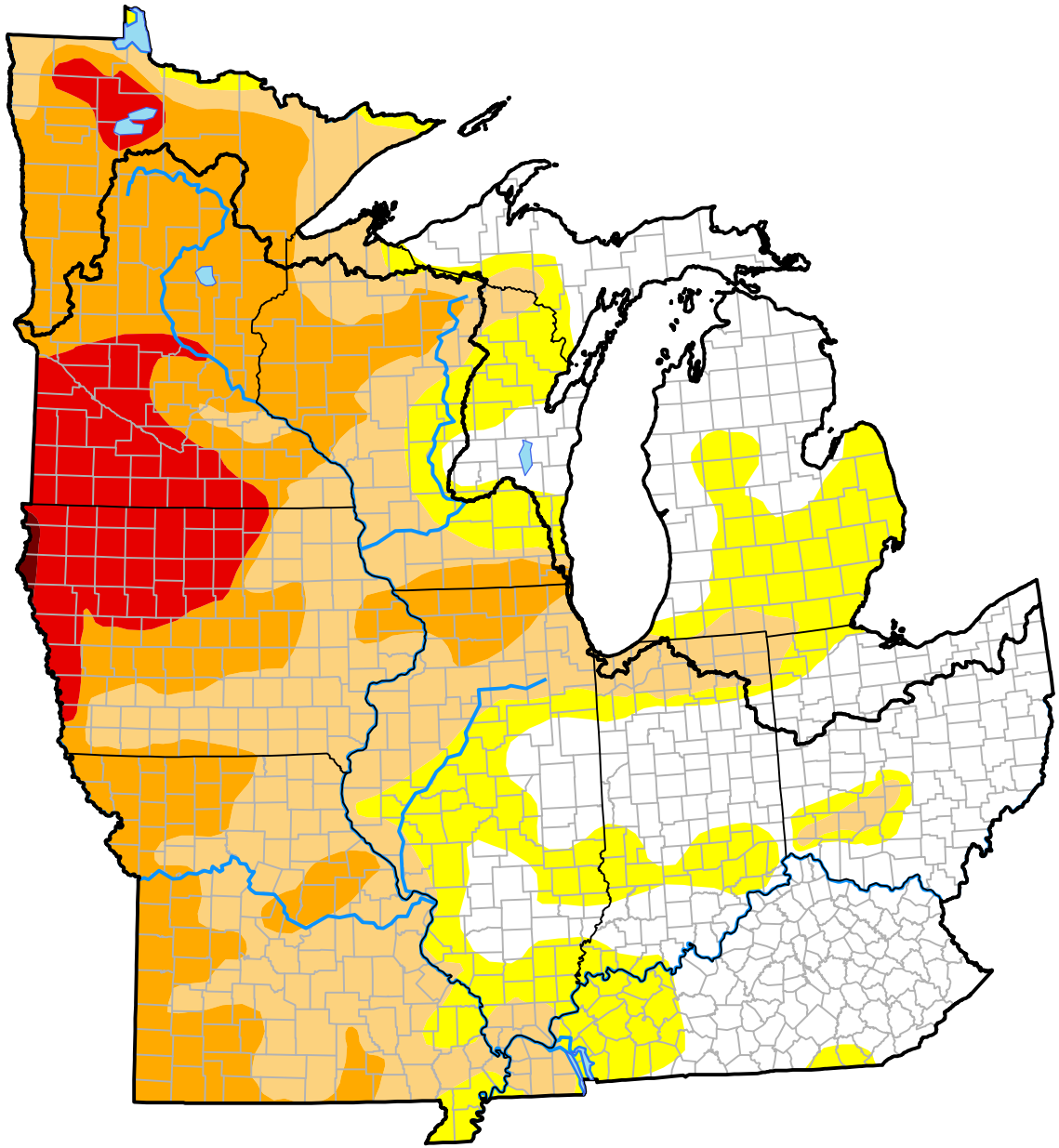
U.S. Drought Monitor

Midwest RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	23.88	14.06	28.06	24.46	9.35	0.19
Last Week *12-20-2012*	23.66	14.28	28.27	22.79	10.82	0.19
3 Months Ago *09-27-2012*	5.51	14.57	28.28	34.18	17.08	0.38
Start of Calendar Year *01-05-2012*	75.13	12.97	4.06	7.84	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-27-2012*	5.51	14.57	28.28	34.18	17.08	0.38
One Year Ago *12-29-2011*	75.13	12.97	4.06	7.84	0.00	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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