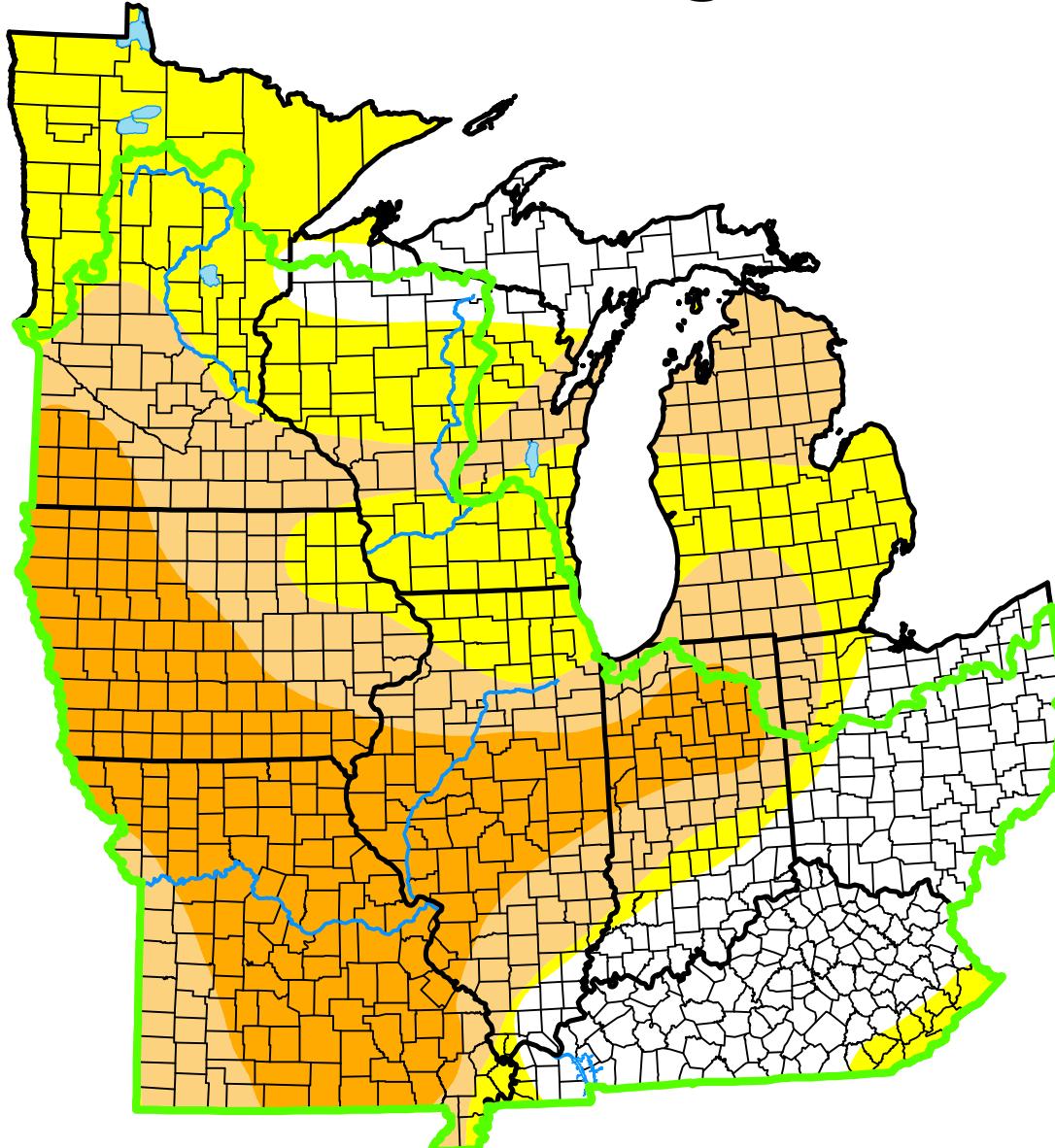


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Midwest DEWS

### and Surrounding Areas



**May 2, 2000**  
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#### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	22.49	19.77	23.78	33.96	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 04-25-2000	22.98	22.21	27.21	27.60	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 02-01-2000	5.29	34.51	51.21	8.99	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-04-2000	15.02	34.18	41.83	8.98	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 01-01-1900	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>One Year Ago</b> 01-01-1900	-	-	-	-	-	-

(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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