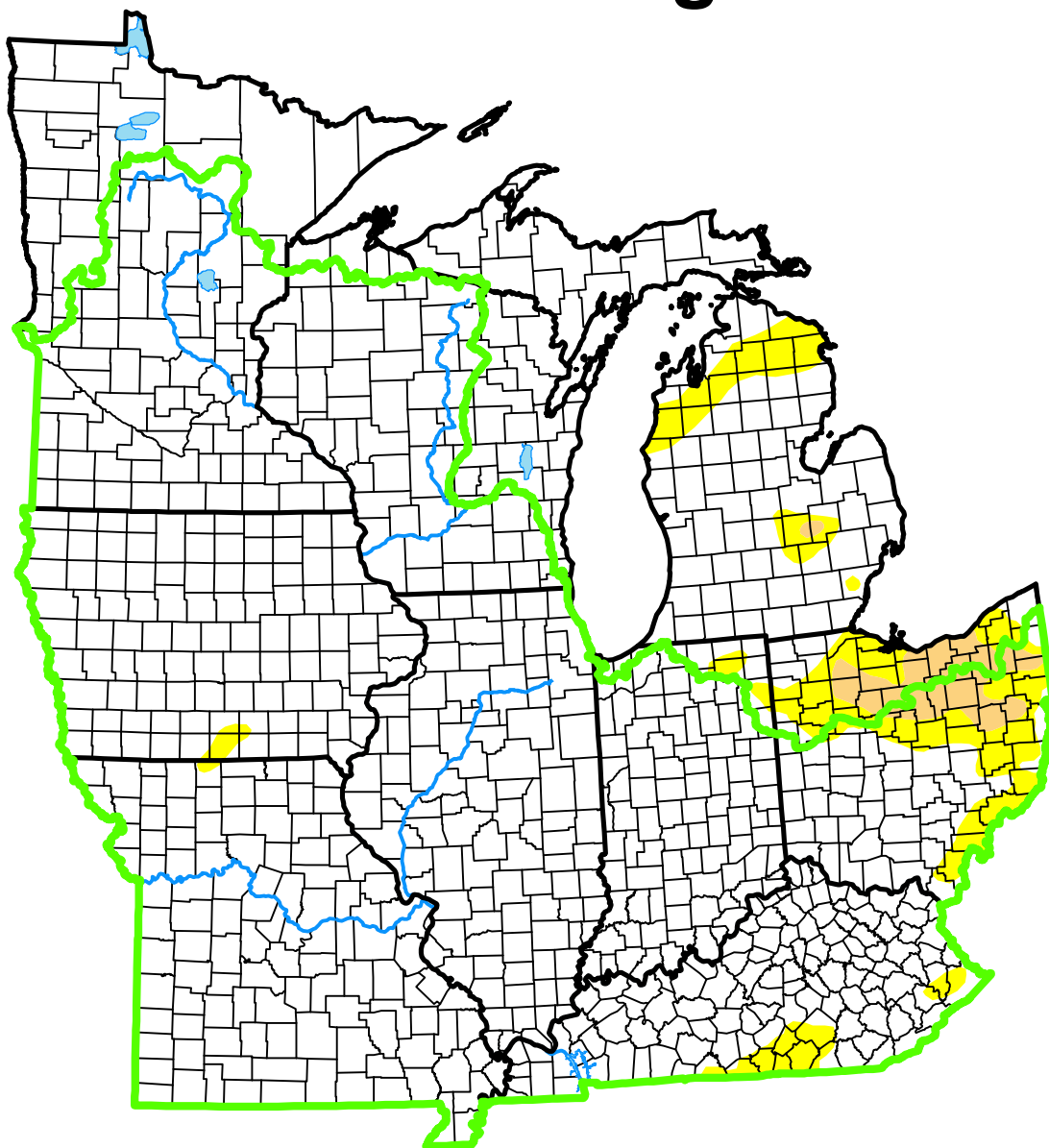


U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	95.91	4.09	0.93	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-06-2016</i>	95.92	4.08	1.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-14-2016</i>	68.15	31.85	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	93.46	6.54	0.77	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	77.73	22.27	1.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-15-2015</i>	88.05	11.95	0.47	0.00	0.00	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

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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