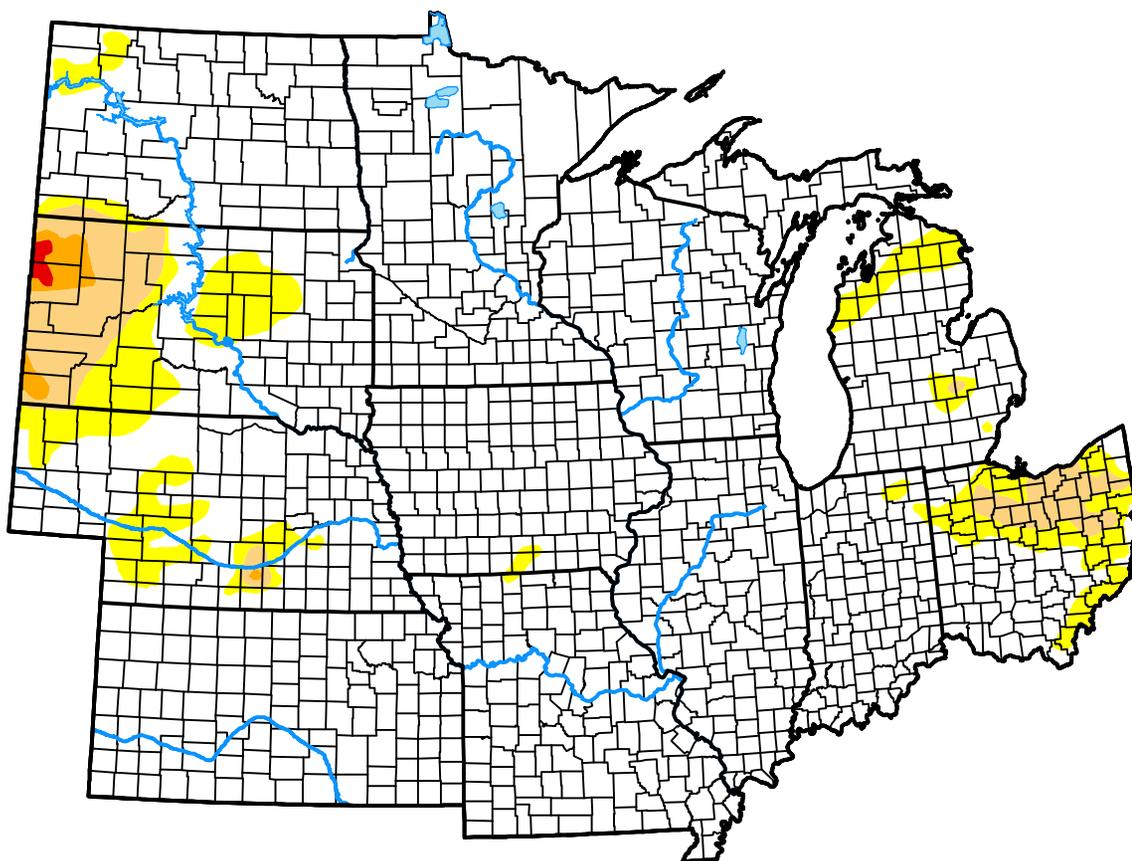


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 88.22 | 11.78 | 4.09 | 0.64 | 0.12 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>09-06-2016</i> | 84.32 | 15.68 | 4.64 | 0.92 | 0.21 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>06-14-2016</i> | 73.02 | 26.98 | 1.02 | 0.04 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i> | 87.36 | 12.64 | 2.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i> | 82.38 | 17.62 | 0.68 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>09-15-2015</i> | 89.80 | 10.20 | 0.40 | 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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