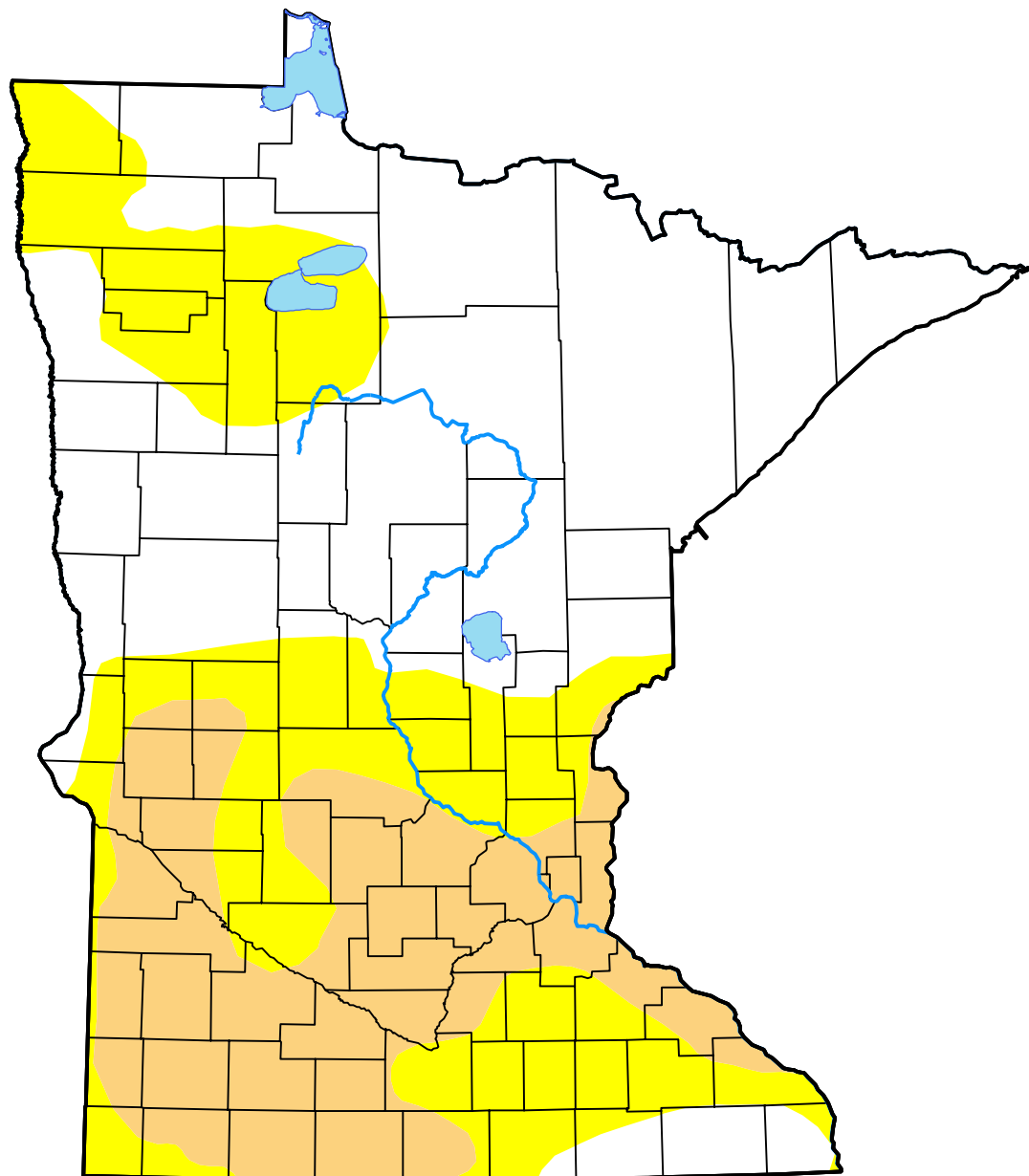


# U.S. Drought Monitor Minnesota



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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0-D4  | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 49.22 | 50.78  | 23.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>01-02-2014              | 49.22 | 50.78  | 23.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>10-10-2013           | 29.98 | 70.02  | 37.91 | 7.19  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-02-2014 | 49.22 | 50.78  | 23.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-03-2013    | 27.29 | 72.71  | 46.69 | 8.94  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>01-10-2013           | 0.00  | 100.00 | 97.99 | 83.44 | 25.17 | 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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