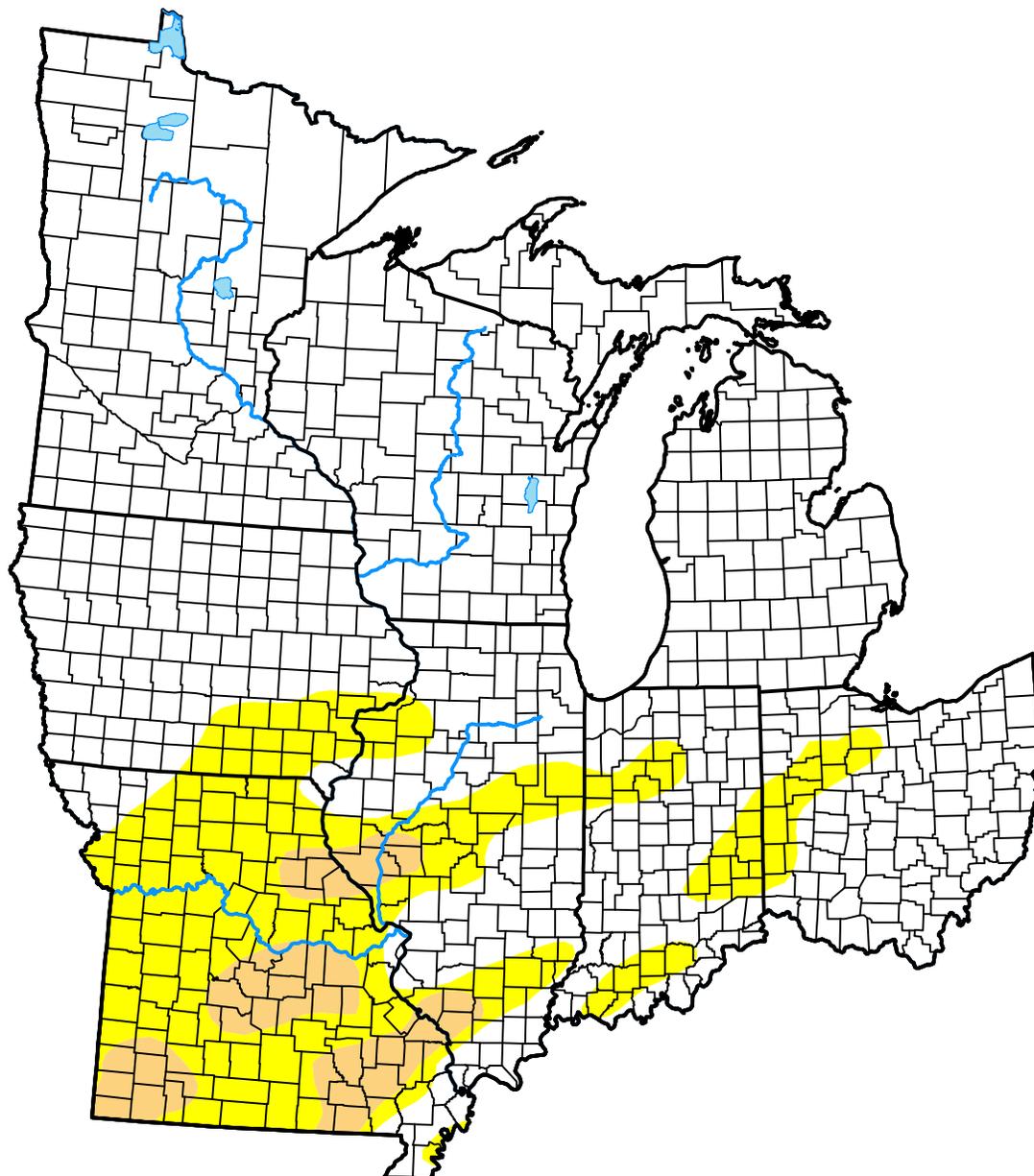


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	77.45	22.55	4.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-27-2016</i>	76.93	23.07	1.31	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-04-2016</i>	97.25	2.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2017</i>	77.45	22.55	4.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2016</i>	90.99	9.01	0.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-05-2016</i>	94.31	5.69	0.00	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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