

# U.S. Drought Monitor

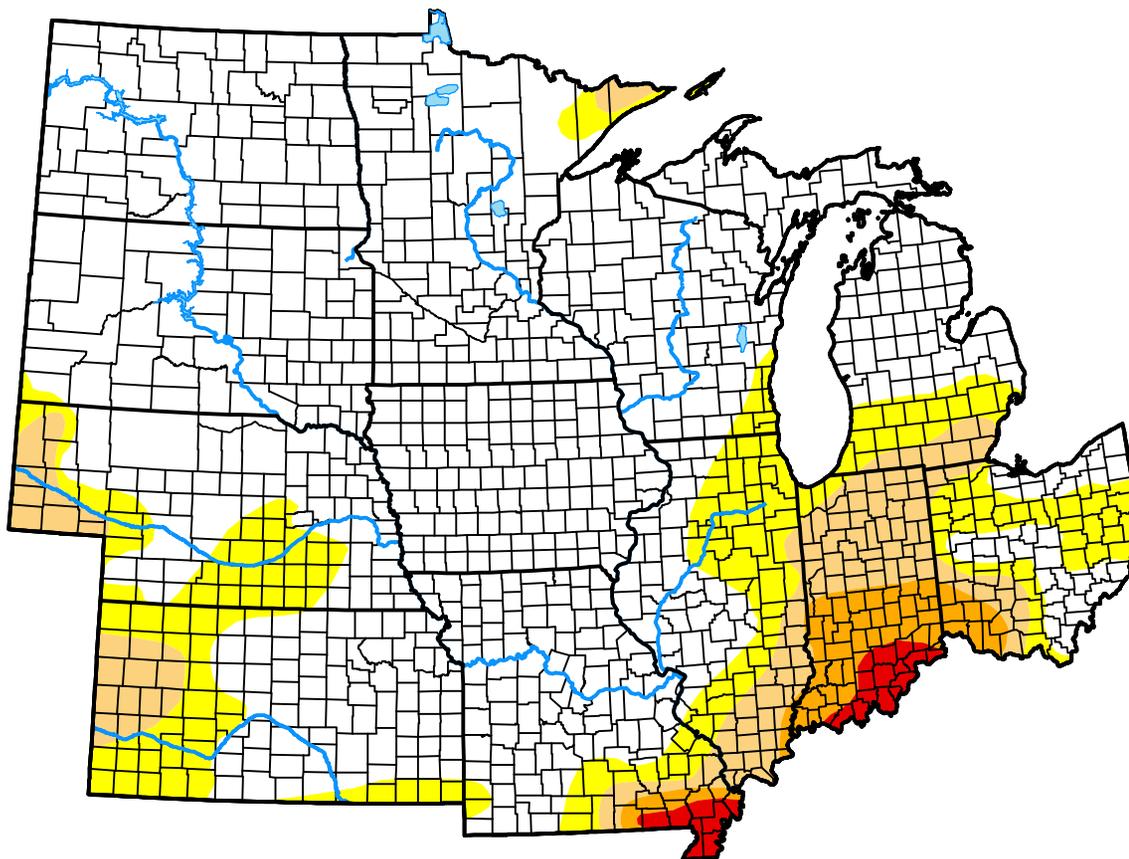
## North Central States

**November 23, 2010**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	74.44	25.56	11.37	3.81	1.15	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-16-2010</i>	74.52	25.48	11.37	3.81	1.15	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-24-2010</i>	88.14	11.86	3.39	0.57	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2009</i>	91.63	8.37	2.27	0.52	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	82.21	17.79	4.23	1.65	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-24-2009</i>	92.48	7.52	2.27	0.52	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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