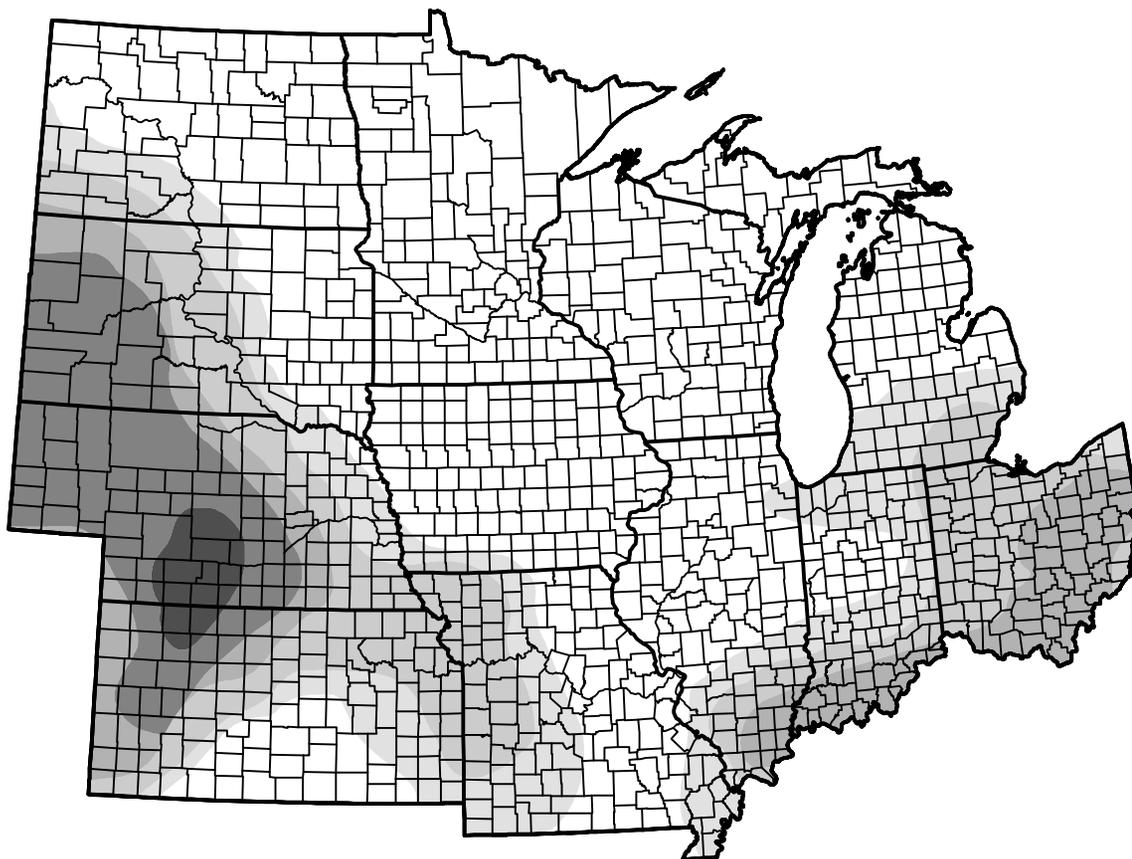


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	54.37	12.68	13.99	7.97	9.55	1.43
Last Week <i>09-03-2002</i>	57.96	13.77	9.17	6.98	8.05	4.07
3 Months Ago <i>06-11-2002</i>	71.93	14.28	8.57	3.03	2.20	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>09-11-2001</i>	71.71	24.89	3.01	0.40	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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