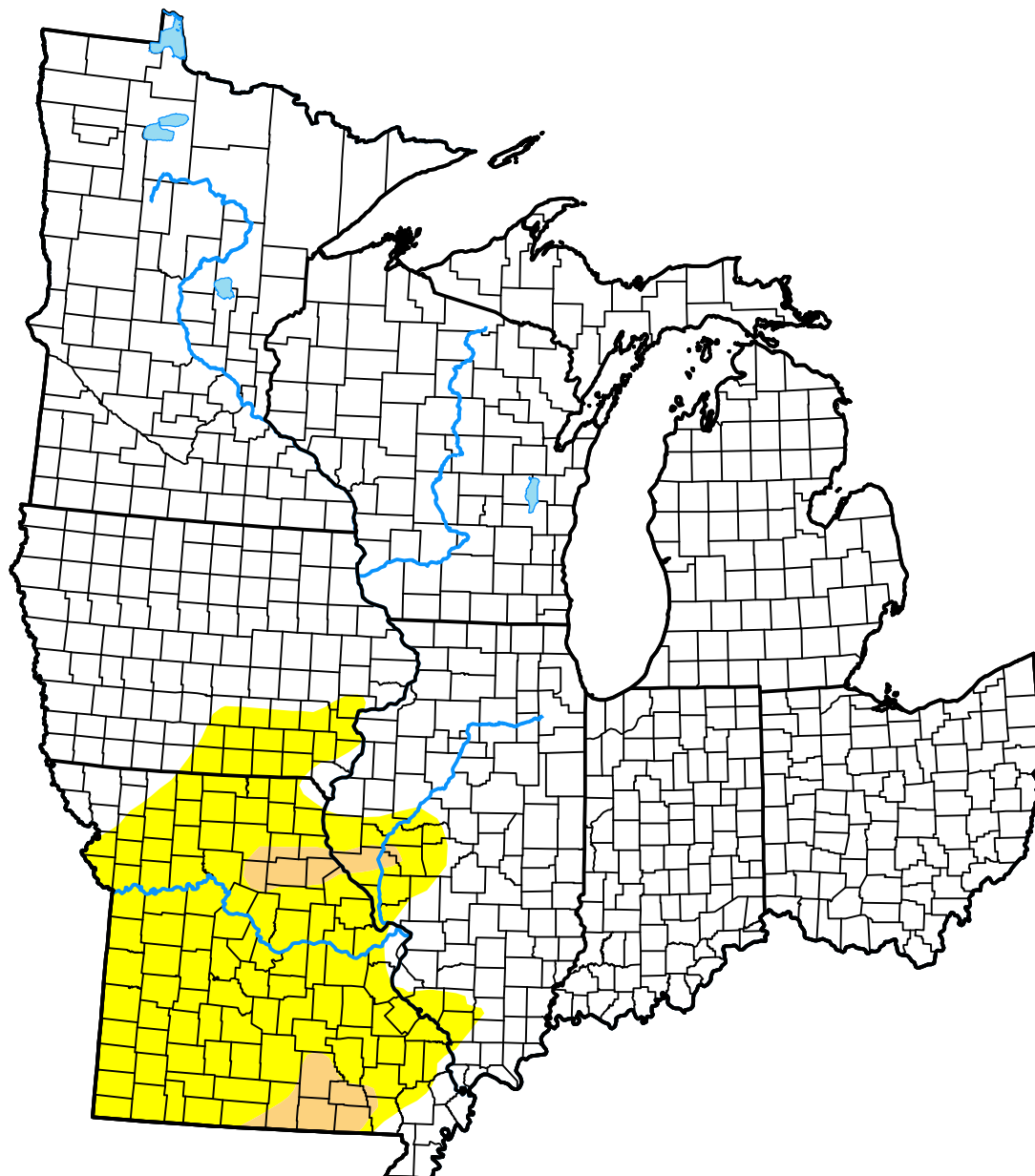


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	83.34	16.66	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-24-2017</i>	82.10	17.90	6.70	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-01-2016</i>	95.23	4.77	1.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	77.45	22.55	4.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	90.99	9.01	0.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-02-2016</i>	97.80	2.20	0.00	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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