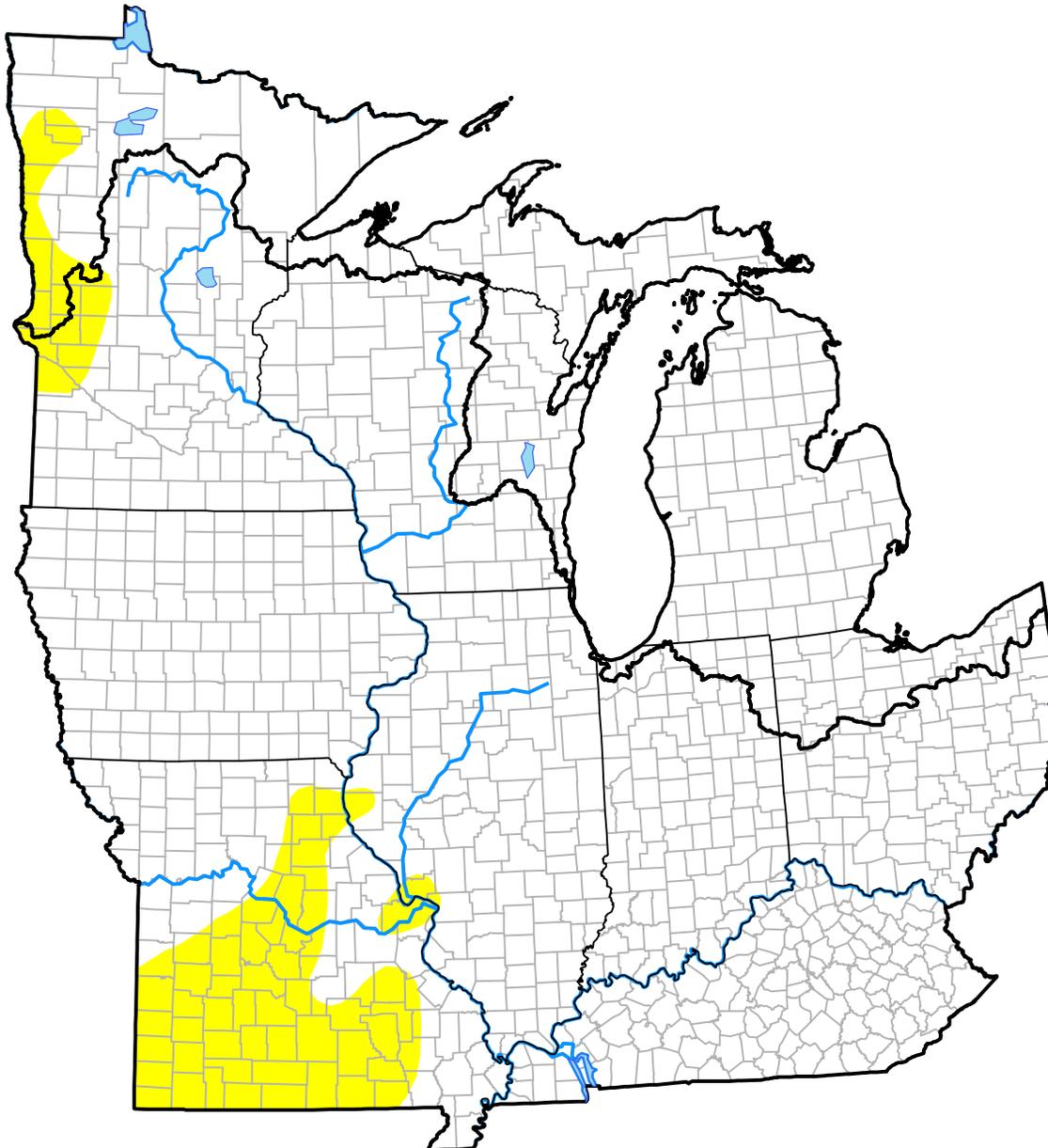


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	89.09	10.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-24-2016</i>	98.91	1.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-31-2015</i>	93.46	6.54	0.77	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	93.46	6.54	0.77	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	77.73	22.27	1.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-02-2015</i>	62.51	37.49	17.33	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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