

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## North Central States

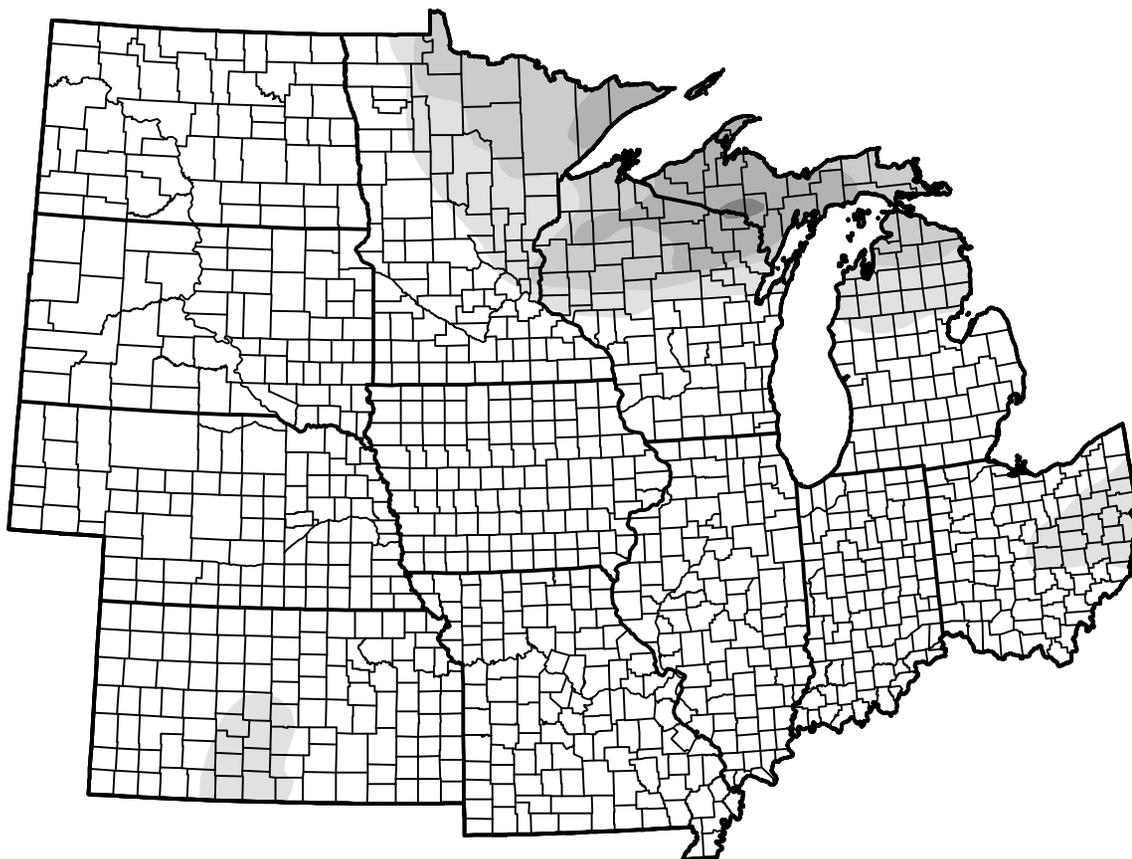
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	84.77	15.23	8.35	3.34	0.11	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-11-2010</i>	82.53	17.47	9.09	2.66	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-16-2010</i>	93.62	6.38	2.01	0.29	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2009</i>	91.63	8.37	2.27	0.52	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2009</i>	75.10	24.90	9.95	4.58	0.83	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-19-2009</i>	88.92	11.08	3.71	0.70	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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