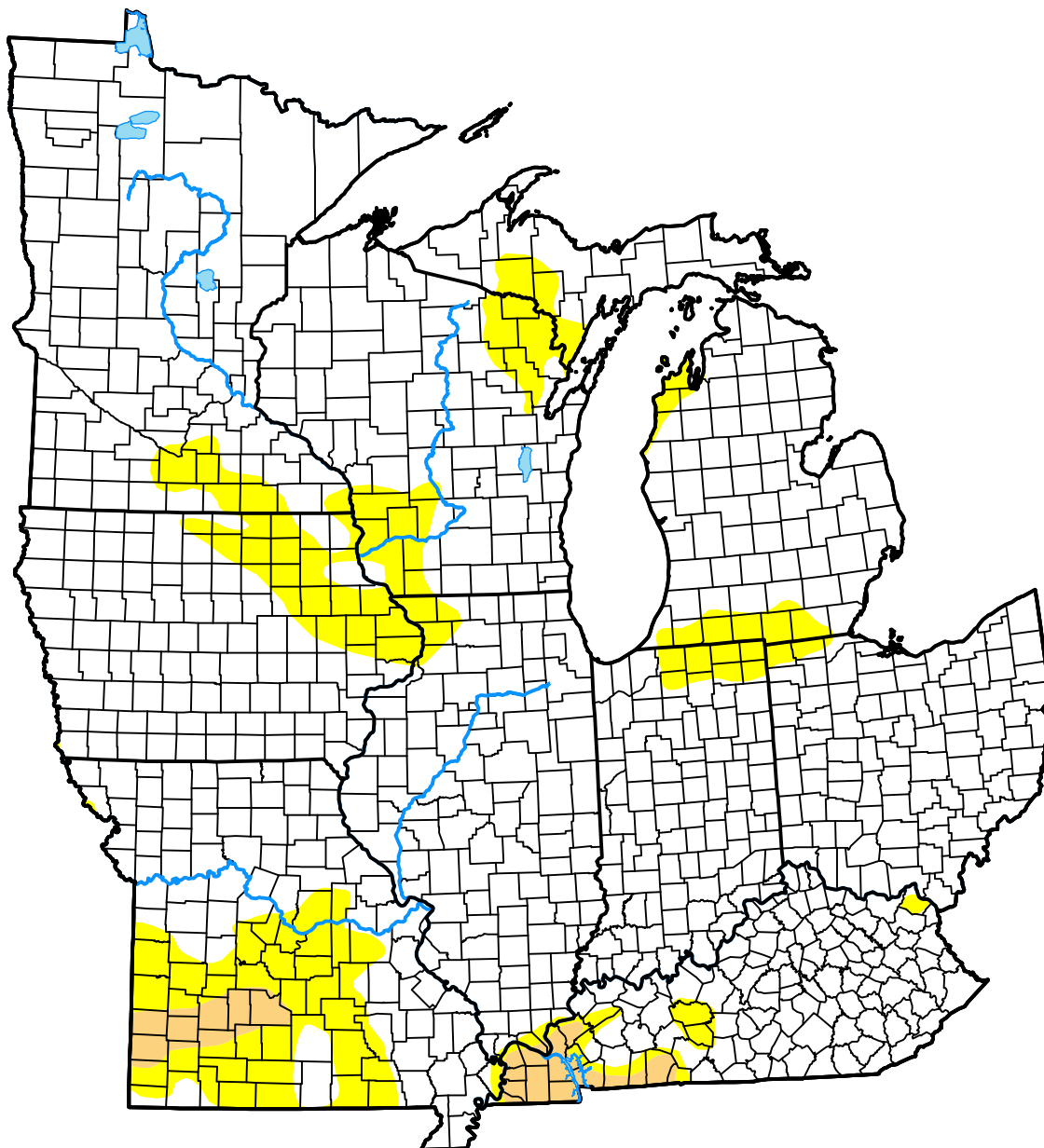


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	86.13	12.08	1.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-19-2014</i>	82.75	16.20	1.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-27-2014</i>	81.20	12.33	6.34	0.13	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	66.90	15.40	14.78	2.93	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	43.94	25.50	18.92	11.44	0.20	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-27-2013</i>	49.13	25.71	21.45	3.71	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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

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