

# U.S. Drought Monitor

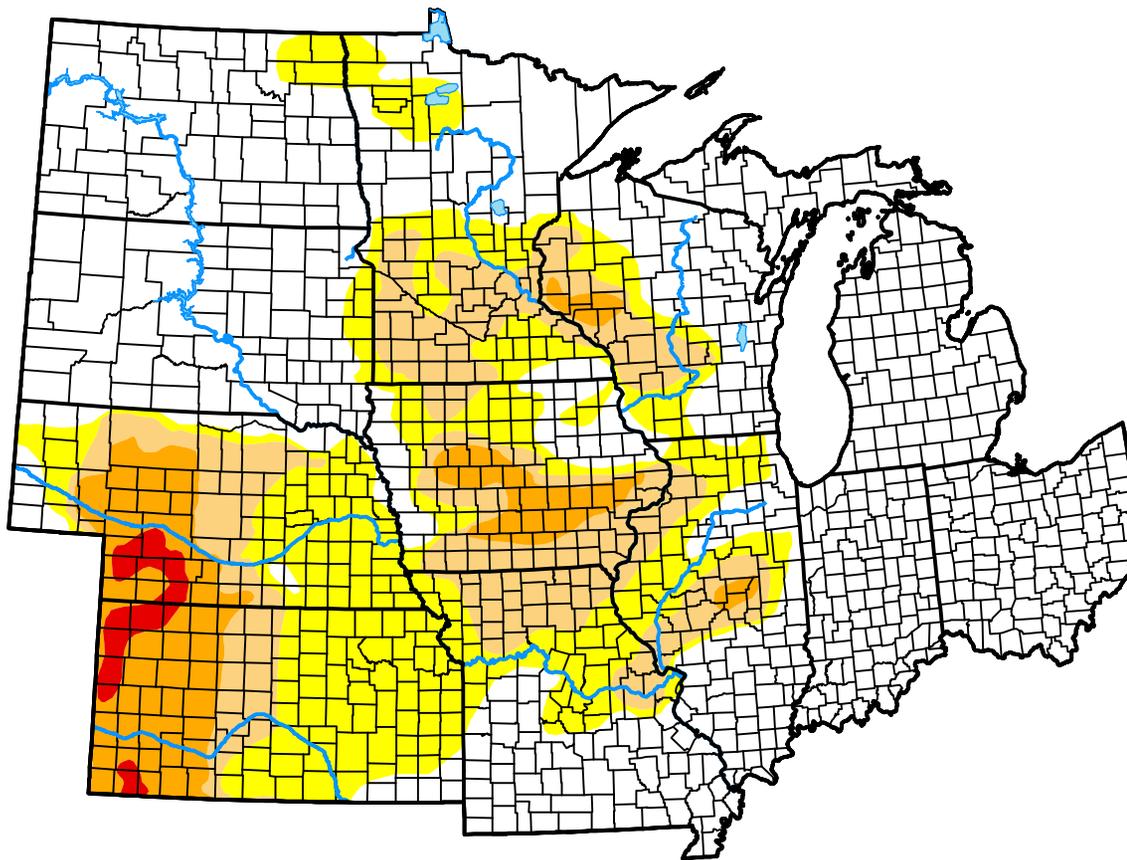
## North Central States

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	58.10	20.49	13.17	7.15	1.08	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-07-2014</i>	58.55	20.04	13.18	7.15	1.08	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-15-2013</i>	48.93	24.96	14.28	10.80	1.03	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	58.55	20.04	13.18	7.15	1.08	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	37.82	26.00	20.08	14.87	1.22	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-15-2013</i>	18.03	11.88	17.25	23.12	14.98	14.74



**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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