

U.S. Drought Monitor

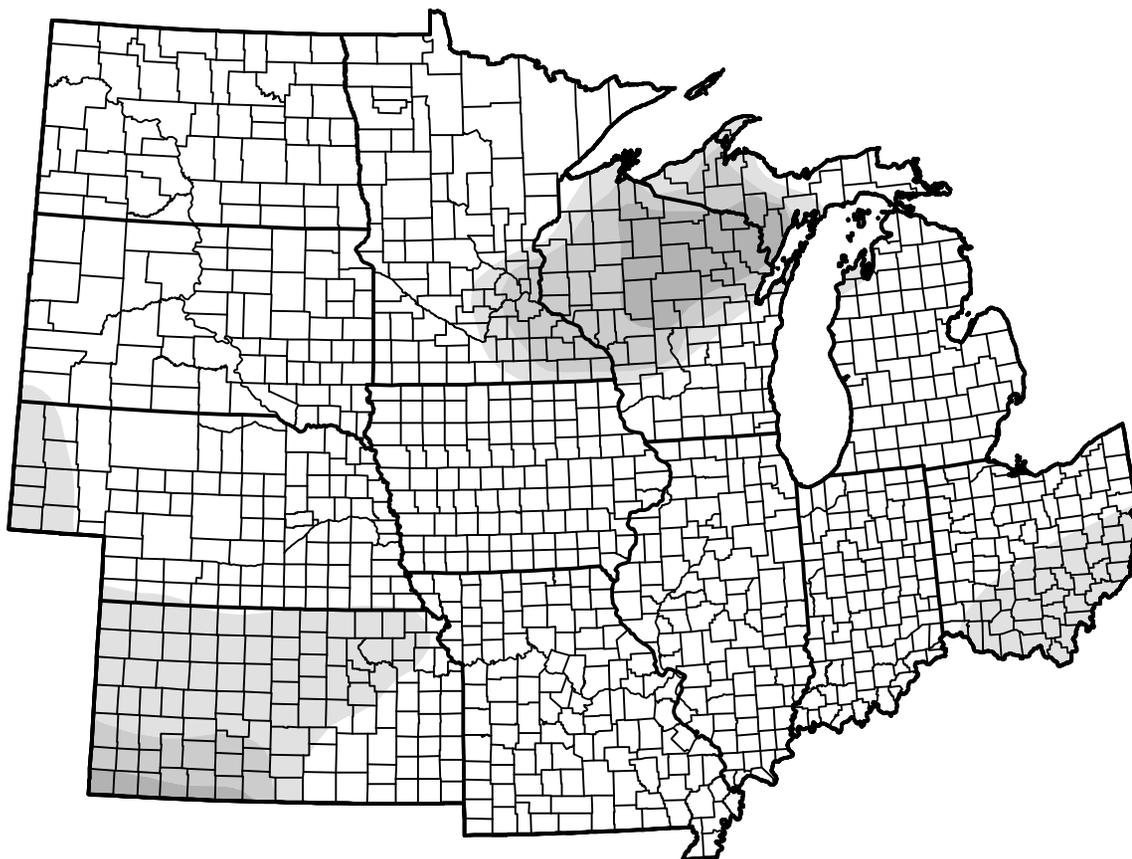
North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	80.27	19.73	7.69	2.75	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-17-2009</i>	82.04	17.96	7.79	2.38	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-23-2008</i>	78.99	21.01	9.25	2.21	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	82.22	17.78	8.69	2.21	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	64.42	35.58	14.85	2.76	1.09	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-25-2008</i>	66.87	33.13	12.94	5.58	0.71	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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