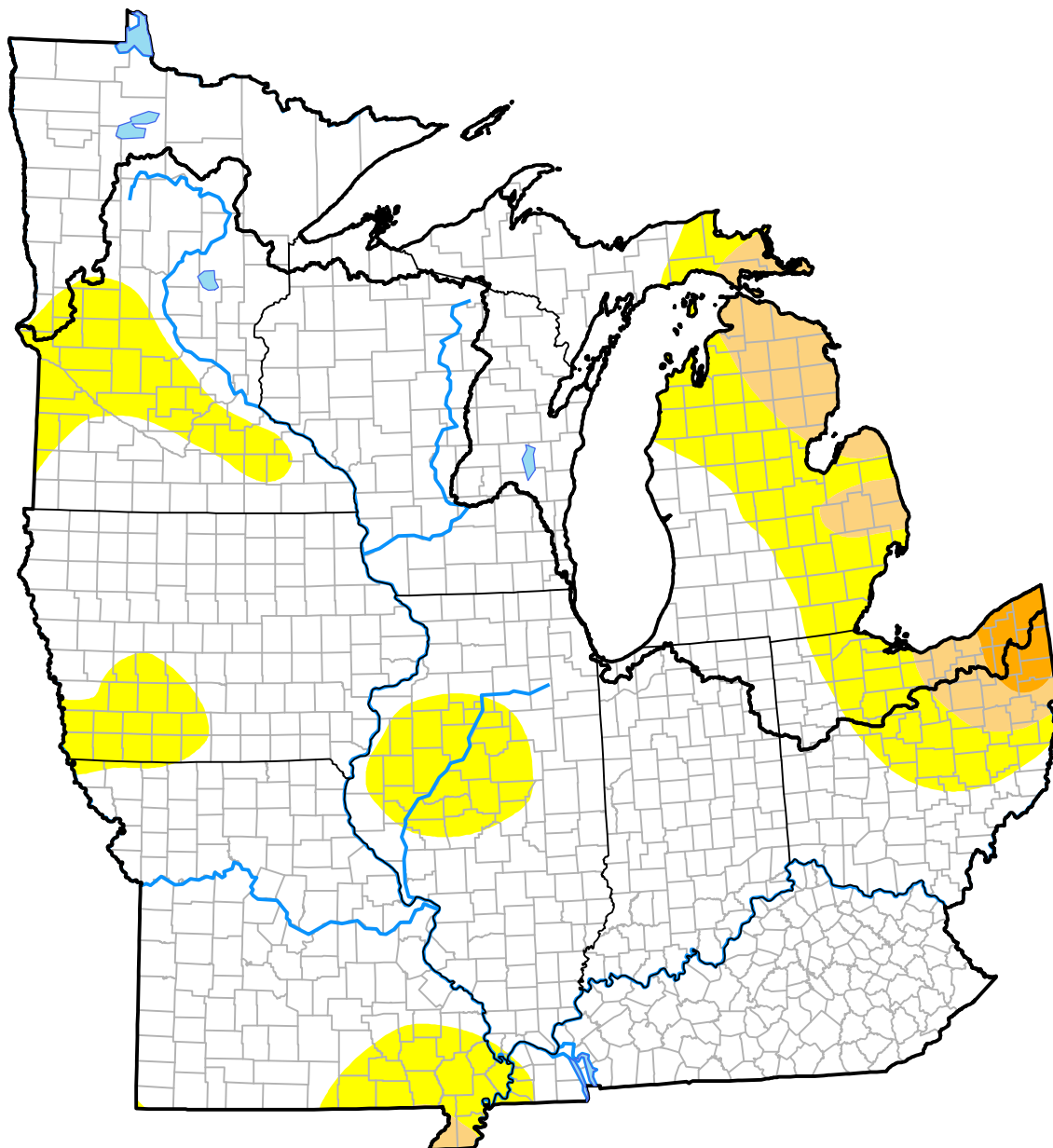


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	84.43	14.08	1.05	0.44	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-23-2001</i>	81.43	14.87	3.48	0.22	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-31-2001</i>	71.17	7.70	16.06	5.06	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	84.53	9.23	4.97	1.27	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	71.77	19.56	5.16	3.47	0.04	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-31-2000</i>	89.94	7.19	2.86	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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