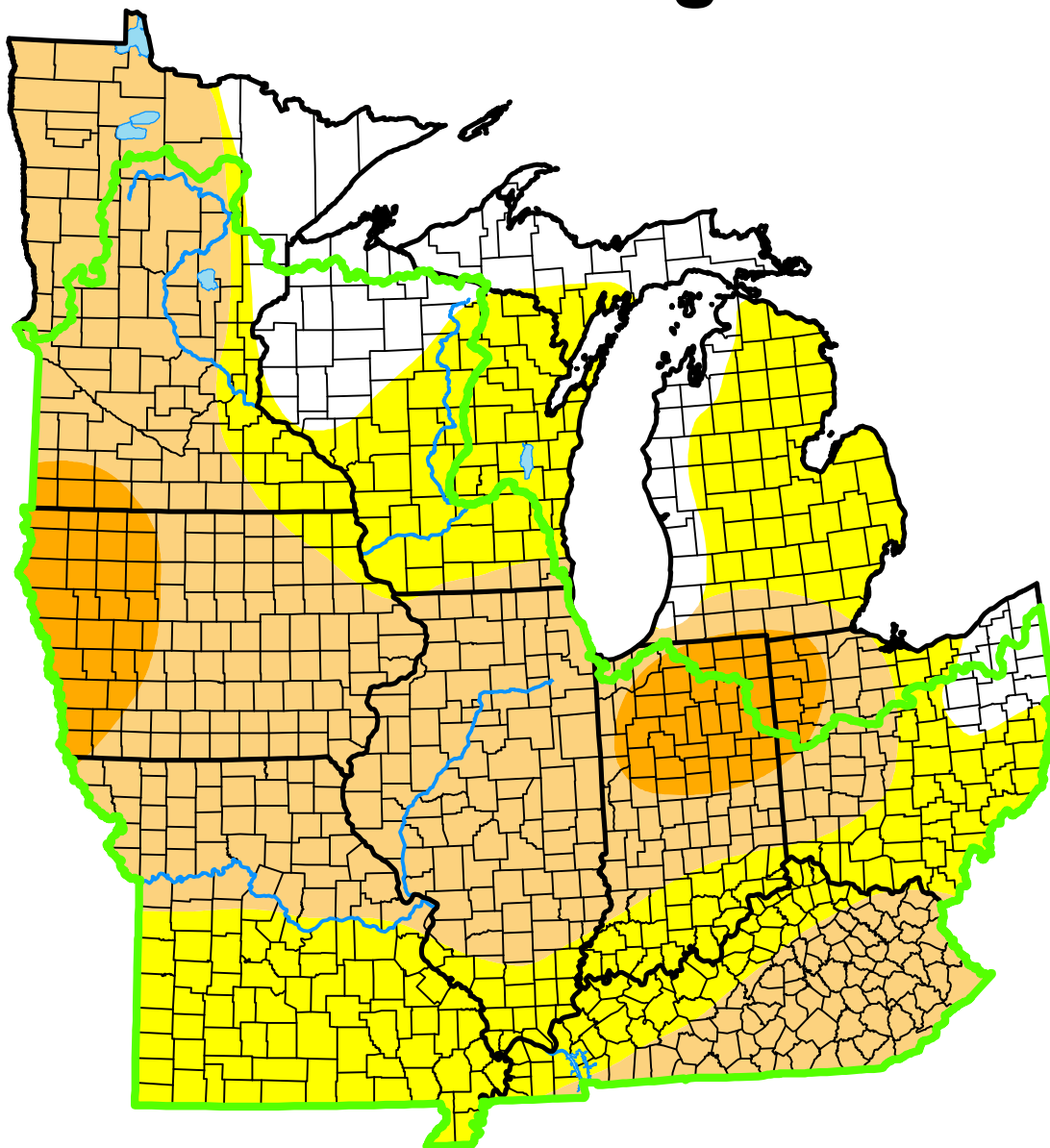


U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 5.69 | 33.67 | 52.34 | 8.30 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>02-08-2000</i> | 5.29 | 34.07 | 51.52 | 9.12 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>01-01-1900</i> | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2000</i> | 15.02 | 34.18 | 41.83 | 8.98 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>01-01-1900</i> | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| One Year Ago <i>01-01-1900</i> | - | - | - | - | - | - |

(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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