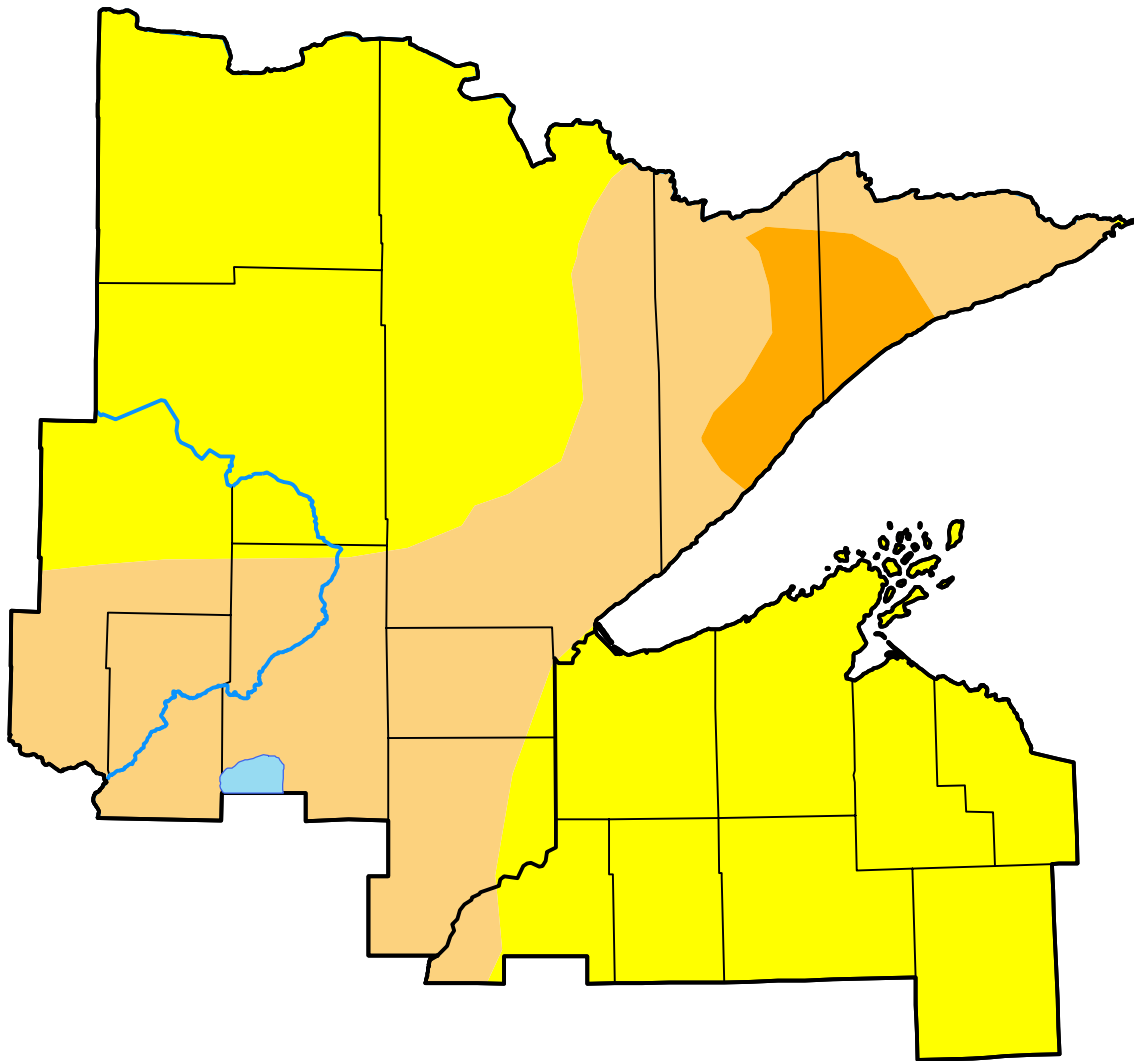


# U.S. Drought Monitor Duluth, MN WFO

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	100.00	38.79	4.03	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-26-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	44.12	13.86	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-02-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	72.74	13.86	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	36.88	13.86	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	52.58	47.42	23.74	11.47	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-05-2011</i>	87.79	12.21	0.00	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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