

U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	48.36	51.64	24.58	8.49	0.20	0.00
Last Week 10-08-2013	47.22	52.78	26.53	10.11	0.20	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-16-2013	92.84	7.16	0.29	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	28.14	71.86	54.93	30.11	7.88	0.14
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	43.94	56.06	30.56	11.64	0.20	0.00
One Year Ago 10-16-2012	15.06	84.94	64.60	34.31	15.50	0.28

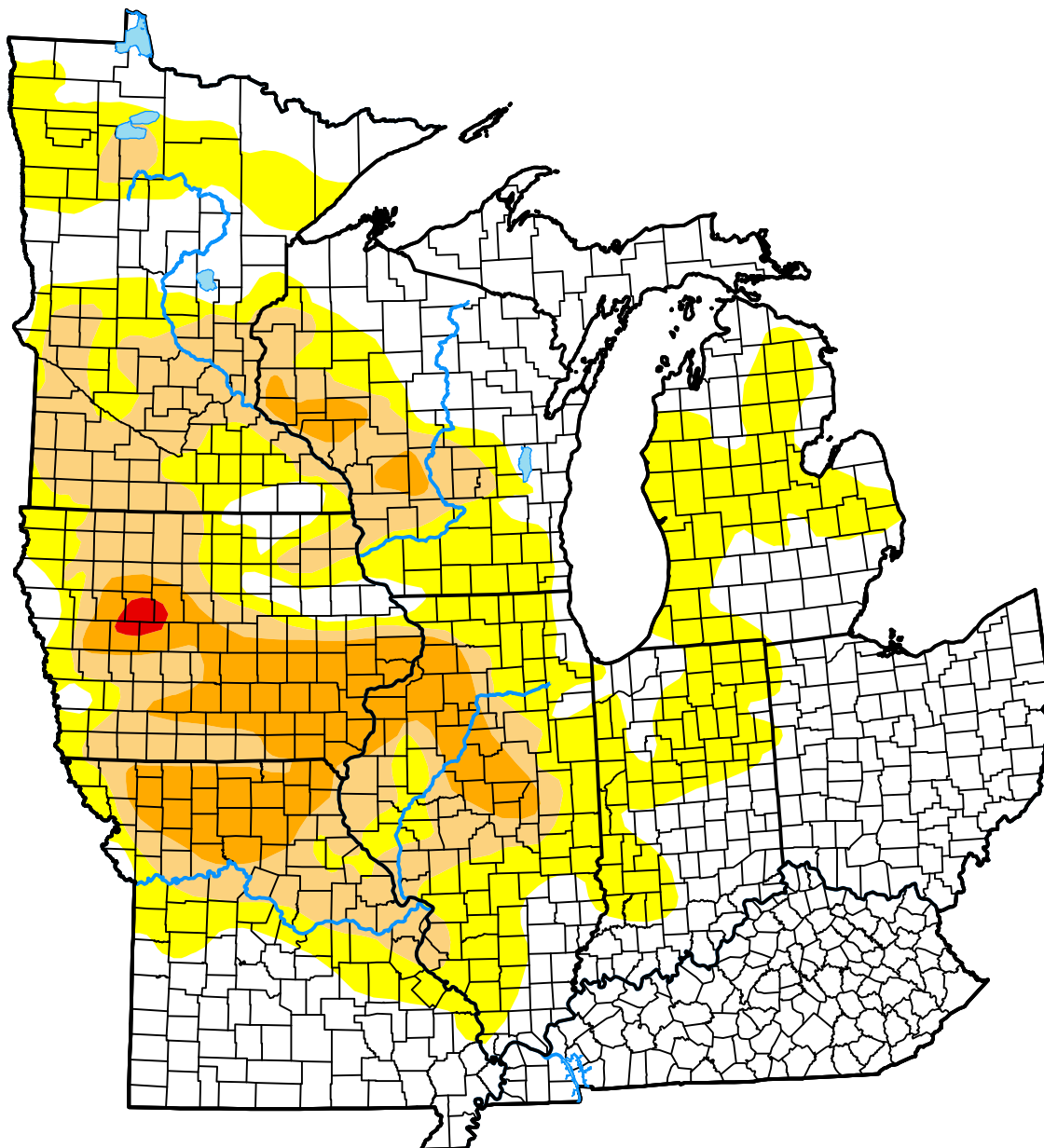
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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