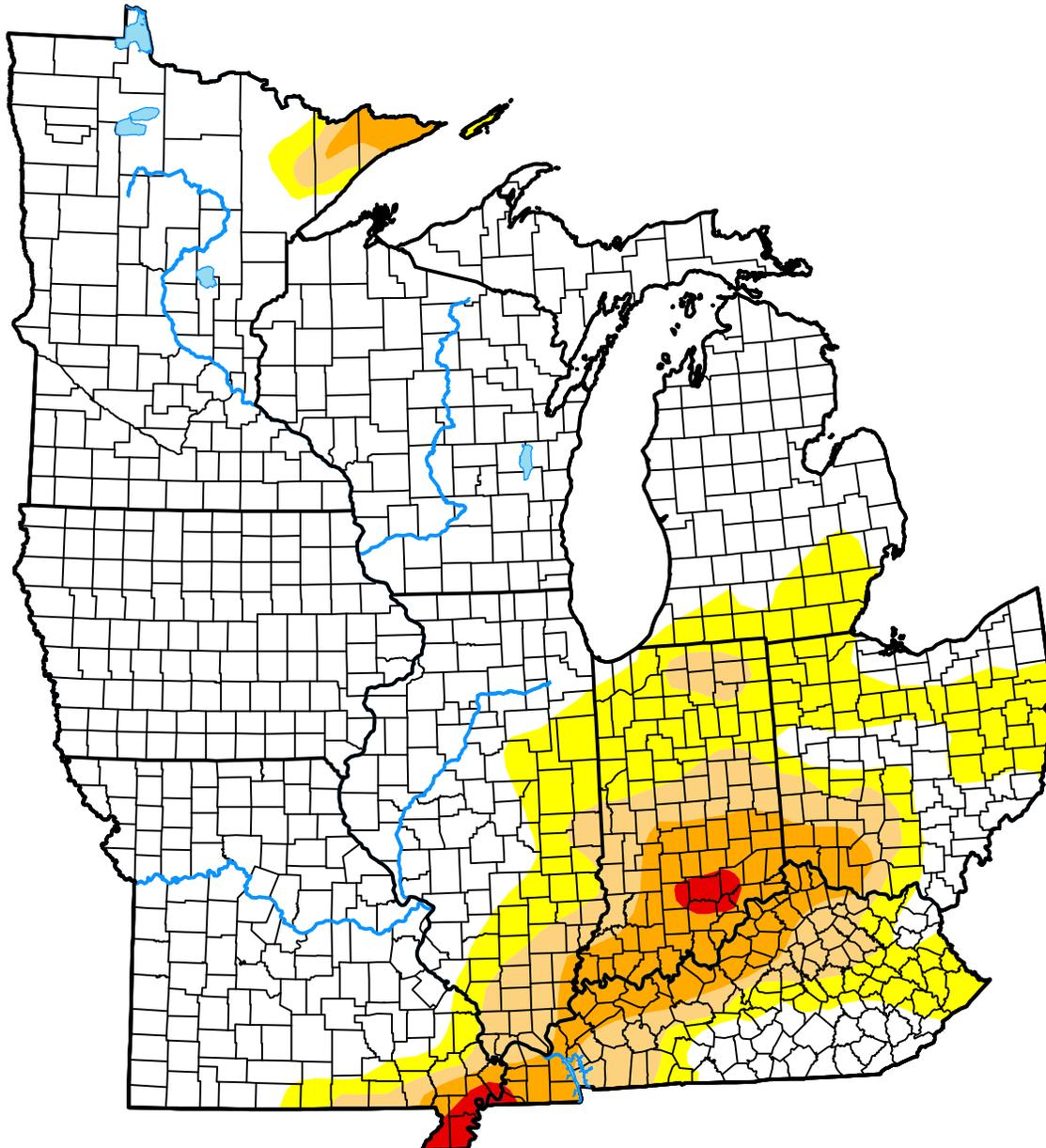


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	73.70	13.07	6.79	5.81	0.64	0.00
Last Week <i>10-19-2010</i>	69.33	17.32	6.74	5.97	0.64	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-27-2010</i>	85.38	7.54	4.49	2.59	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	88.70	7.82	2.69	0.80	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	74.54	15.85	6.93	2.68	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-27-2009</i>	84.40	10.31	3.45	1.35	0.49	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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