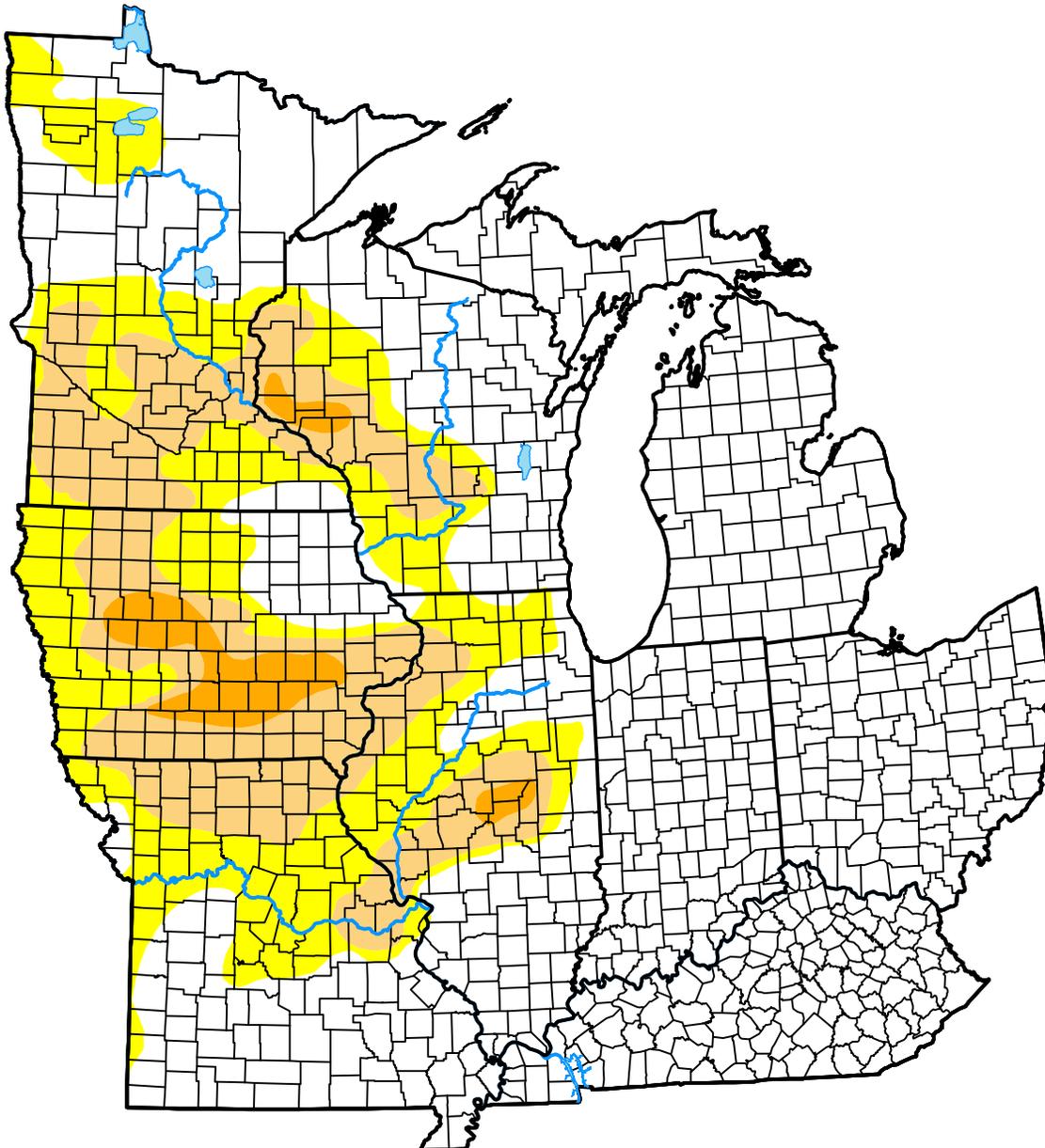


# U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	65.34	17.41	14.75	2.49	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-11-2014</i>	65.26	17.43	14.39	2.93	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-19-2013</i>	58.89	22.28	15.75	3.08	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	66.90	15.40	14.78	2.93	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	43.94	25.50	18.92	11.44	0.20	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-19-2013</i>	39.78	12.62	23.72	16.03	7.71	0.14

**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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