

U.S. Drought Monitor

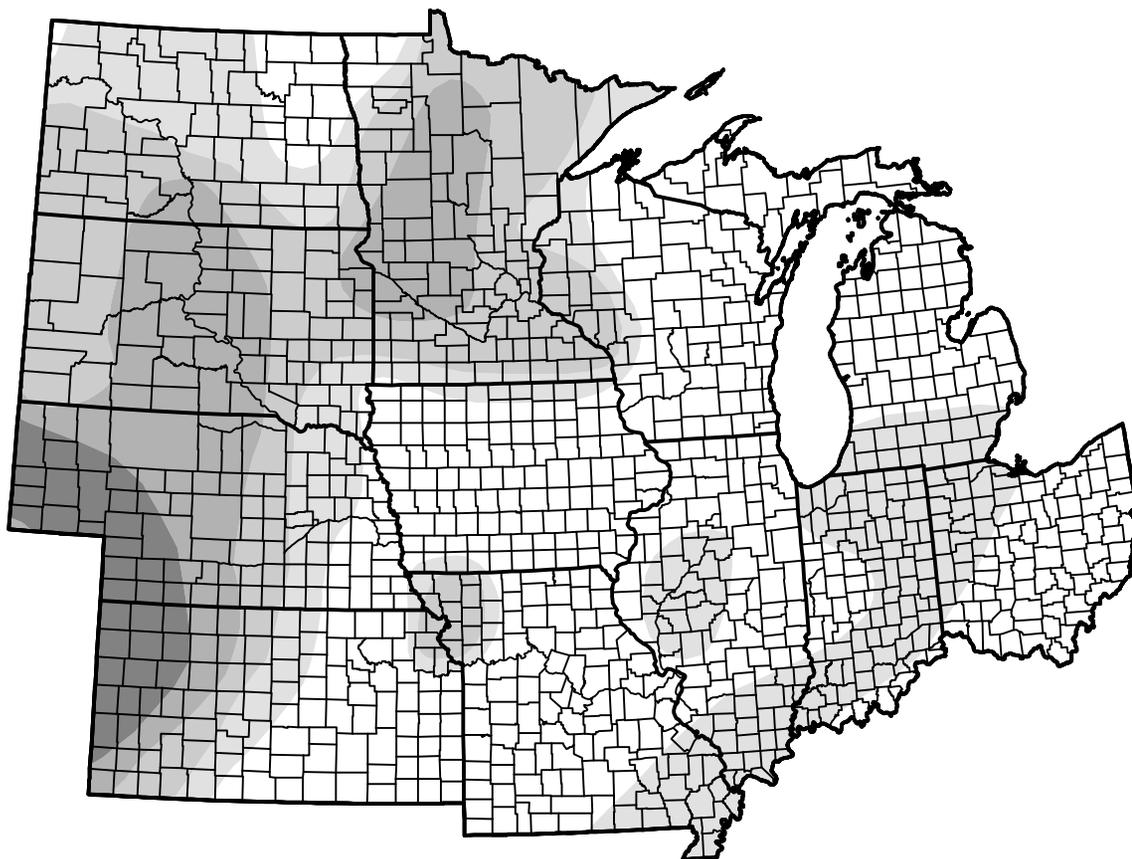
North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	43.99	56.01	34.40	17.28	4.34	0.00
Last Week <i>04-13-2004</i>	49.39	50.61	33.78	15.58	4.34	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-20-2004</i>	41.25	58.75	43.67	22.90	8.87	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	38.64	61.36	43.31	24.93	9.37	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	24.71	75.29	54.21	25.60	4.25	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-22-2003</i>	22.48	77.52	51.38	25.06	6.70	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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