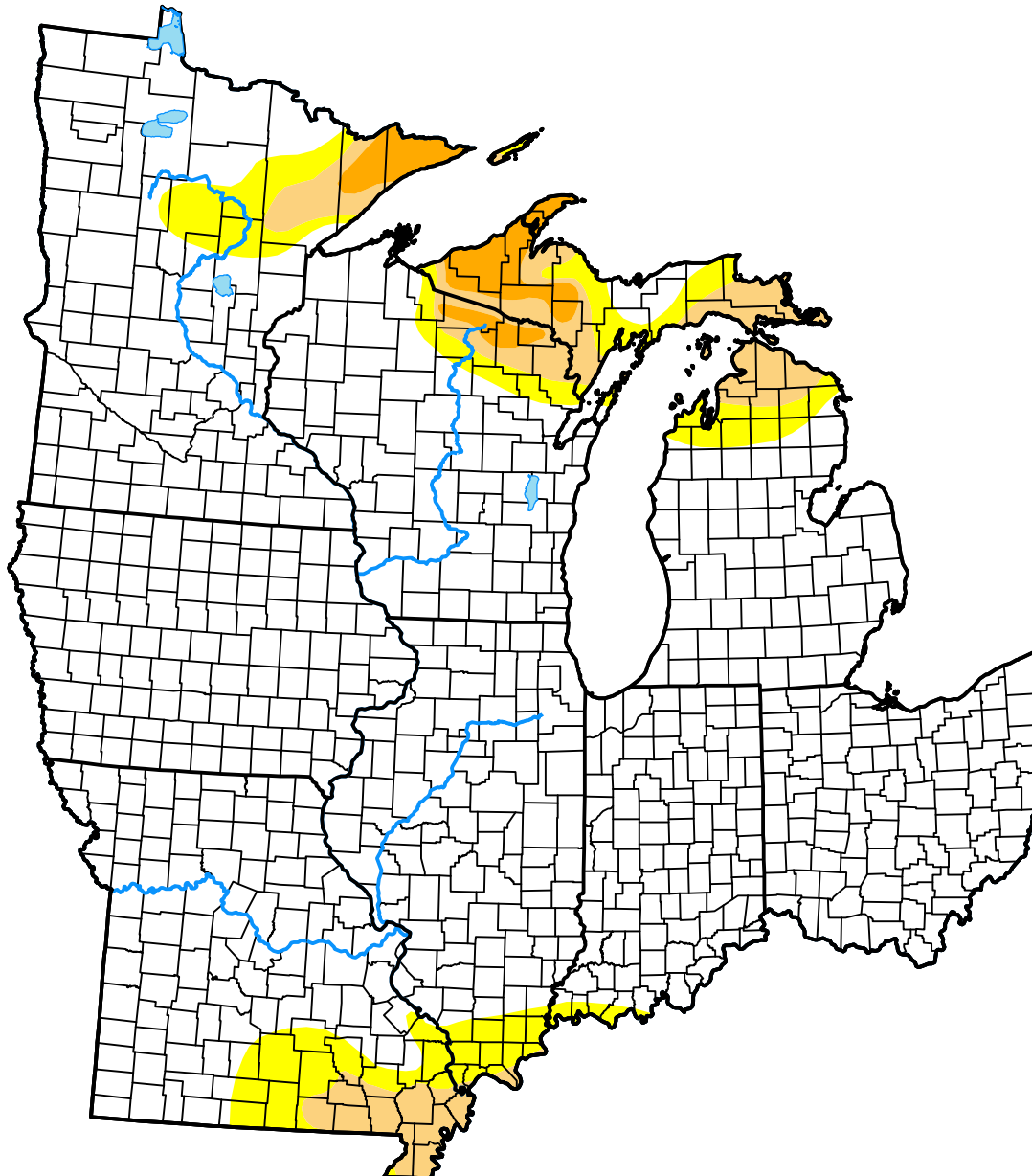


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	86.87	13.13	6.54	1.81	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-27-2010</i>	85.13	14.87	7.52	2.81	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-04-2010</i>	72.61	27.39	15.18	4.45	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2009</i>	87.71	12.29	3.79	0.87	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2009</i>	64.78	35.22	16.62	7.64	1.38	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-04-2009</i>	69.25	30.75	14.84	7.48	1.41	0.00

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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