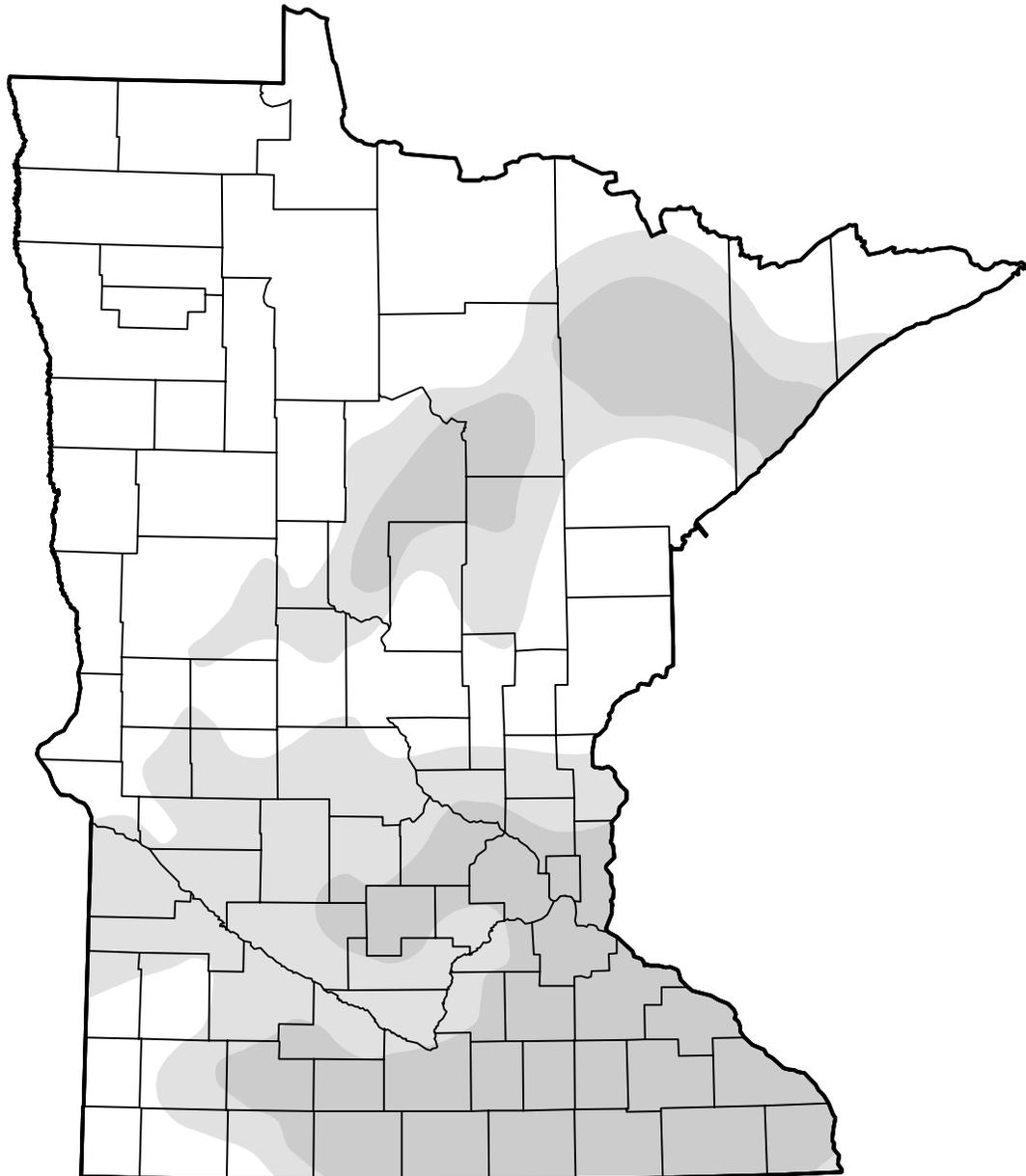


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Minnesota

**October 14, 2008**  
*(Released Thursday, Oct. 16, 2008)*  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	51.09	24.63	24.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-09-2008</i>	25.91	34.34	38.13	1.62	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-17-2008</i>	74.57	25.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	61.04	35.17	3.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	25.91	32.85	39.62	1.62	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-18-2007</i>	42.29	44.68	11.55	1.48	0.00	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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