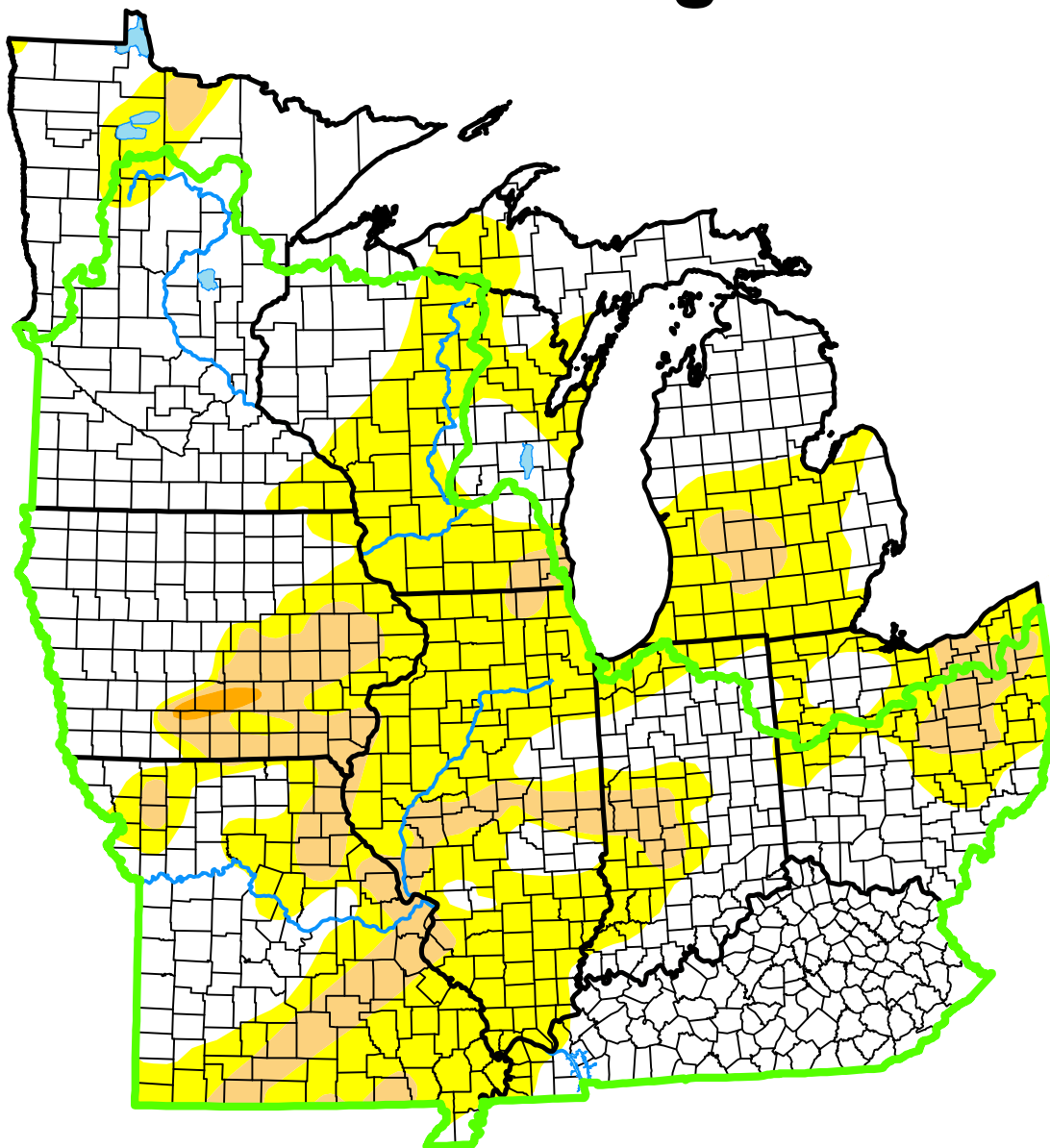


U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	53.77	34.52	11.41	0.30	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-03-2017</i>	49.24	36.49	12.91	0.88	0.48	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-11-2017</i>	87.77	9.62	2.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	72.28	21.77	5.96	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	54.99	34.95	9.03	0.69	0.34	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-11-2016</i>	89.95	9.32	0.73	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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