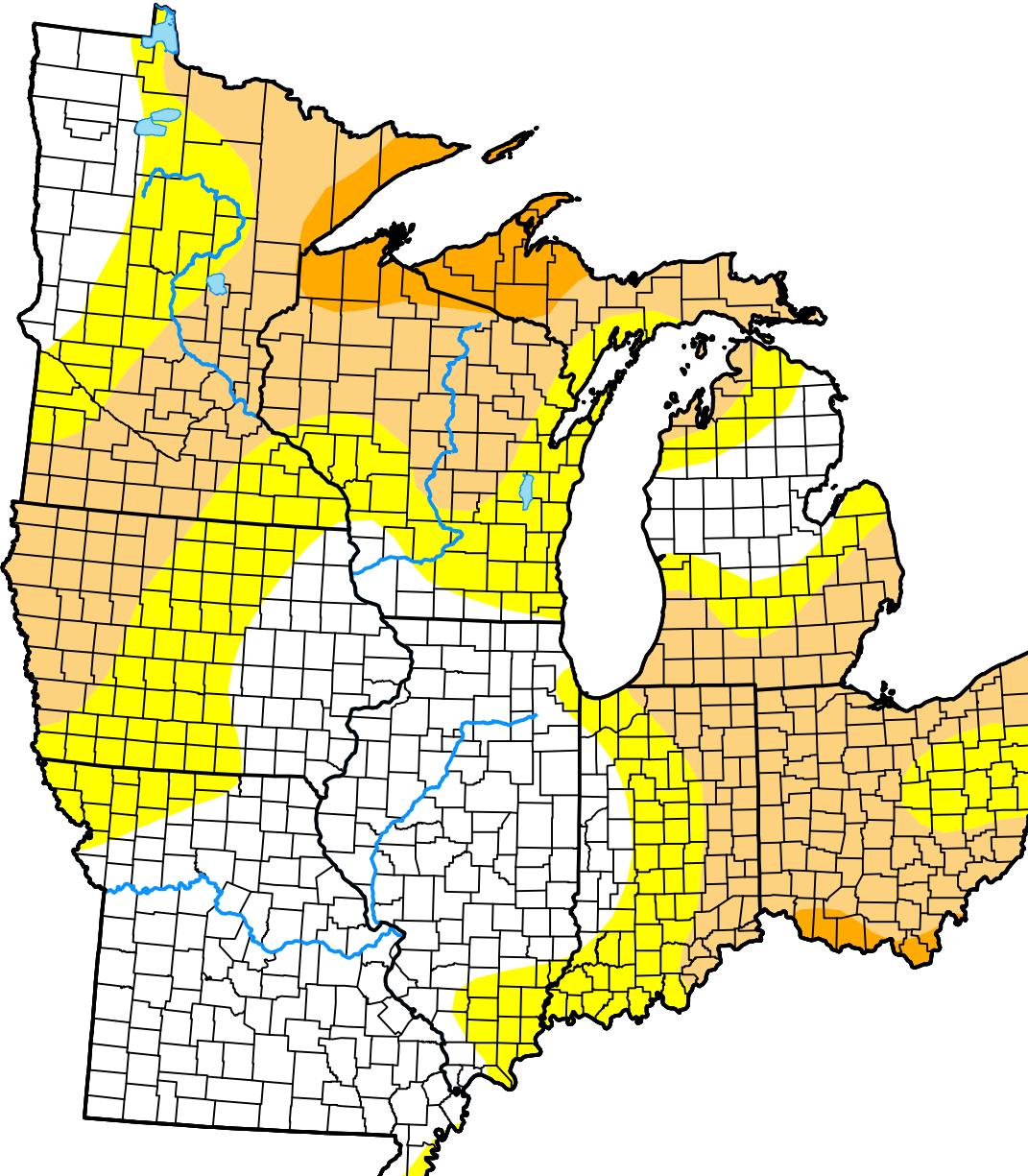


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USDA Midwest Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	38.28	61.72	35.23	3.92	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-10-2007	42.60	57.40	30.14	3.72	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-17-2007	88.74	11.26	6.70	4.19	2.03	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2007	58.38	41.62	19.67	12.09	7.70	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2006	60.38	39.62	22.63	11.20	8.41	0.00
One Year Ago 07-18-2006	40.35	59.65	35.08	12.38	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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