

# U.S. Drought Monitor

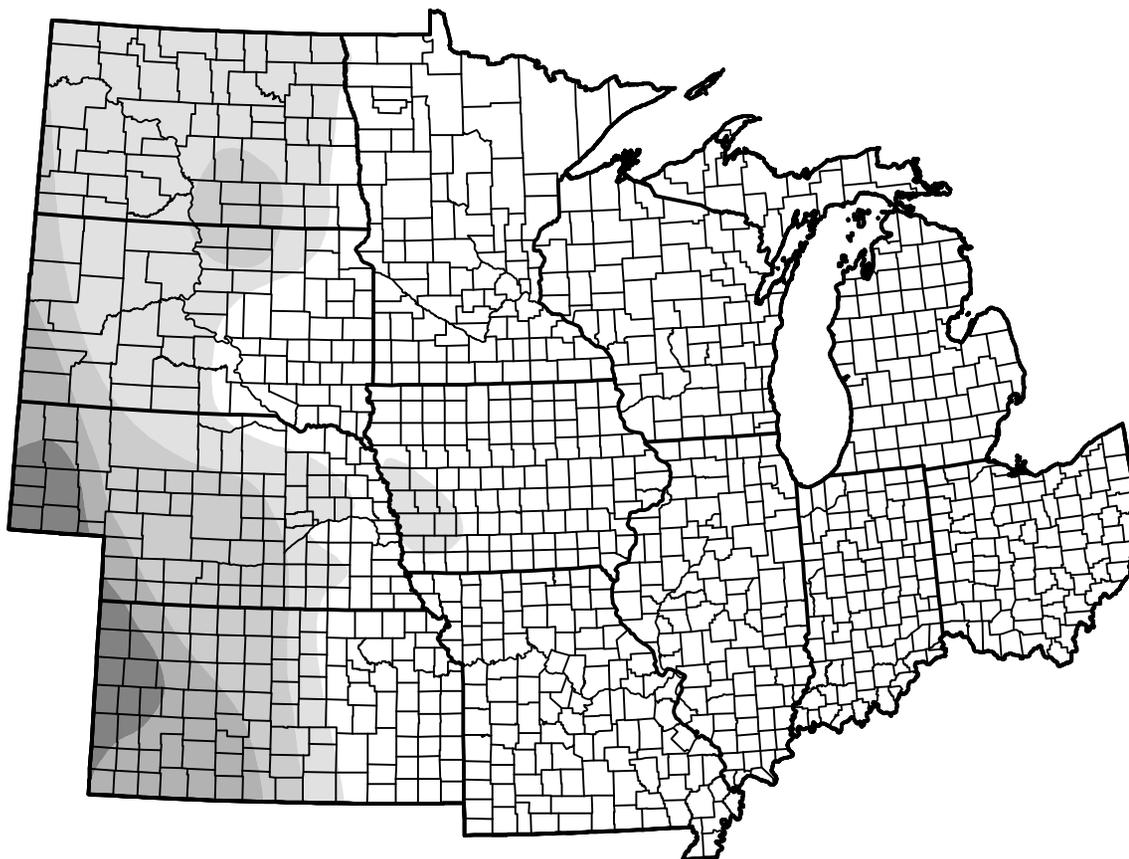
## North Central States

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	69.23	30.77	14.84	6.42	2.17	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-07-2002</i>	56.86	43.14	20.96	7.46	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-12-2002</i>	60.57	39.43	5.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	74.67	25.33	7.54	0.07	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	89.84	10.16	1.24	0.40	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-15-2001</i>	79.03	20.97	10.24	5.39	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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