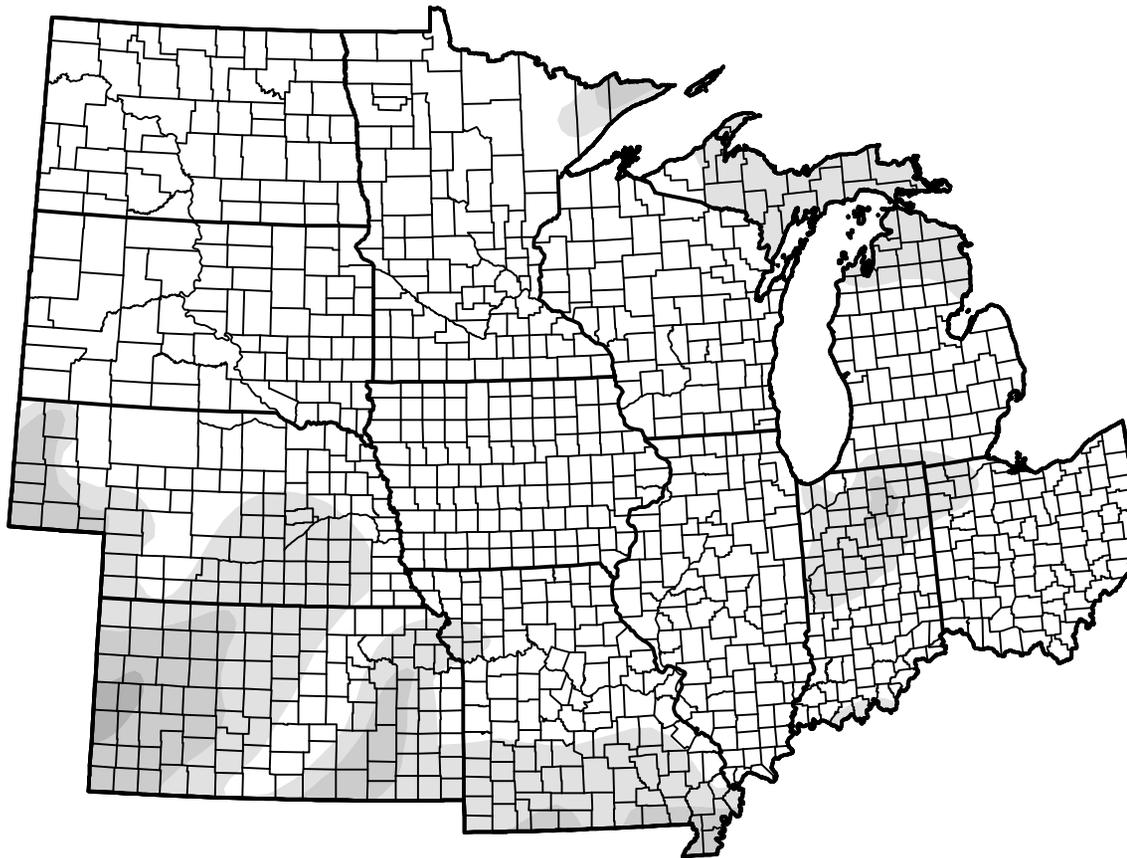


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	76.93	17.00	5.68	0.38	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-22-2011</i>	74.53	17.80	6.88	0.80	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-30-2010</i>	78.96	15.25	5.32	0.24	0.22	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	76.54	17.60	5.05	0.63	0.19	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	82.21	13.56	2.58	1.65	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-02-2010</i>	93.74	4.25	1.71	0.29	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

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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