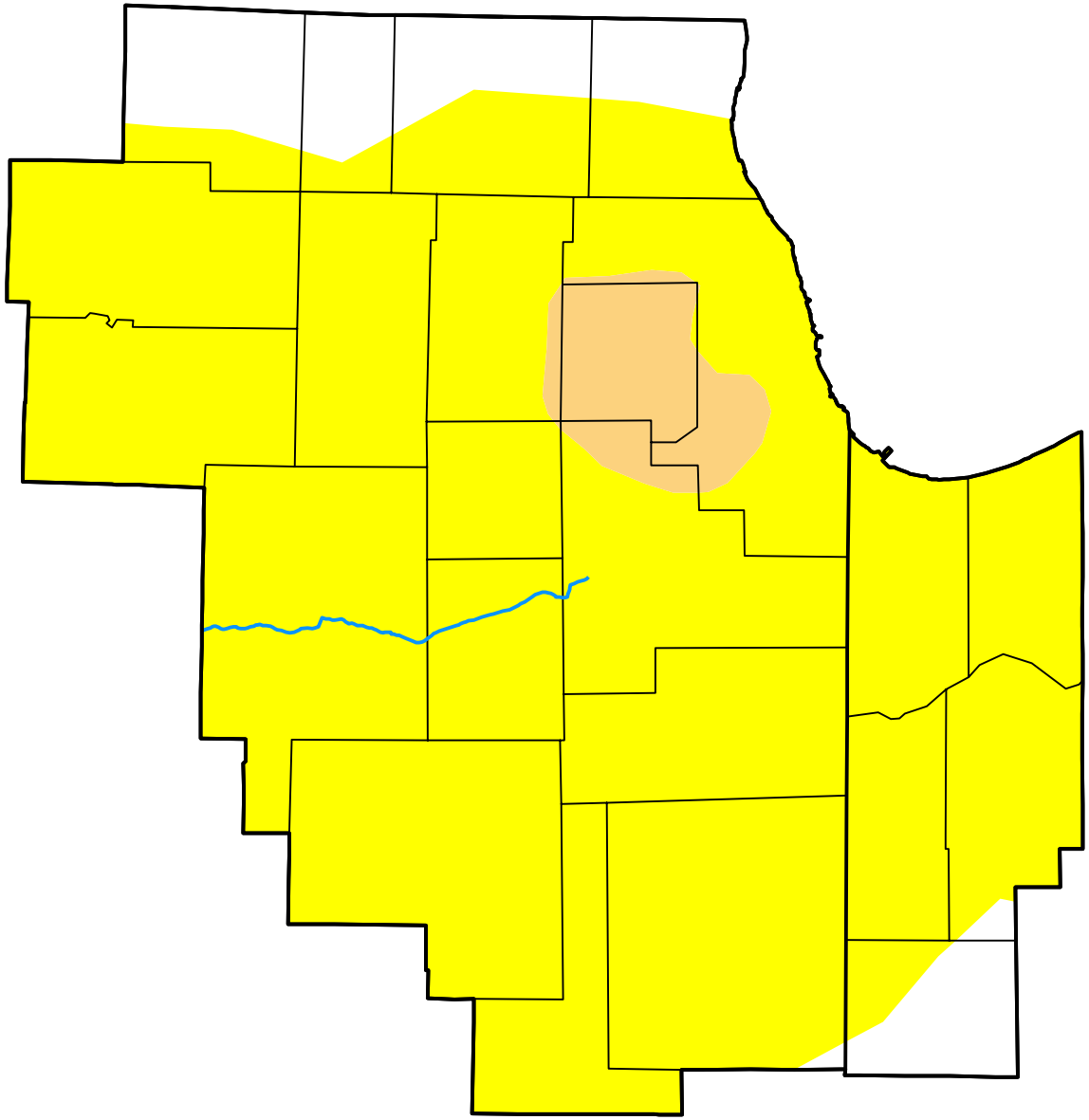
U.S. Drought Monitor

Chicago, IL WFO



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	10.17	85.44	4.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week *08-20-2020*	74.99	25.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago *05-28-2020*	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-02-2020*	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *10-03-2019*	92.87	7.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago *08-29-2019*	58.50	35.84	5.65	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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