

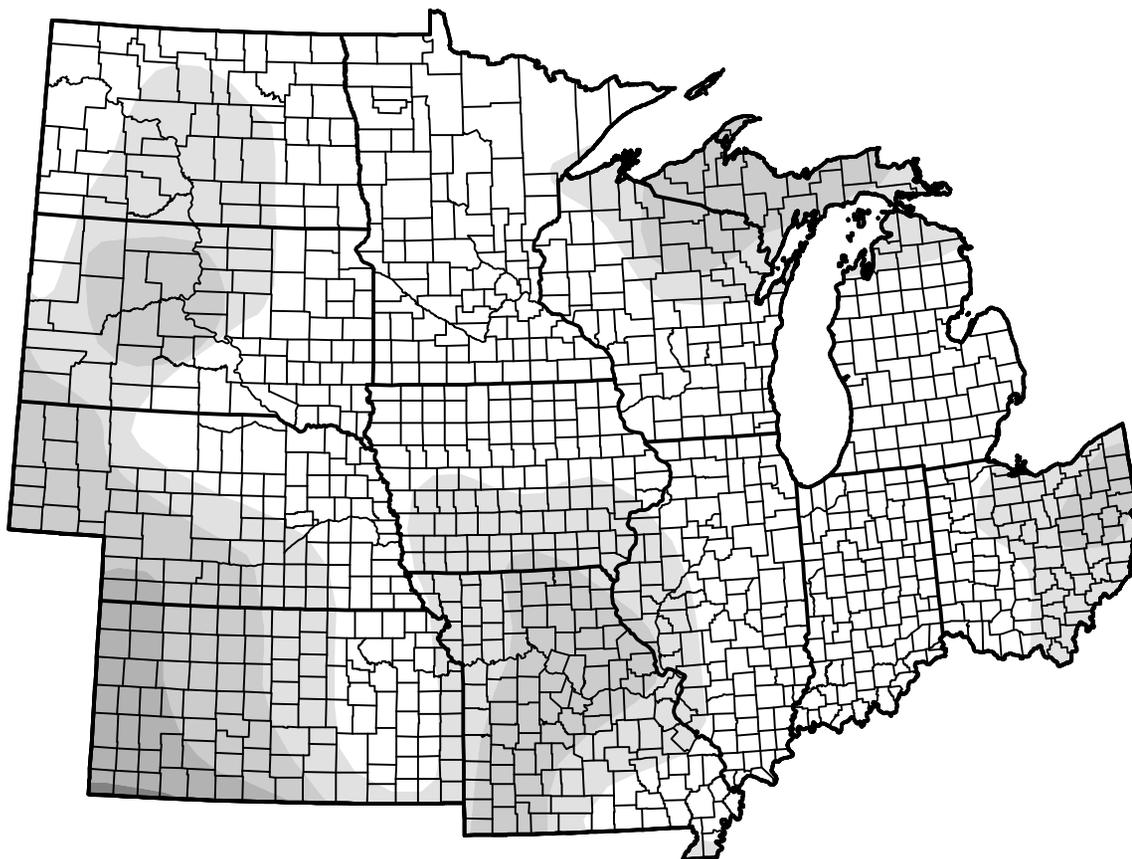
U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	56.17	23.50	17.31	2.90	0.13	0.00
Last Week <i>05-02-2006</i>	55.79	25.02	15.35	3.75	0.08	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-07-2006</i>	58.24	17.85	16.92	6.46	0.53	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	58.32	22.61	13.36	3.75	1.96	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	54.28	22.07	15.66	6.54	1.45	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-10-2005</i>	35.11	49.93	8.45	5.66	0.85	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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