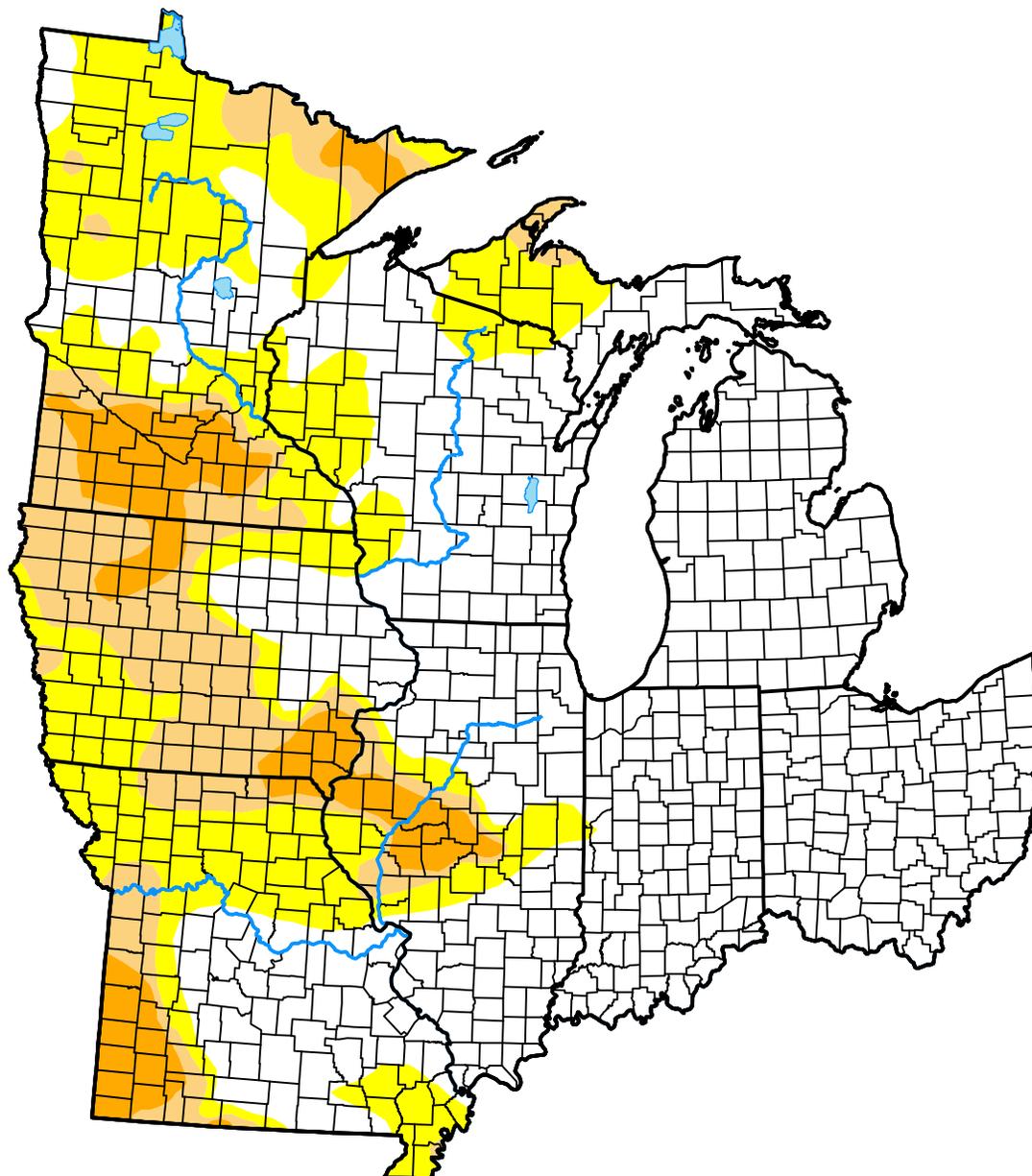


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	58.12	23.75	11.38	6.74	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-11-2011</i>	51.32	27.85	12.92	7.91	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-19-2011</i>	88.88	11.02	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	83.52	13.52	2.22	0.43	0.32	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	56.39	28.37	9.77	5.47	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-19-2010</i>	73.06	16.74	5.32	4.25	0.64	0.00

Intensity:



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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