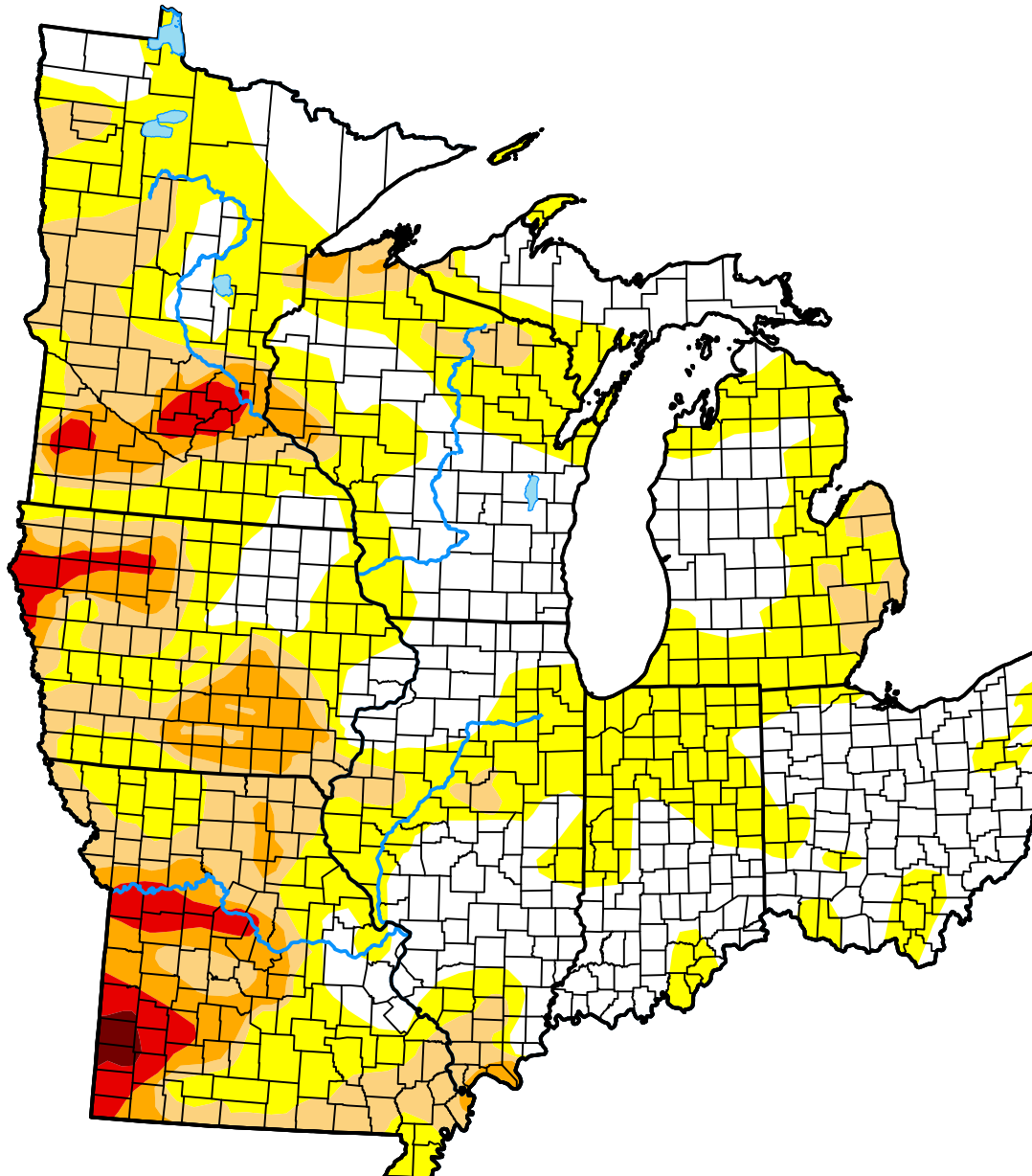


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	36.43	63.57	25.91	10.35	3.21	0.29
Last Week <i>09-27-2022</i>	51.98	48.02	21.35	6.29	1.36	0.29
3 Months Ago <i>07-05-2022</i>	51.72	48.28	11.45	1.60	0.30	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2022</i>	60.09	39.91	16.60	2.62	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2022</i>	51.98	48.02	21.35	6.29	1.36	0.29
One Year Ago <i>10-05-2021</i>	53.46	46.54	23.35	13.26	3.42	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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