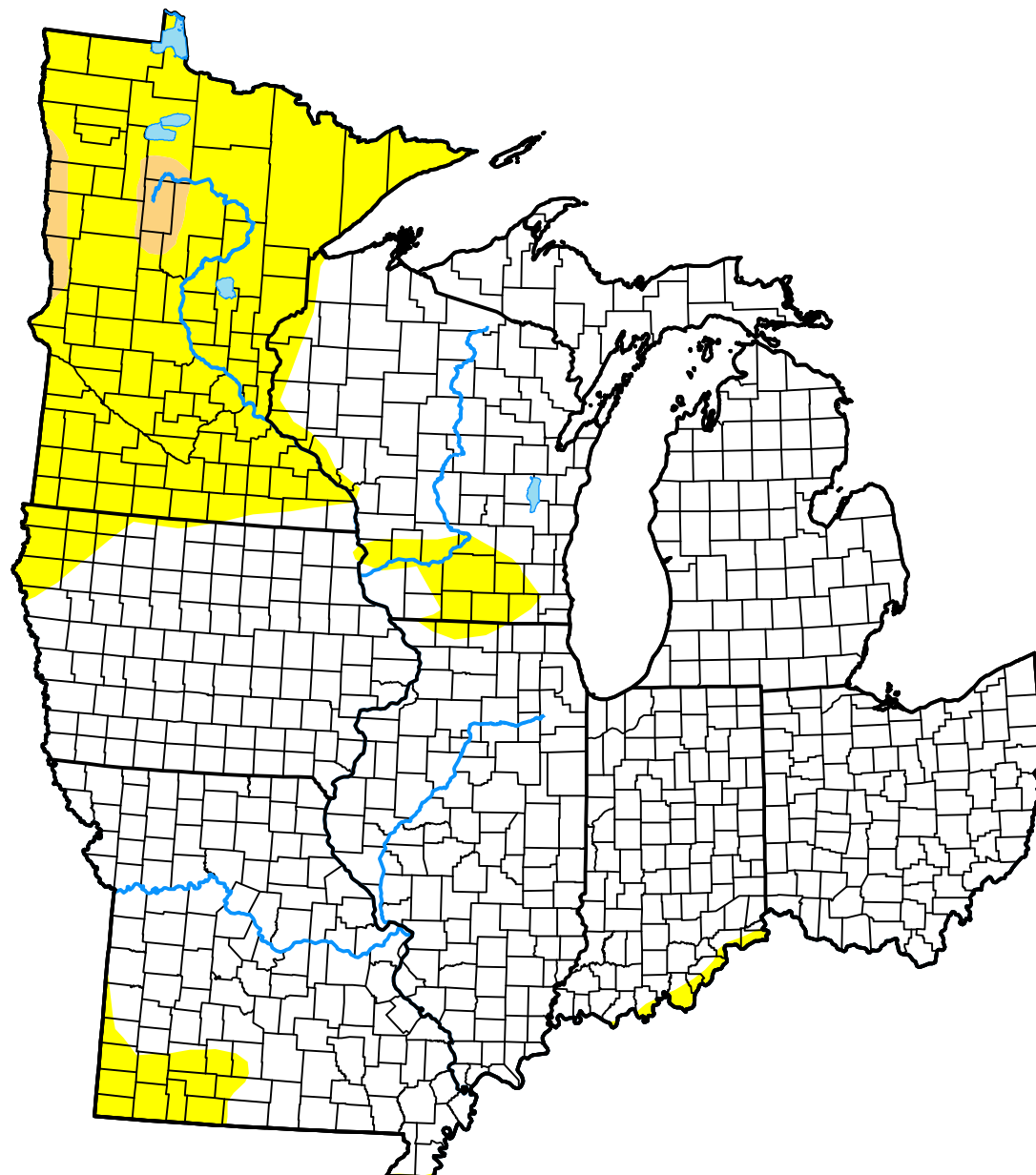


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	77.10	21.85	1.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 02-24-2015	76.16	22.78	1.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 12-02-2014	84.34	15.53	0.12	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 03-04-2014	63.09	24.26	11.81	0.84	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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