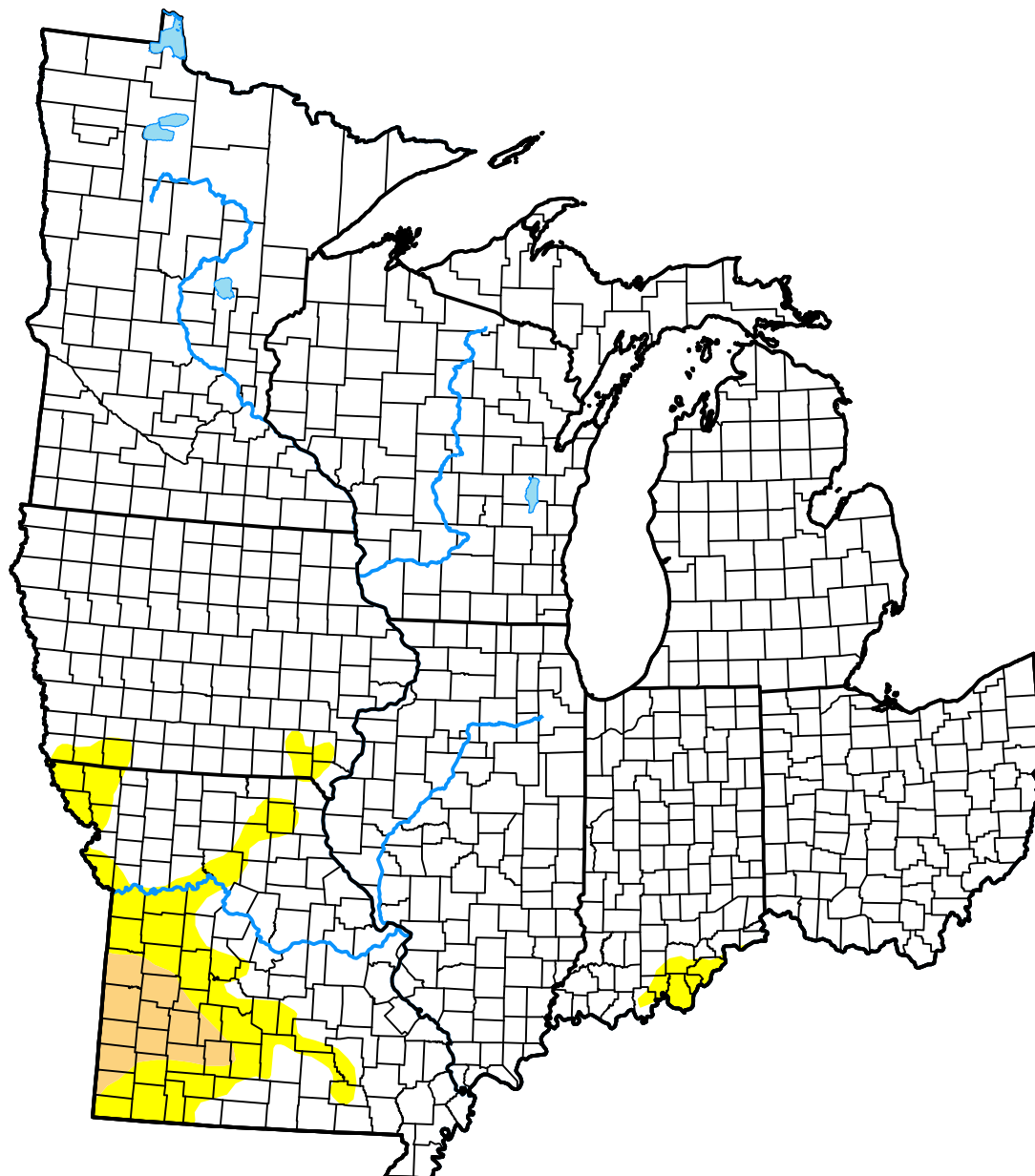


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub

**July 1, 2014**  
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 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 93.25 | 5.19  | 1.55  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>06-24-2014</i>              | 91.57 | 6.51  | 1.93  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>04-01-2014</i>           | 55.86 | 29.43 | 13.88 | 0.84  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2013</i> | 63.99 | 16.76 | 16.08 | 3.18  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2013</i>    | 39.01 | 27.75 | 20.58 | 12.45 | 0.22 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>07-02-2013</i>           | 98.15 | 1.10  | 0.75  | 0.00  | 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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