

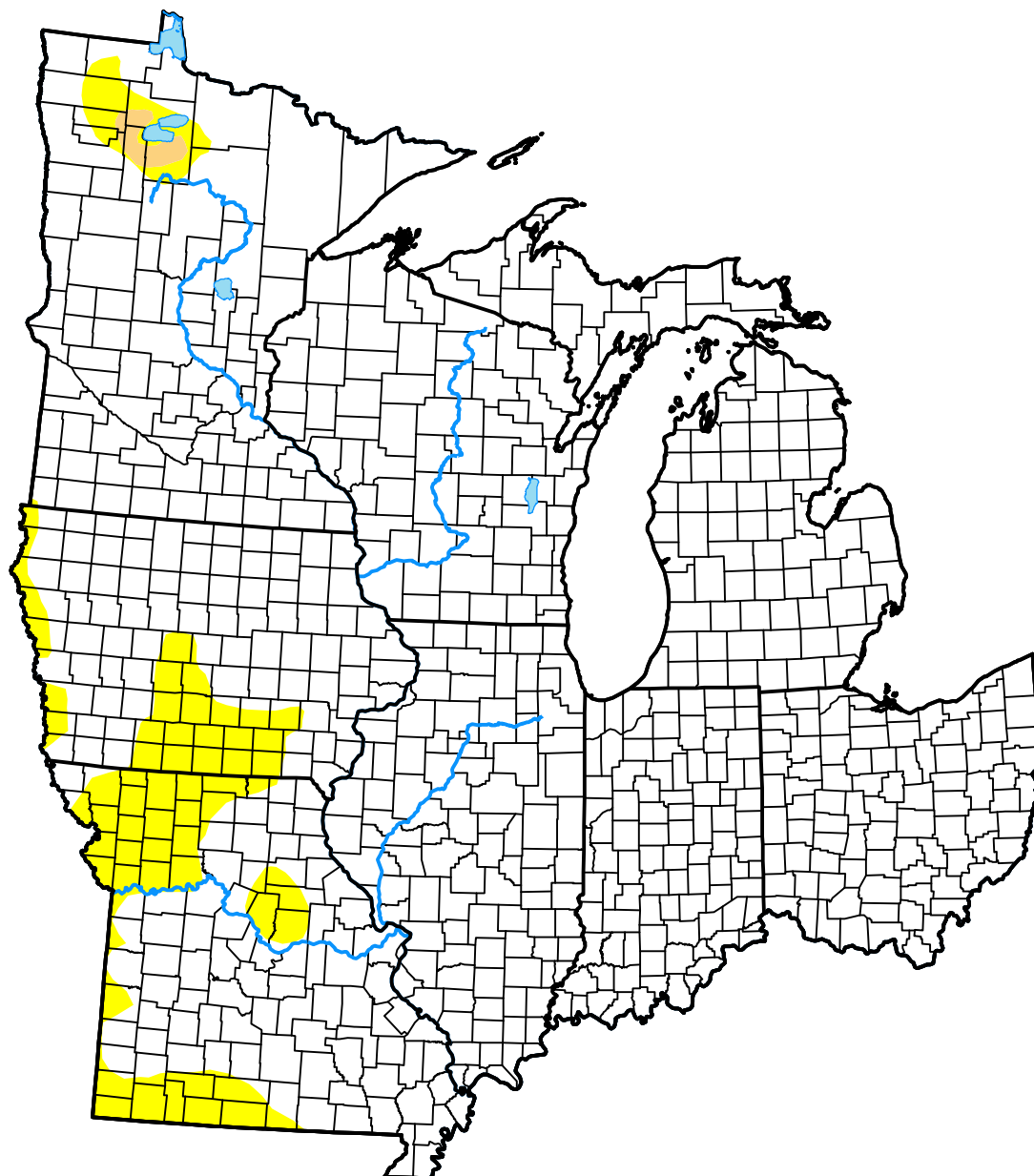
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	92.21	7.48	0.32	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-09-2013</i>	97.09	2.43	0.48	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>04-16-2013</i>	64.47	12.74	14.36	8.23	0.19	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	24.17	16.56	26.50	24.19	8.42	0.15
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	5.99	22.94	27.18	27.96	15.62	0.31
One Year Ago <i>07-17-2012</i>	15.02	12.45	24.04	37.34	10.93	0.22

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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