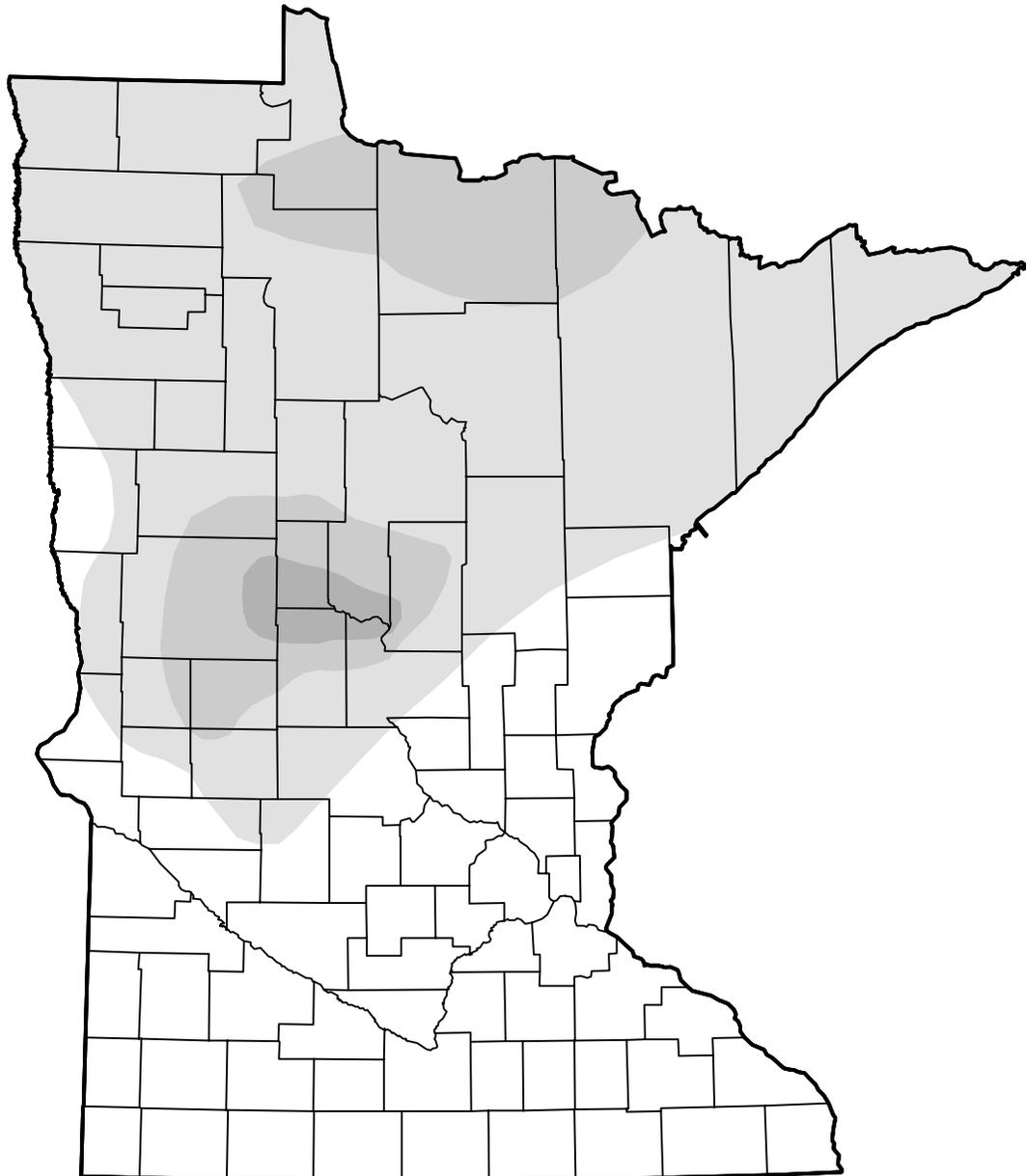


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Minnesota

**October 16, 2007**  
 (Released Thursday, Oct. 18, 2007)  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	42.29	44.68	11.55	1.48	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-11-2007</i>	39.43	39.44	13.66	7.47	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-19-2007</i>	20.67	33.03	42.06	4.24	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2007</i>	3.99	37.12	10.44	7.55	40.90	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2007</i>	29.87	28.76	20.79	18.94	1.64	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-19-2006</i>	38.84	4.87	8.24	7.55	40.50	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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