

U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

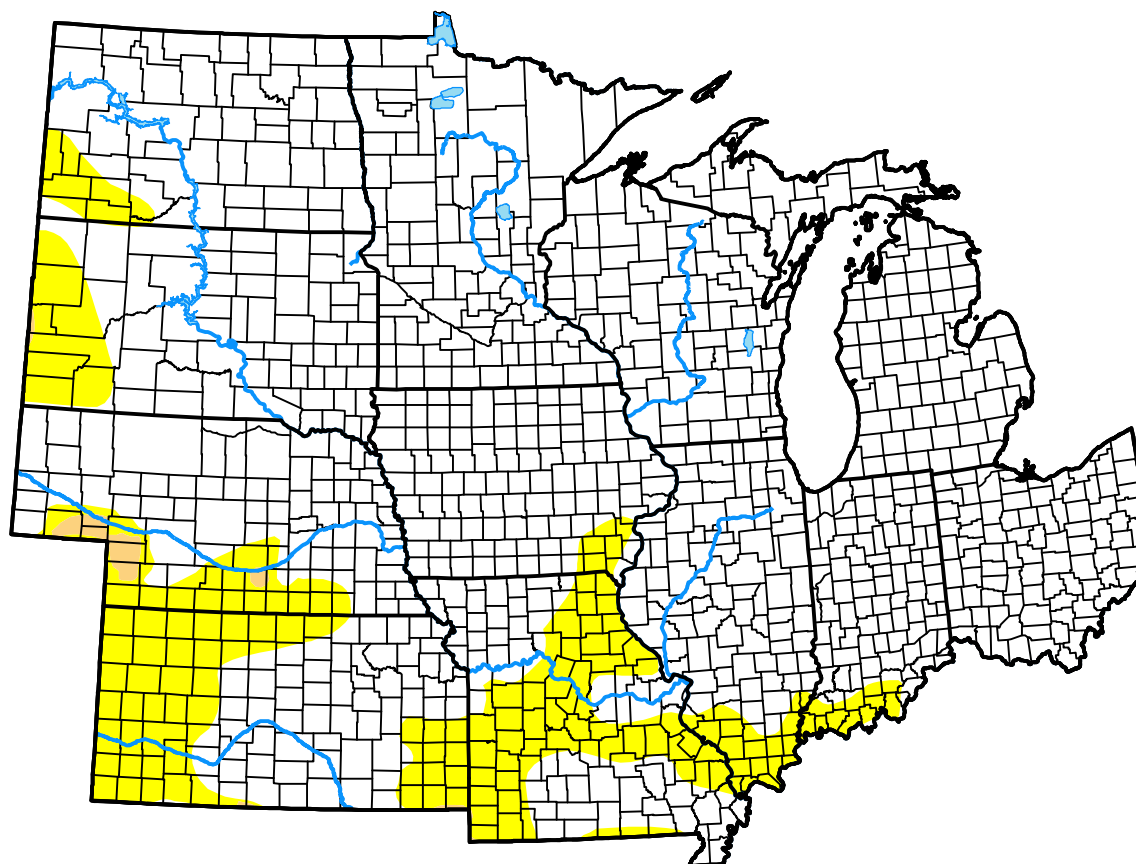
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	84.12	15.43	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 04-11-2017	83.24	15.42	1.34	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-17-2017	72.42	17.04	9.21	1.34	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	67.92	21.90	8.10	2.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	86.72	10.51	2.25	0.40	0.11	0.00
One Year Ago 04-19-2016	75.66	20.07	4.27	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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