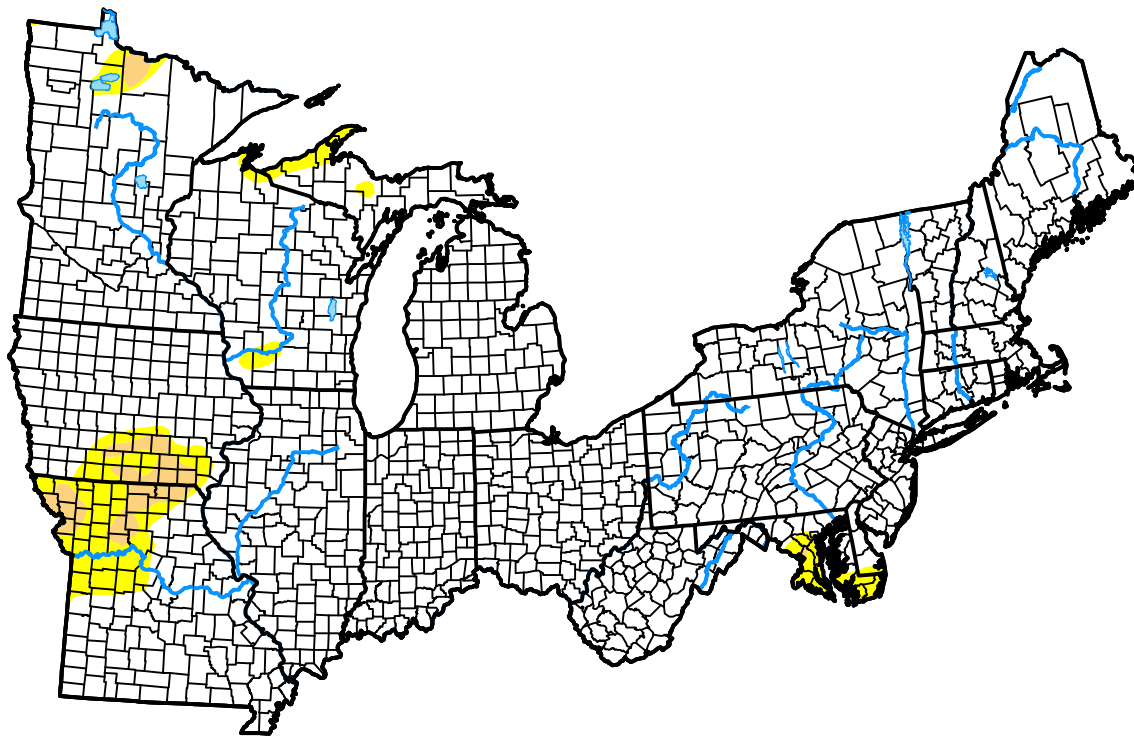


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Forests Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	93.56	4.75	1.70	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-10-2018</i>	88.82	9.45	1.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-16-2018</i>	66.28	24.98	6.15	2.46	0.14	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2018</i>	70.15	21.11	6.15	2.46	0.14	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	61.81	30.31	7.31	0.39	0.19	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-18-2017</i>	86.07	11.52	2.35	0.07	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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