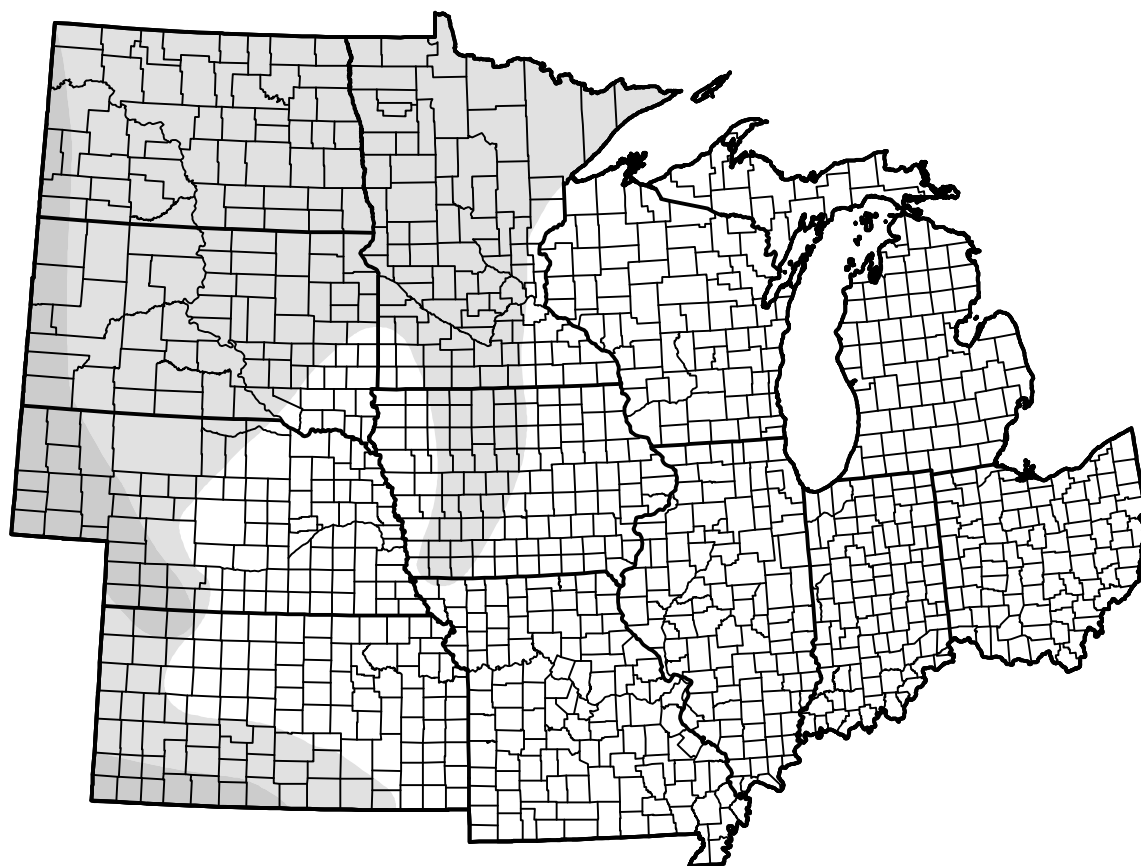


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	60.57	33.87	5.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-05-2002</i>	61.96	32.07	5.98	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-13-2001</i>	67.06	31.20	1.74	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	74.67	17.79	7.46	0.07	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	89.84	8.92	0.85	0.40	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-13-2001</i>	89.72	9.06	1.15	0.06	0.00	0.00

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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