

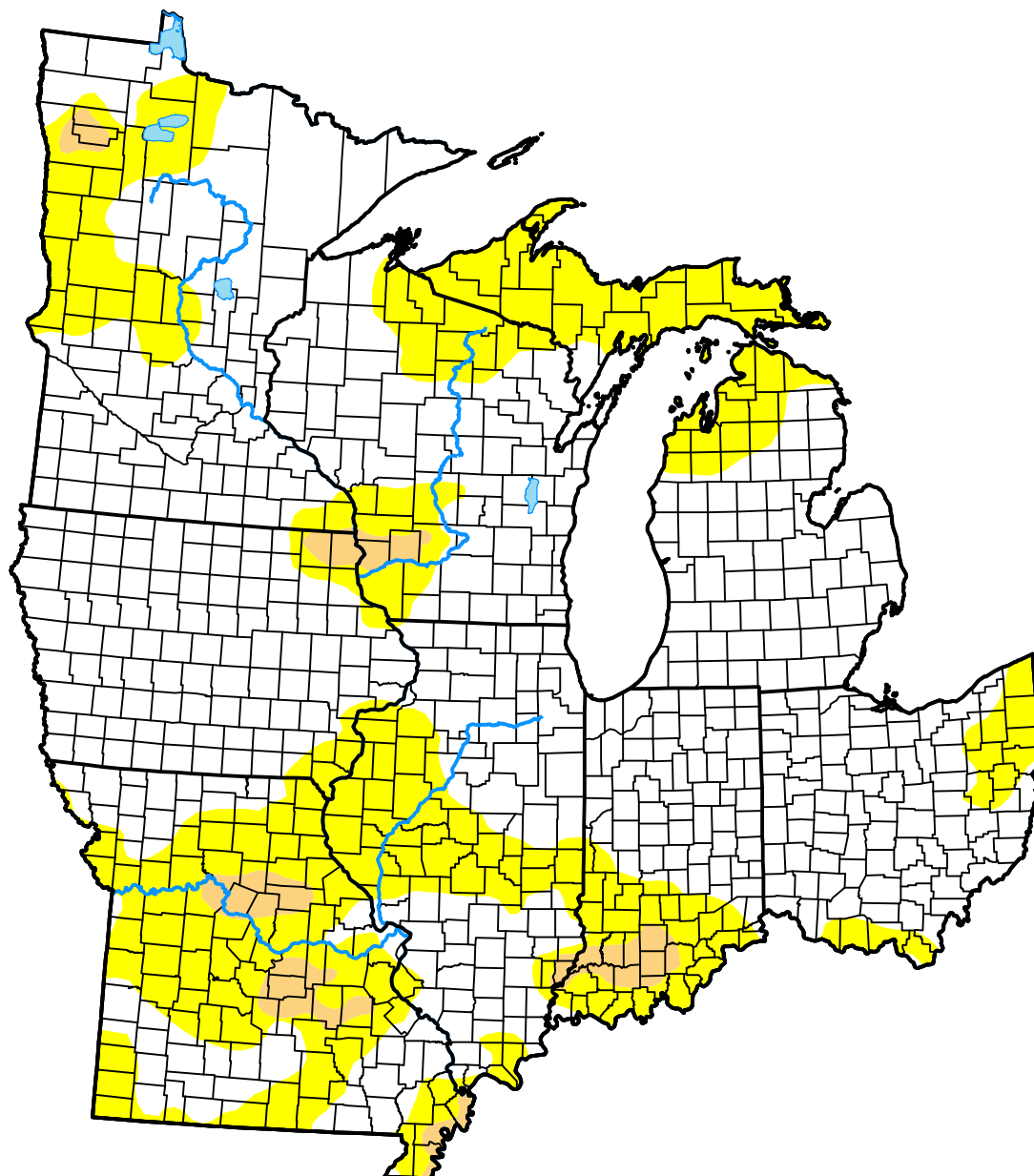
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	67.50	29.60	2.90	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-06-2015	75.58	23.32	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-14-2015	98.04	1.96	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 09-29-2015	82.86	16.81	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 10-14-2014	96.51	3.49	0.00	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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