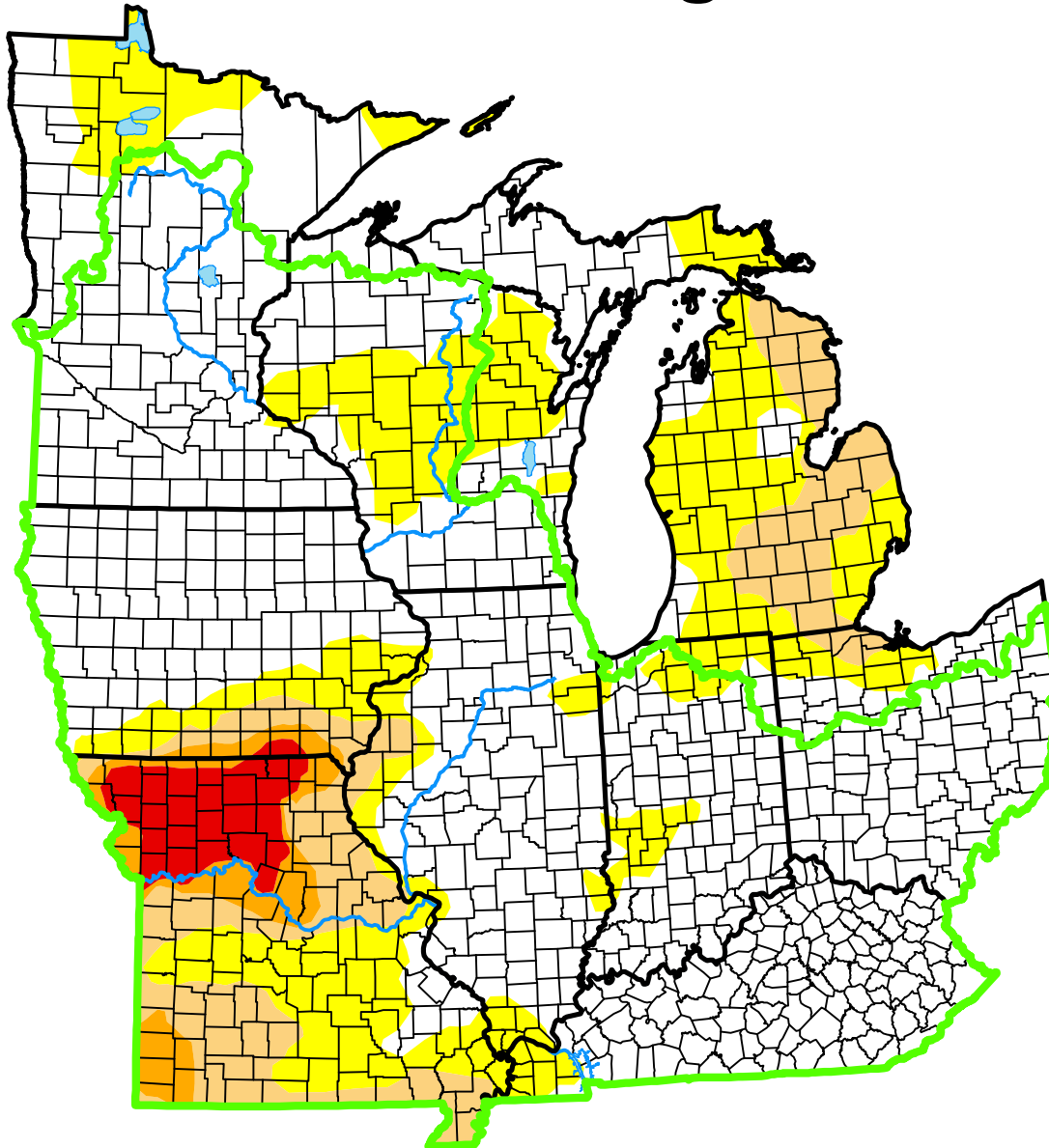


U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	70.05	15.55	7.89	3.12	3.39	0.00
Last Week <i>07-24-2018</i>	71.15	17.04	5.31	3.46	3.03	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-01-2018</i>	87.78	6.99	5.23	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2018</i>	61.32	26.35	7.73	4.36	0.24	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>08-01-2017</i>	76.79	15.99	6.16	1.06	0.00	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

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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