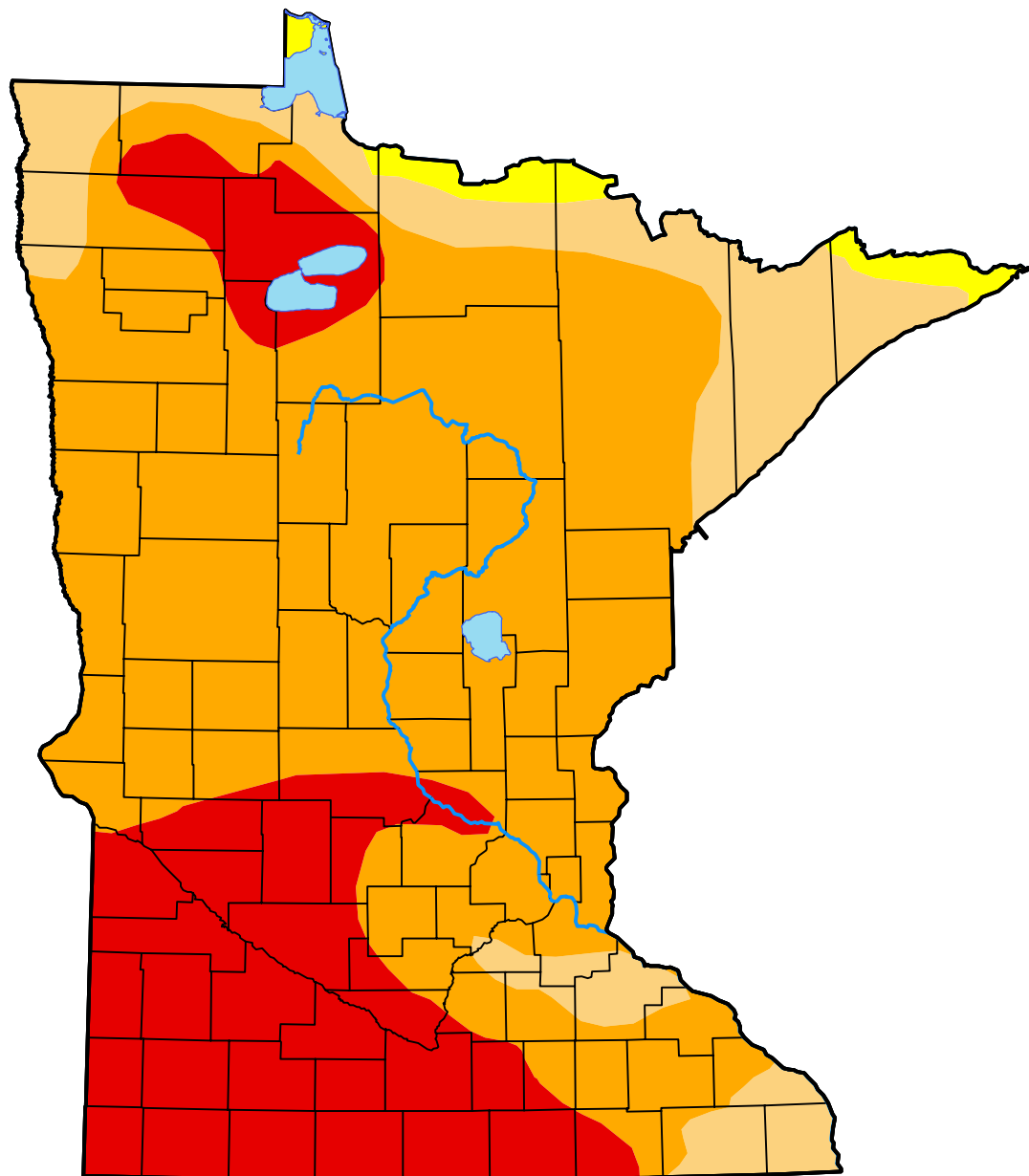


U.S. Drought Monitor Minnesota



December 11, 2012

(Released Thursday, Dec. 13, 2012)

Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	2.16	14.40	58.19	25.25	0.00
Last Week <i>12-06-2012</i>	0.00	2.16	14.40	58.19	25.25	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-13-2012</i>	16.50	39.11	16.37	23.80	4.22	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	0.79	41.76	33.38	24.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	1.92	20.63	42.10	16.85	18.51	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-15-2011</i>	0.81	42.51	32.61	24.08	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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>

Author:

Richard Tinker
CPC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP



droughtmonitor.unl.edu