

U.S. Drought Monitor

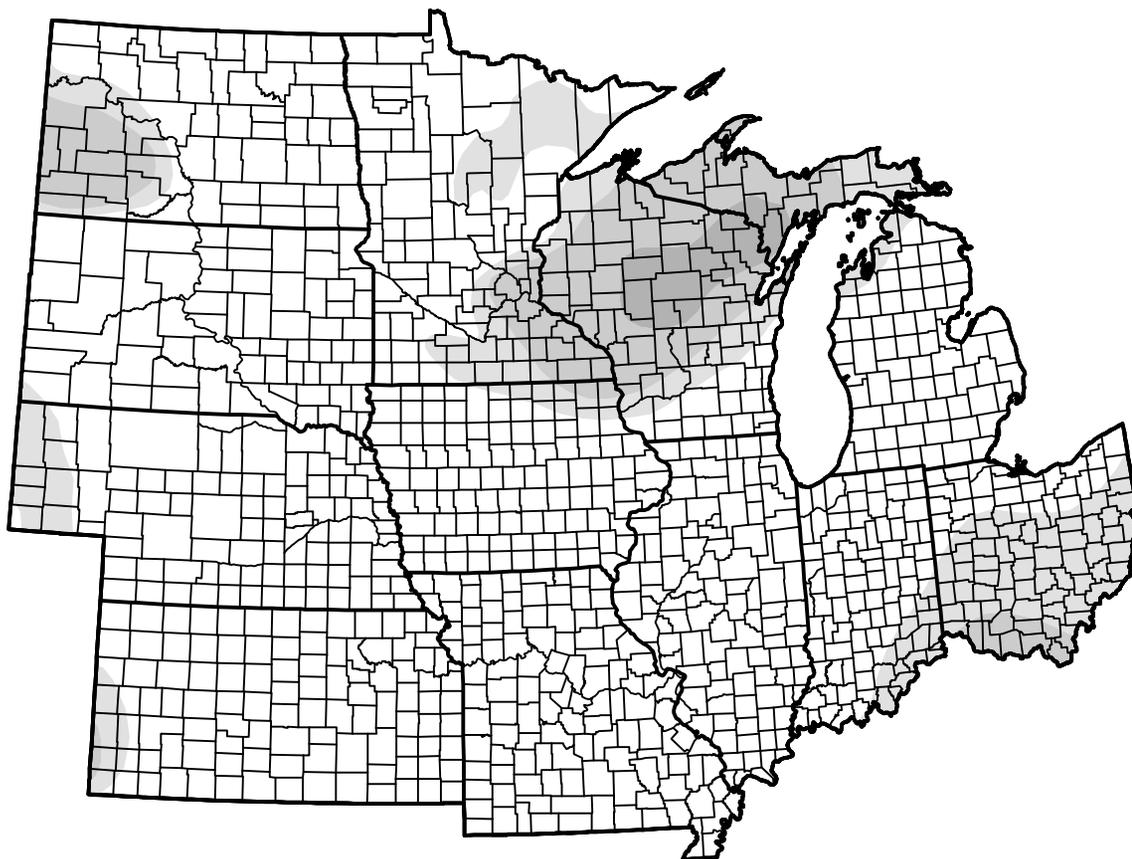
North Central States

November 18, 2008
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 78.98 | 11.17 | 8.10 | 1.76 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>11-11-2008</i> | 77.75 | 11.96 | 7.69 | 2.60 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>08-19-2008</i> | 71.52 | 21.75 | 3.13 | 1.95 | 1.66 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i> | 66.79 | 18.98 | 11.04 | 3.03 | 0.17 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i> | 64.42 | 20.73 | 12.09 | 1.67 | 1.09 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>11-20-2007</i> | 61.19 | 22.08 | 14.18 | 2.38 | 0.17 | 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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