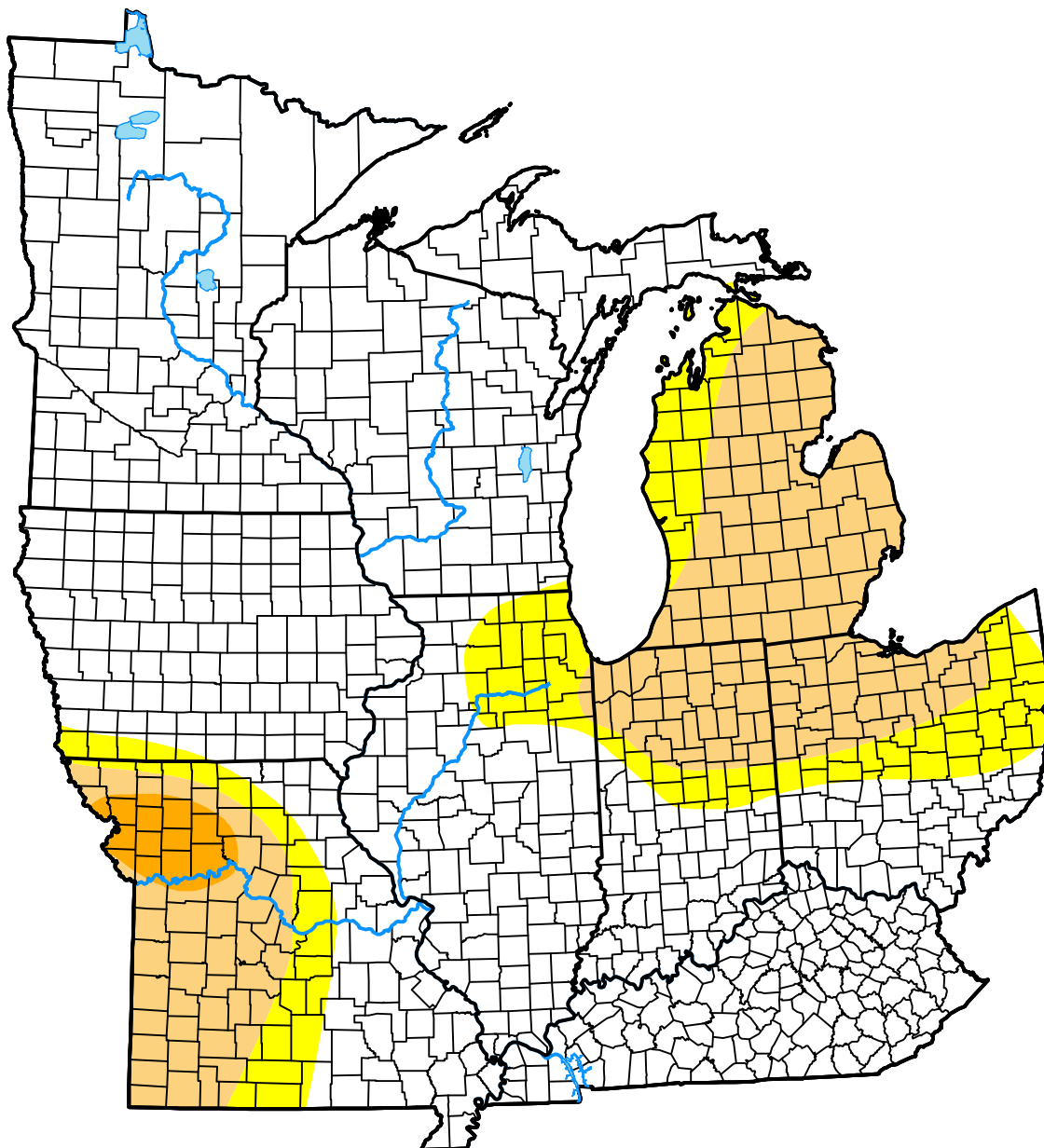


# U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	72.18	9.47	17.00	1.35	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-29-2002</i>	73.16	10.89	14.60	1.35	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-06-2002</i>	52.50	30.53	14.09	2.88	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	94.46	5.49	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2002</i>	57.19	25.80	14.16	2.85	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-06-2001</i>	89.81	10.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

*Intensity:*



*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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