

# U.S. Drought Monitor

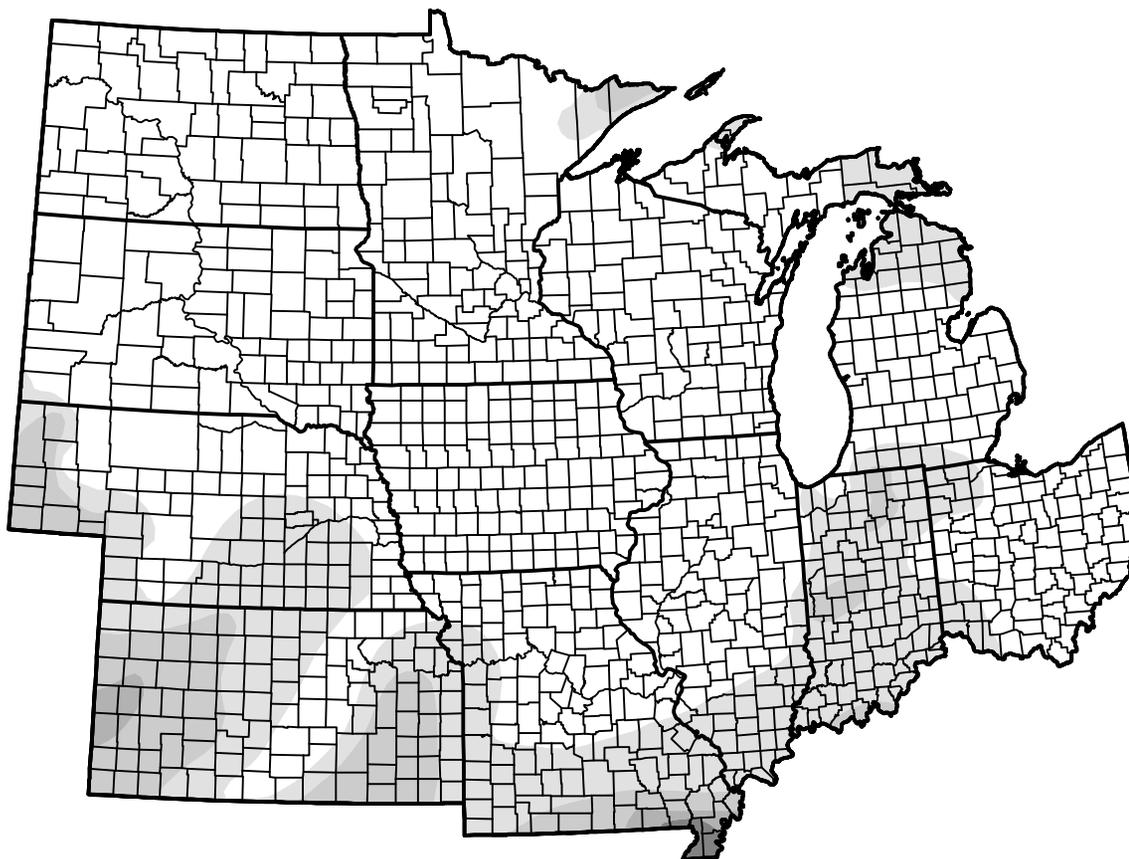
## North Central States

**February 1, 2011**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	72.43	27.57	7.81	0.80	0.19	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-25-2011</i>	74.04	25.96	7.81	0.80	0.19	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-02-2010</i>	79.25	20.75	9.39	3.60	0.96	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	76.54	23.46	5.87	0.82	0.19	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	82.21	17.79	4.23	1.65	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-02-2010</i>	93.62	6.38	2.01	0.29	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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