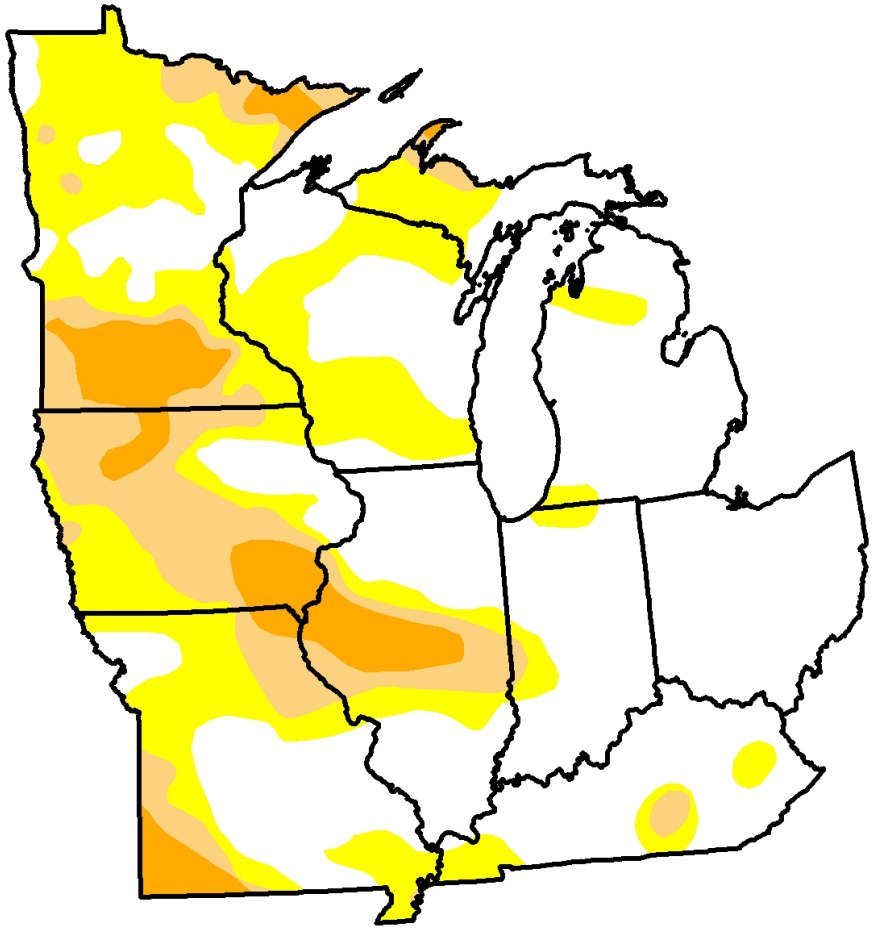
U.S. Drought Monitor

October 11, 2011
Valid 7 a.m. EST

Midwest

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	53.65	46.35	19.42	7.27	0.00	0.00
Last Week (10/04/2011 map)	57.08	42.92	16.33	6.12	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago (07/12/2011 map)	98.13	1.87	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year (12/28/2010 map)	79.27	20.73	4.91	1.31	0.29	0.00
Start of Water Year (09/27/2011 map)	58.85	41.15	14.01	5.03	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago (10/05/2010 map)	76.05	23.95	9.92	2.68	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

- *D0 Abnormally Dry*
- *D1 Drought - Moderate*
- *D2 Drought - Severe*
- *D3 Drought - Extreme*
- *D4 Drought - Exceptional*

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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