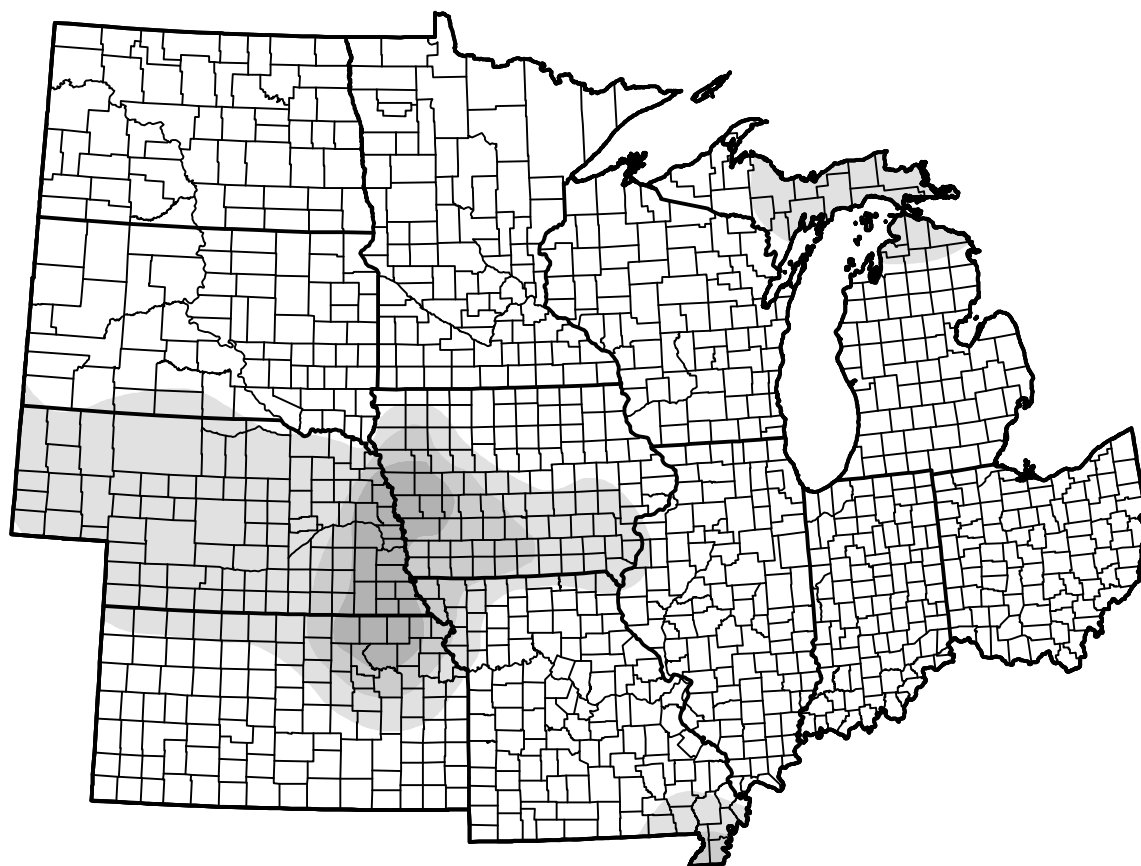


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	78.45	15.88	3.36	2.32	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-19-2000</i>	76.34	17.10	4.49	2.07	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-26-2000</i>	57.57	21.97	9.00	11.21	0.25	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2000</i>	22.64	46.83	21.79	8.75	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	57.57	21.97	9.00	11.21	0.25	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-01-1900</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate 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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