

U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

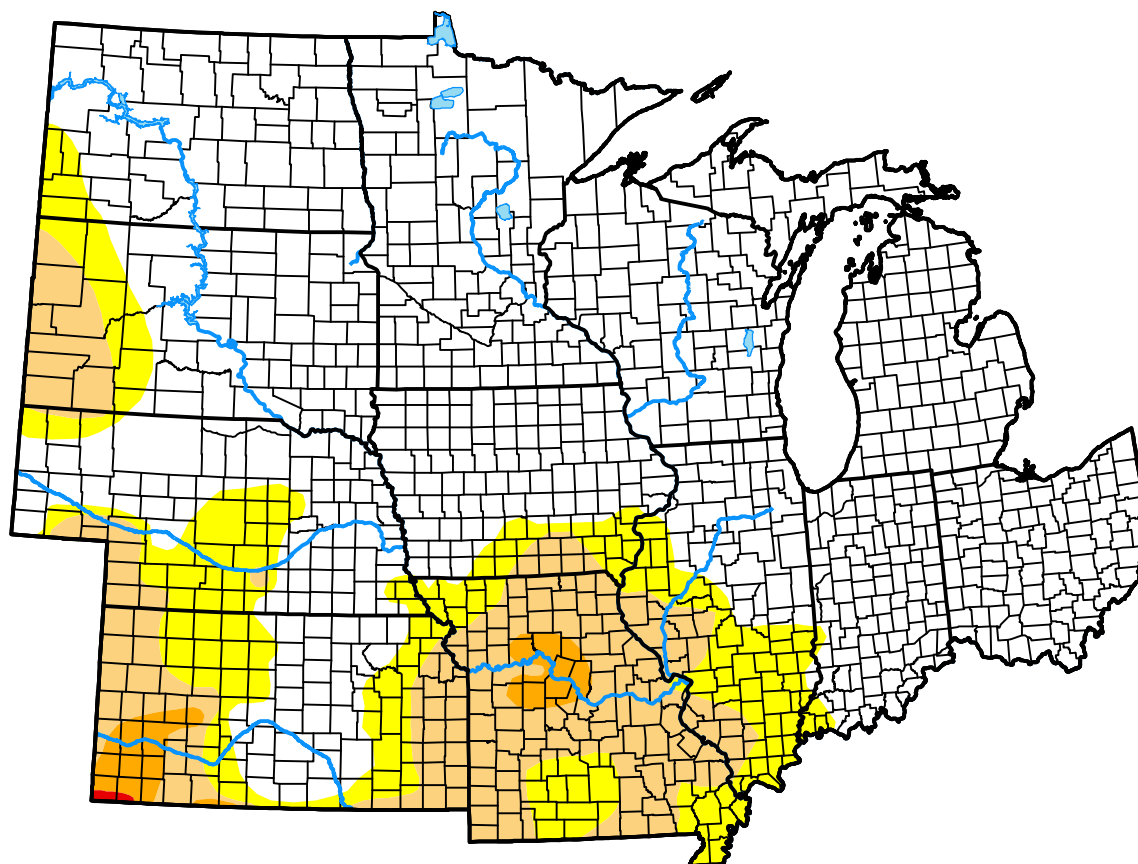
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	70.98	13.55	13.76	1.66	0.06	0.00
Last Week <i>02-28-2017</i>	69.67	17.61	12.01	0.72	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-06-2016</i>	64.82	25.60	7.35	2.23	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	67.92	21.90	8.10	2.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	86.72	10.51	2.25	0.40	0.11	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-08-2016</i>	87.31	12.44	0.25	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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