

# U.S. Drought Monitor

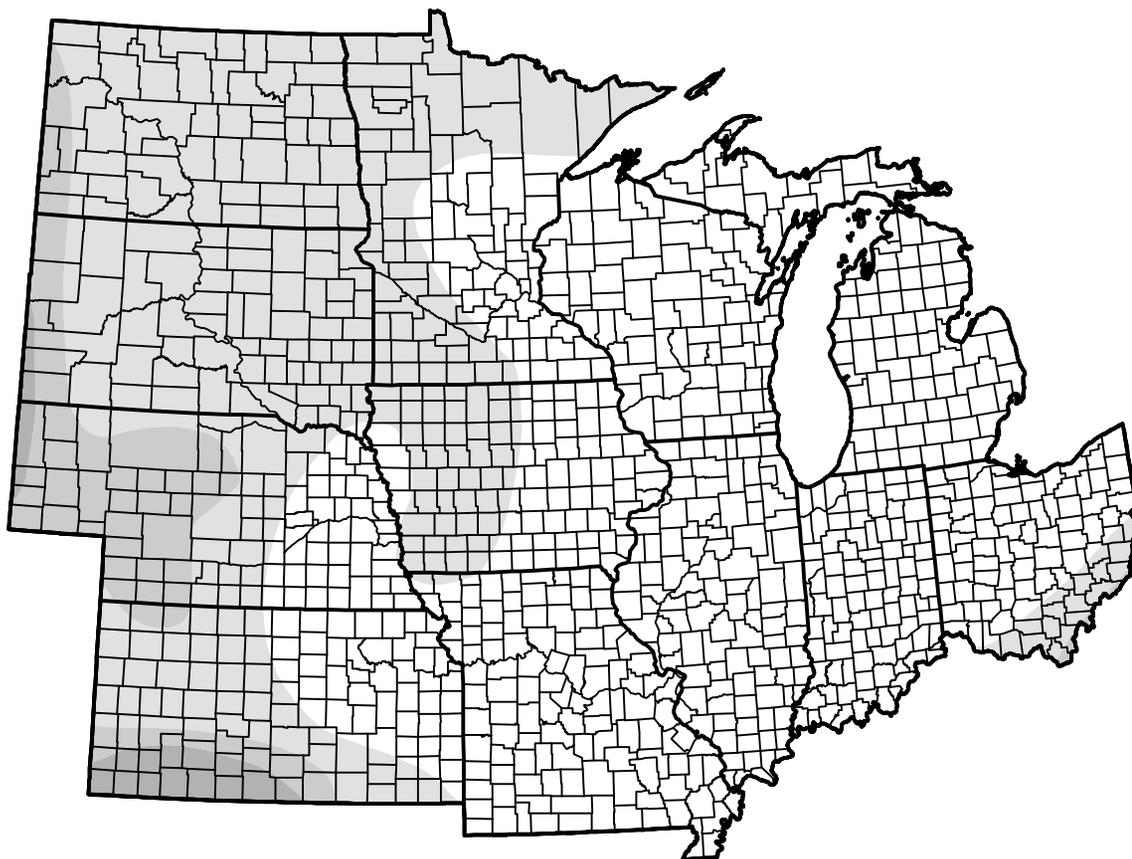
## North Central States

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	55.01	36.20	7.07	1.72	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-05-2002</i>	56.30	35.24	6.94	1.52	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-11-2001</i>	77.58	16.02	6.40	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>03-13-2001</i>	93.16	6.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



*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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