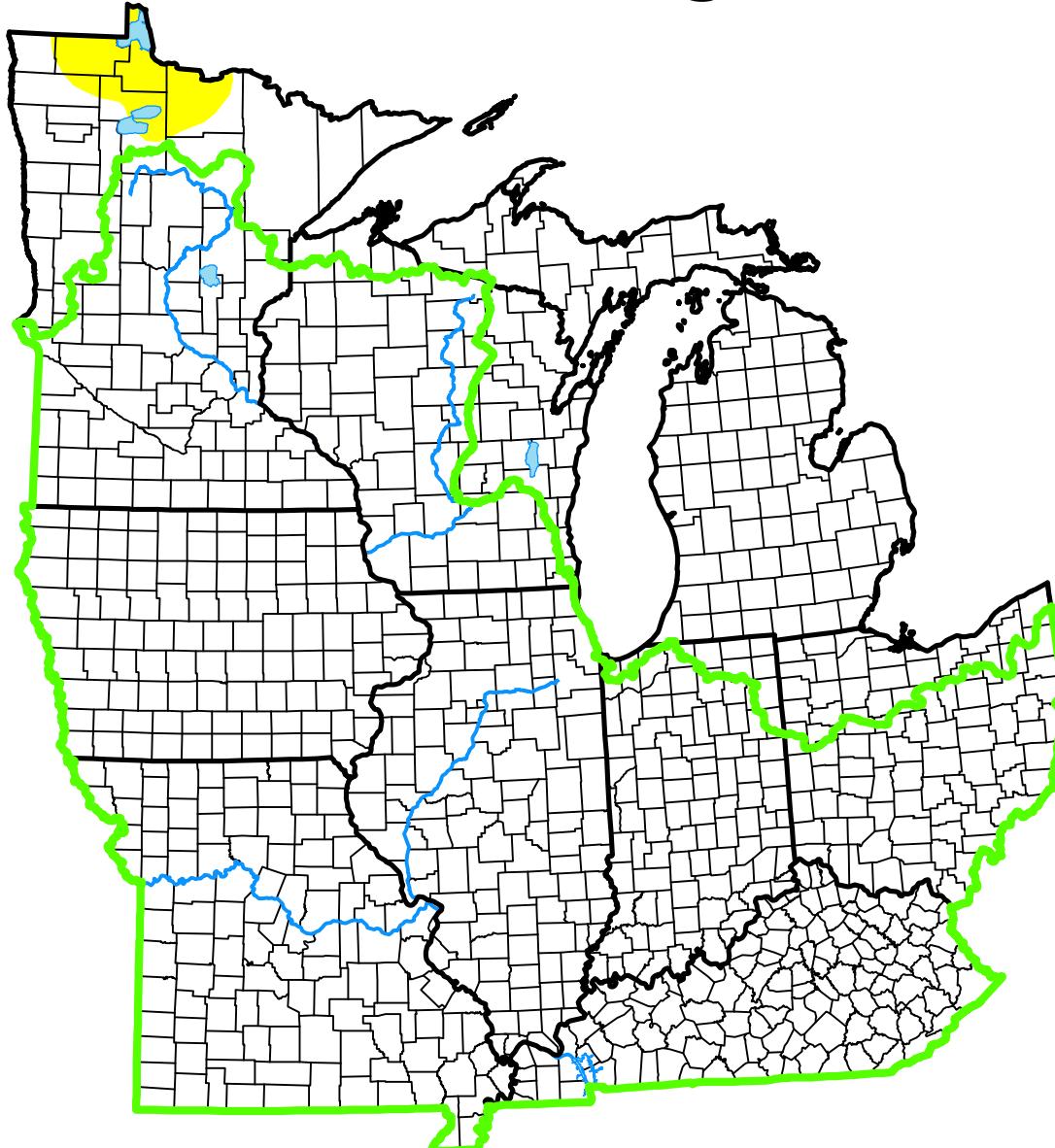


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Midwest DEWS

### and Surrounding Areas



May 23, 2017

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 05-16-2017	99.95	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-21-2017	71.15	28.85	9.70	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	72.28	27.72	5.96	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	89.24	10.76	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 05-24-2016	94.60	5.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

#### 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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