

# U.S. Drought Monitor

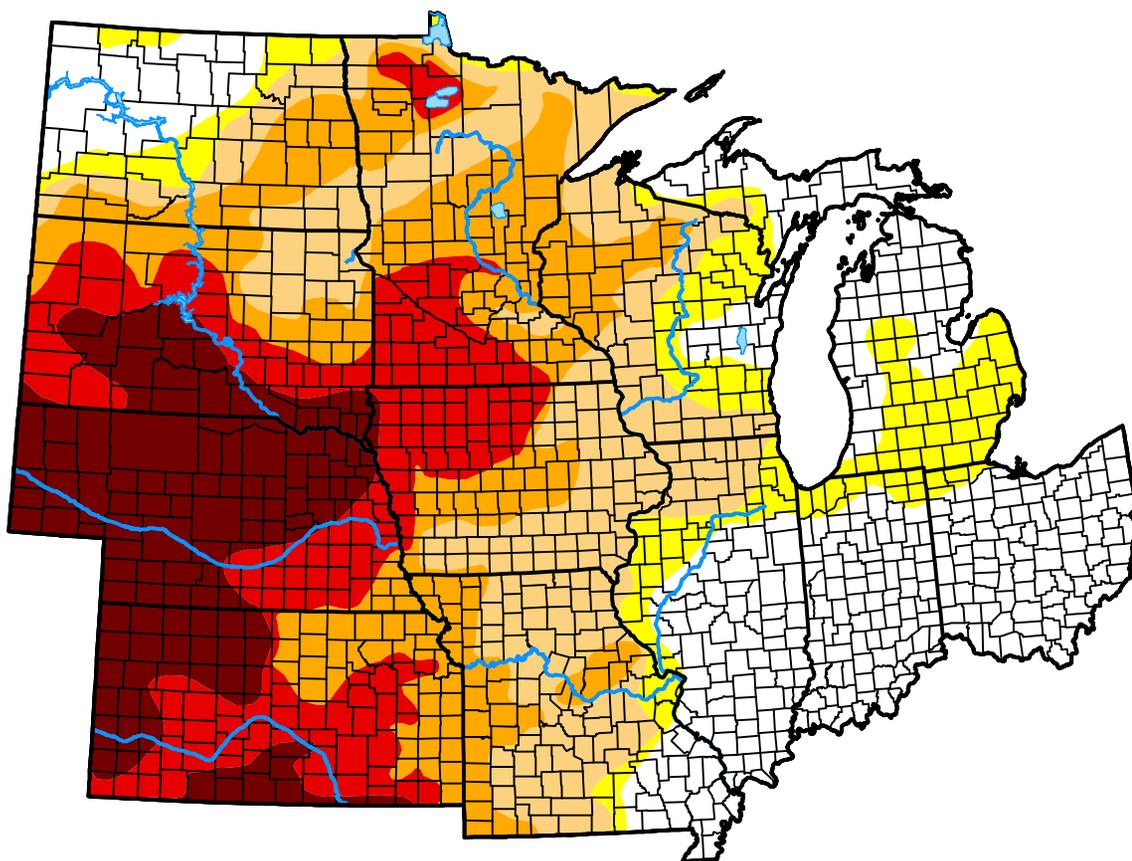
## North Central States

**February 12, 2013**  
*(Released Thursday, Feb. 14, 2013)*

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	24.25	9.58	18.75	18.10	14.54	14.77
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-05-2013</i>	24.10	9.56	15.67	20.79	15.10	14.77
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-13-2012</i>	15.41	14.37	23.59	17.24	14.88	14.51
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	15.49	13.05	18.43	23.30	14.87	14.86
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	3.58	14.20	24.95	22.82	20.70	13.74
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-14-2012</i>	56.02	21.65	15.27	6.05	0.98	0.02



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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