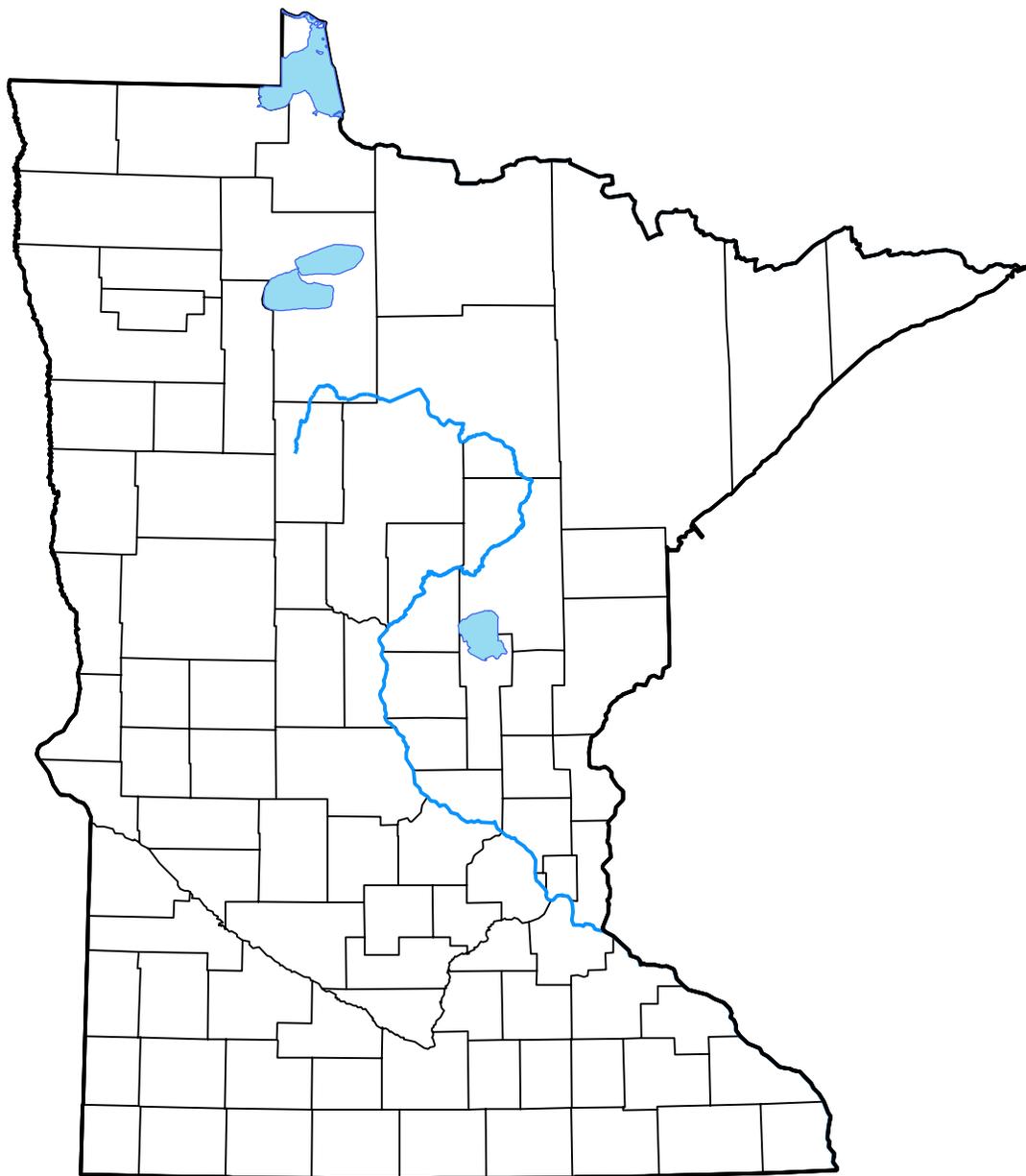


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Minnesota

**December 27, 2016**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-22-2016</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2015</i>	92.91	7.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-31-2015</i>	92.91	7.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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