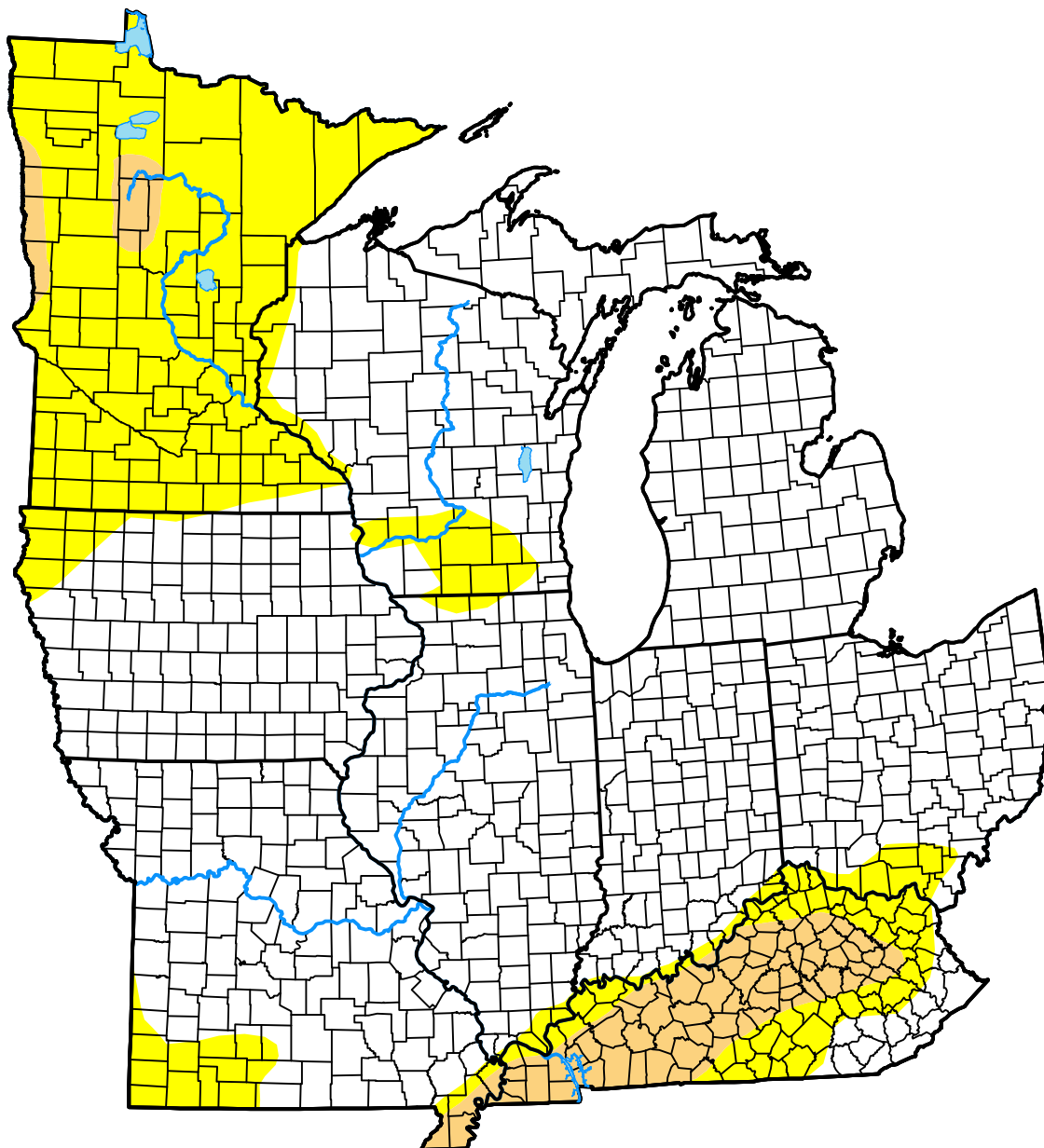


# U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 70.70 | 23.82 | 5.47  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>02-03-2015</i>              | 72.43 | 24.41 | 3.16  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>11-11-2014</i>           | 88.84 | 11.05 | 0.11  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-30-2014</i> | 83.08 | 16.80 | 0.11  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2014</i>    | 90.69 | 8.93  | 0.38  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>02-11-2014</i>           | 65.26 | 17.43 | 14.39 | 2.93 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

## Intensity:

|                     |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| None                | D2 Severe Drought      |
| D0 Abnormally Dry   | D3 Extreme Drought     |
| D1 Moderate 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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