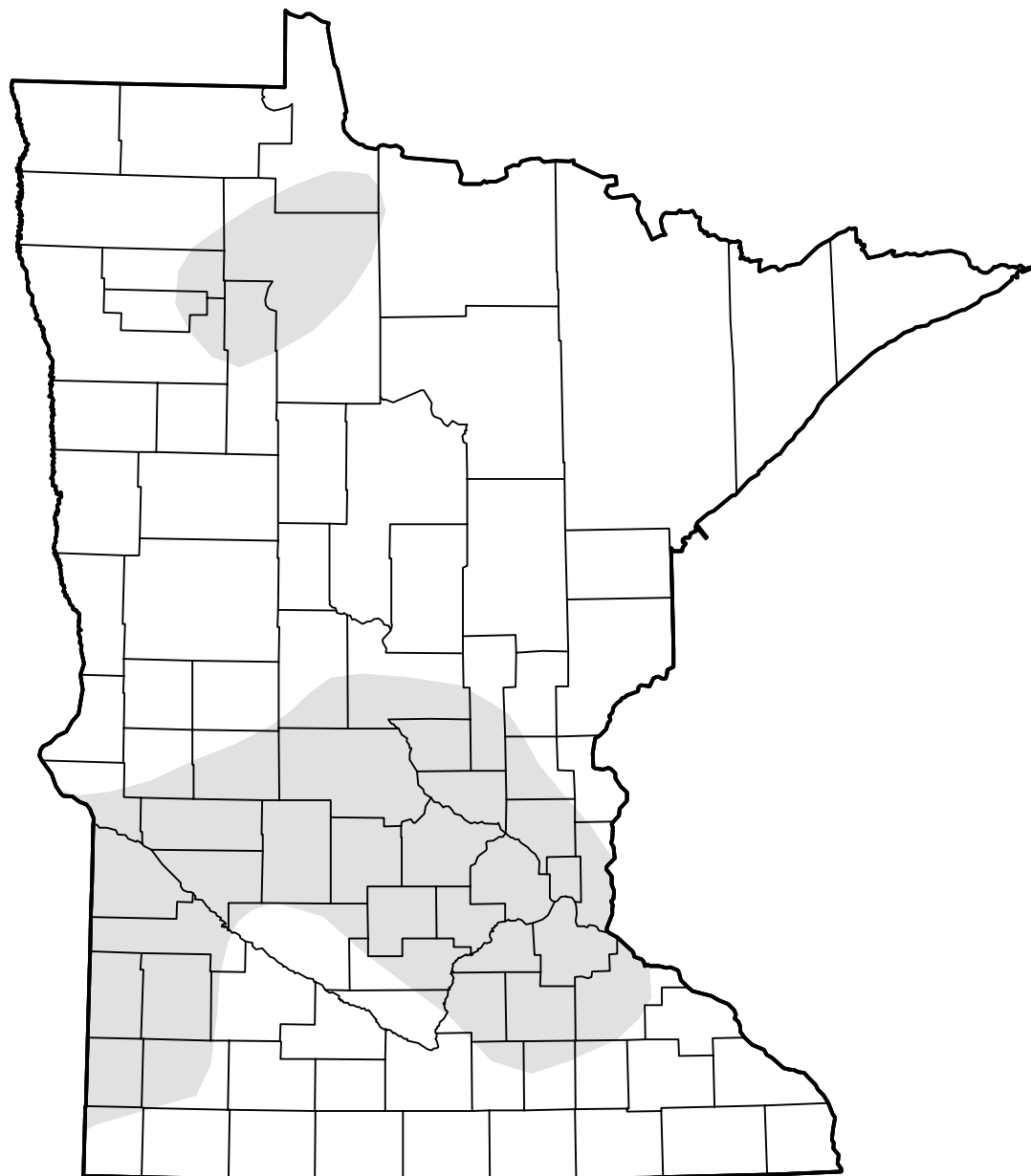


U.S. Drought Monitor Minnesota



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	74.57	25.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-10-2008	74.58	25.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-17-2008	74.81	25.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2008	61.04	35.17	3.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2007	29.87	28.76	20.79	18.94	1.64	0.00
One Year Ago 07-19-2007	20.67	33.03	42.06	4.24	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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

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