

# U.S. Drought Monitor

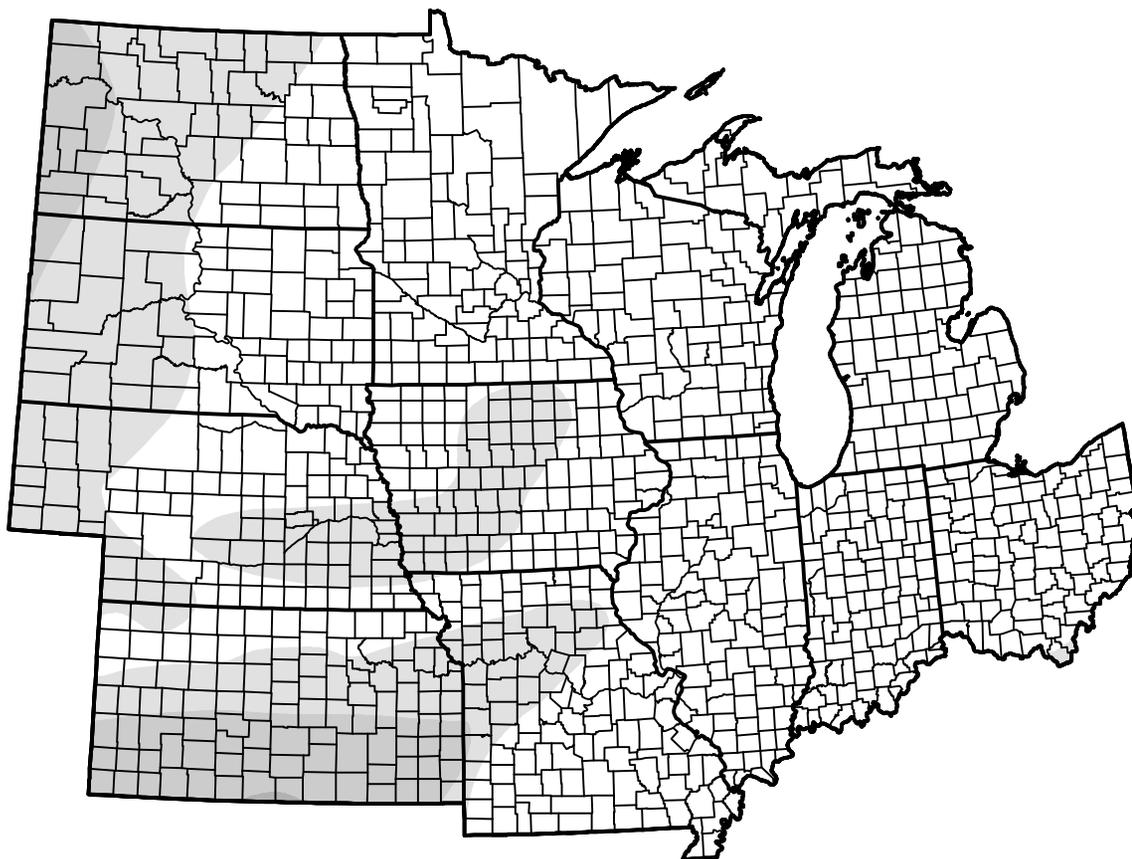
## North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	70.23	22.95	6.75	0.07	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-08-2002</i>	72.74	20.20	6.99	0.07	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-16-2001</i>	86.27	13.13	0.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	74.67	17.79	7.46	0.07	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	89.84	8.92	0.85	0.40	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-16-2001</i>	76.69	17.37	5.16	0.78	0.00	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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