

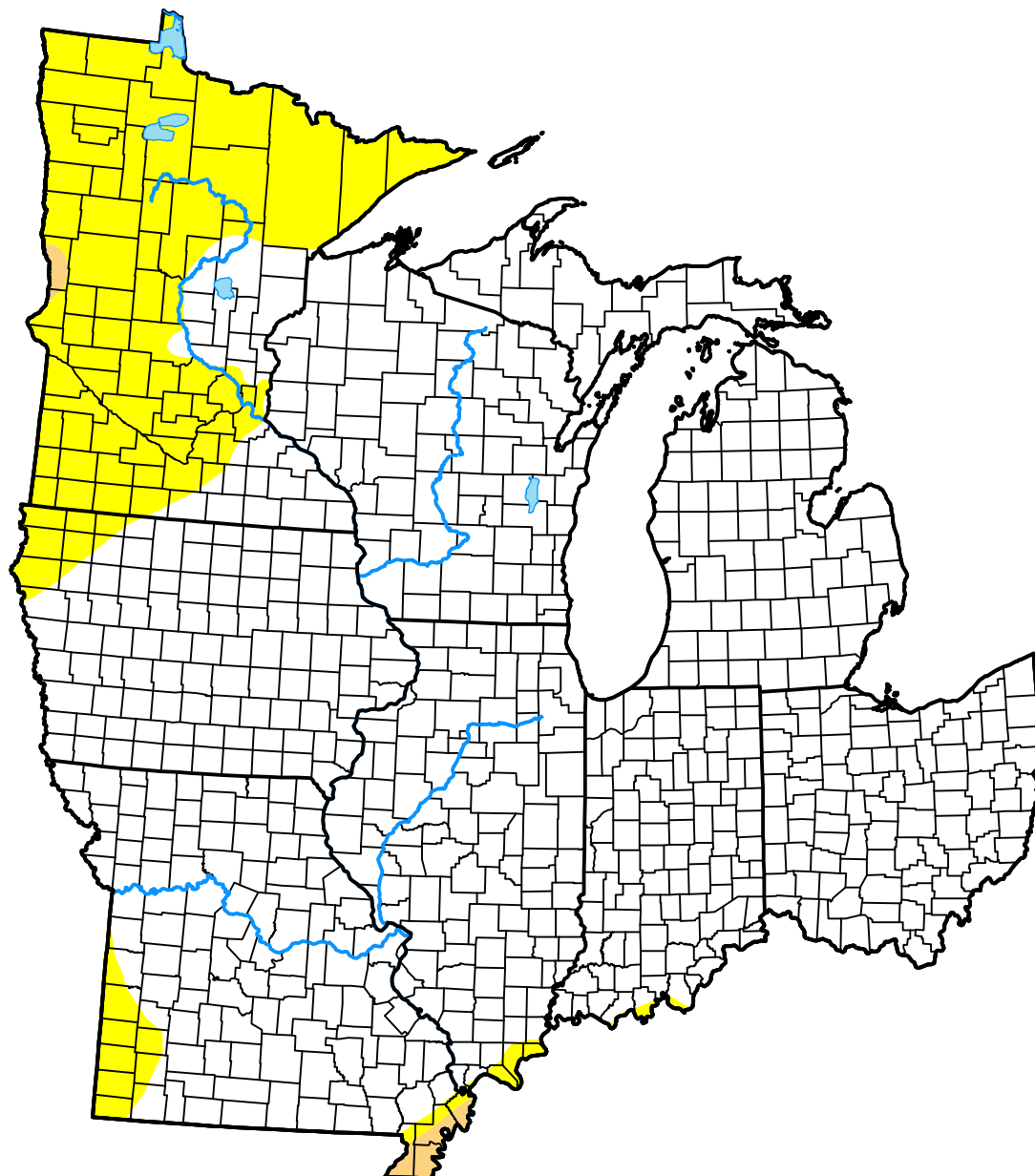
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	82.58	16.96	0.46	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 01-13-2015	83.59	16.08	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-21-2014	96.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-30-2014	83.05	16.83	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2014	90.60	8.99	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 01-21-2014	62.22	18.52	16.08	3.18	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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