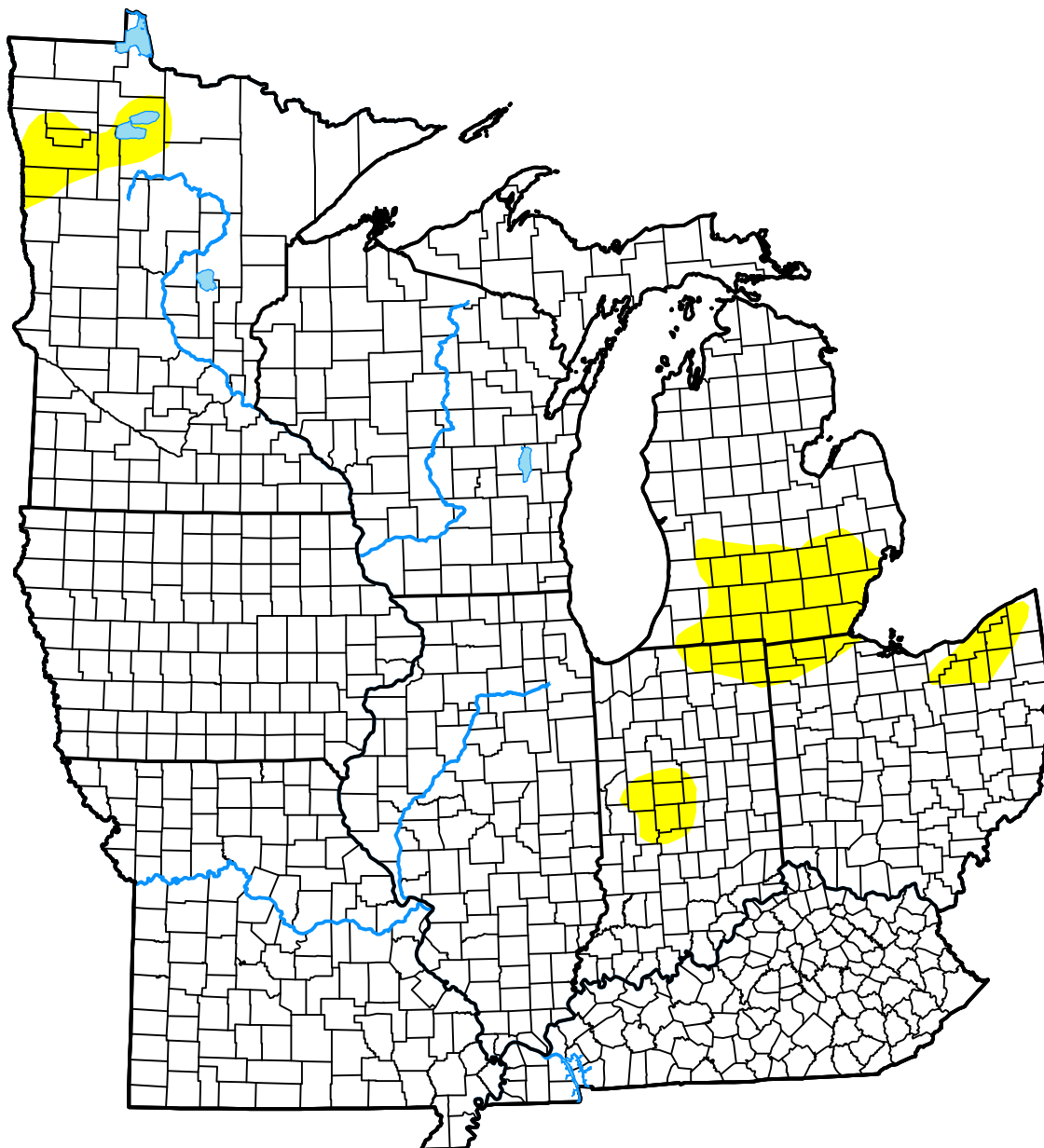


U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	94.77	5.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-29-2015</i>	88.07	9.59	2.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-06-2015</i>	75.31	23.67	1.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	88.07	9.59	2.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	79.46	19.50	1.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-06-2015</i>	83.85	16.03	0.11	0.00	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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