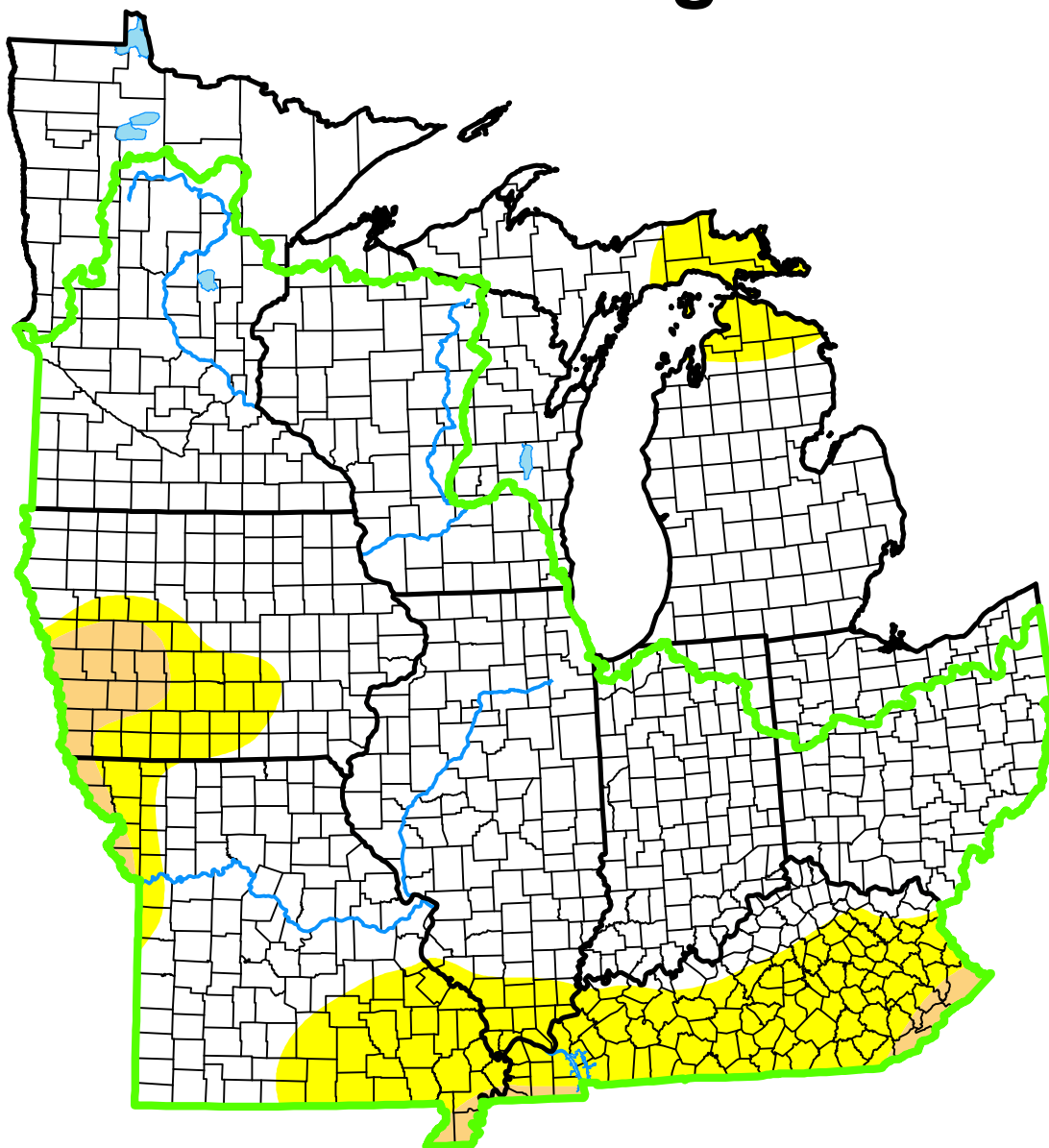


# U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 78.79 | 17.76 | 3.45  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>01-30-2001</i>              | 78.73 | 17.64 | 3.63  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>11-07-2000</i>           | 63.32 | 26.85 | 7.58  | 2.21 | 0.03 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2001</i> | 84.53 | 9.23  | 4.97  | 1.27 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-26-2000</i>    | 71.77 | 19.56 | 5.16  | 3.47 | 0.04 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>02-08-2000</i>           | 5.29  | 34.07 | 51.52 | 9.12 | 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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