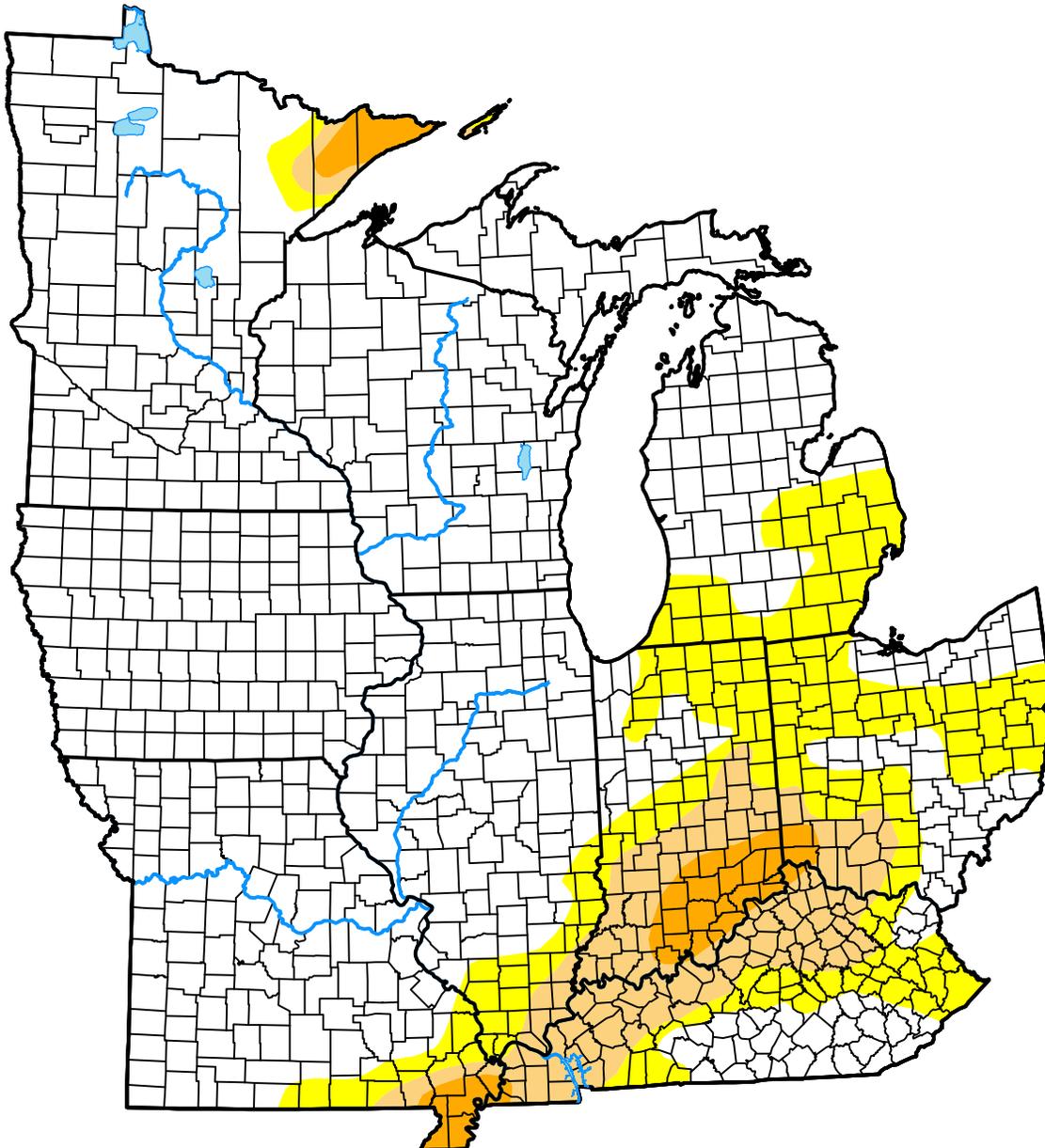


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	76.05	23.95	9.92	2.68	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-28-2010</i>	74.54	25.46	9.61	2.68	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-06-2010</i>	80.67	19.33	9.18	2.49	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>09-28-2010</i>	74.54	25.46	9.61	2.68	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-06-2009</i>	72.12	27.88	10.61	5.80	0.86	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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