

U.S. Drought Monitor

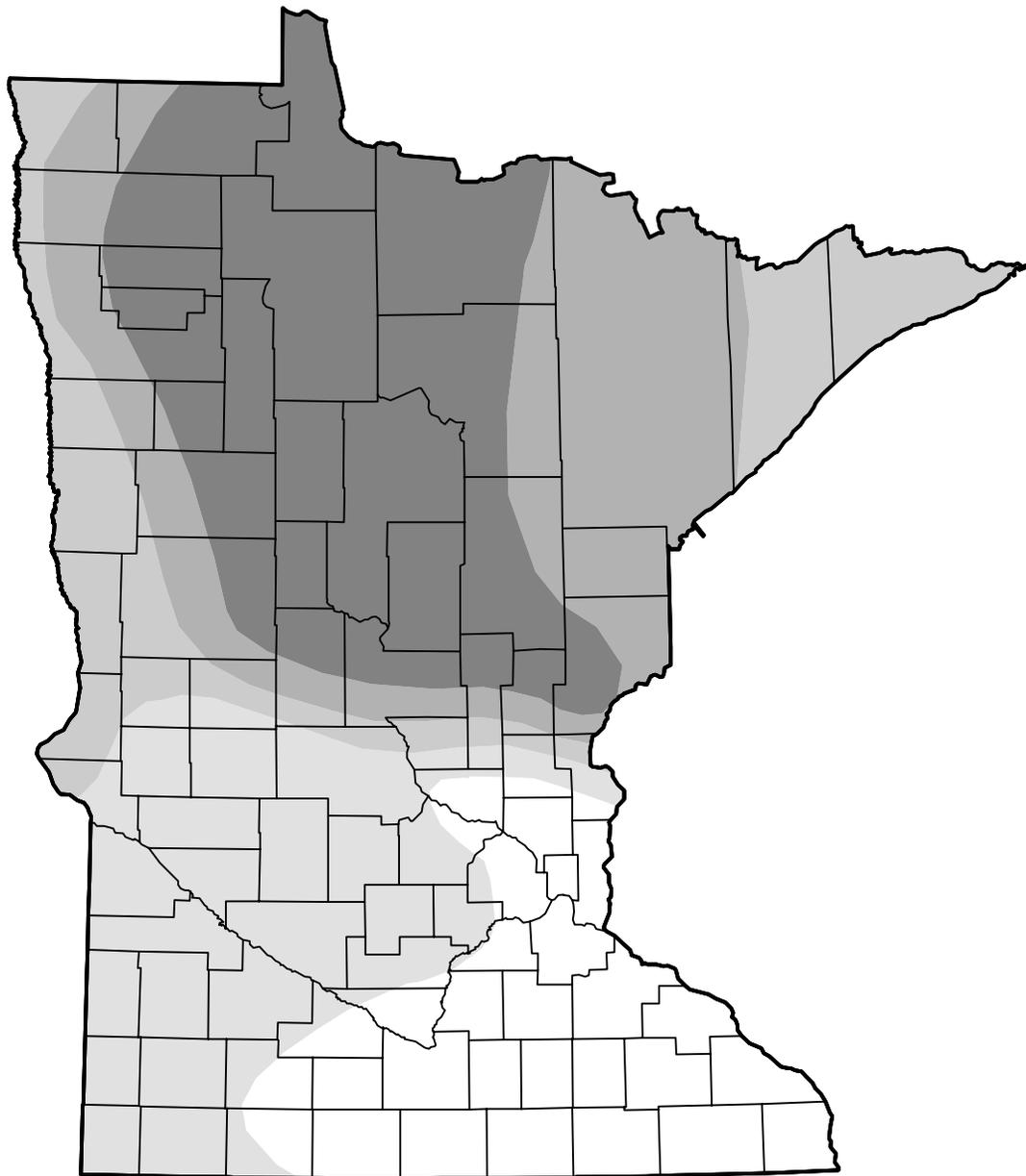
Minnesota

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	18.12	81.88	61.80	49.59	30.19	0.00
Last Week <i>08-24-2006</i>	17.86	82.14	75.74	52.74	29.05	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-01-2006</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	81.80	18.20	11.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-01-2005</i>	85.57	14.43	4.73	0.00	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

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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