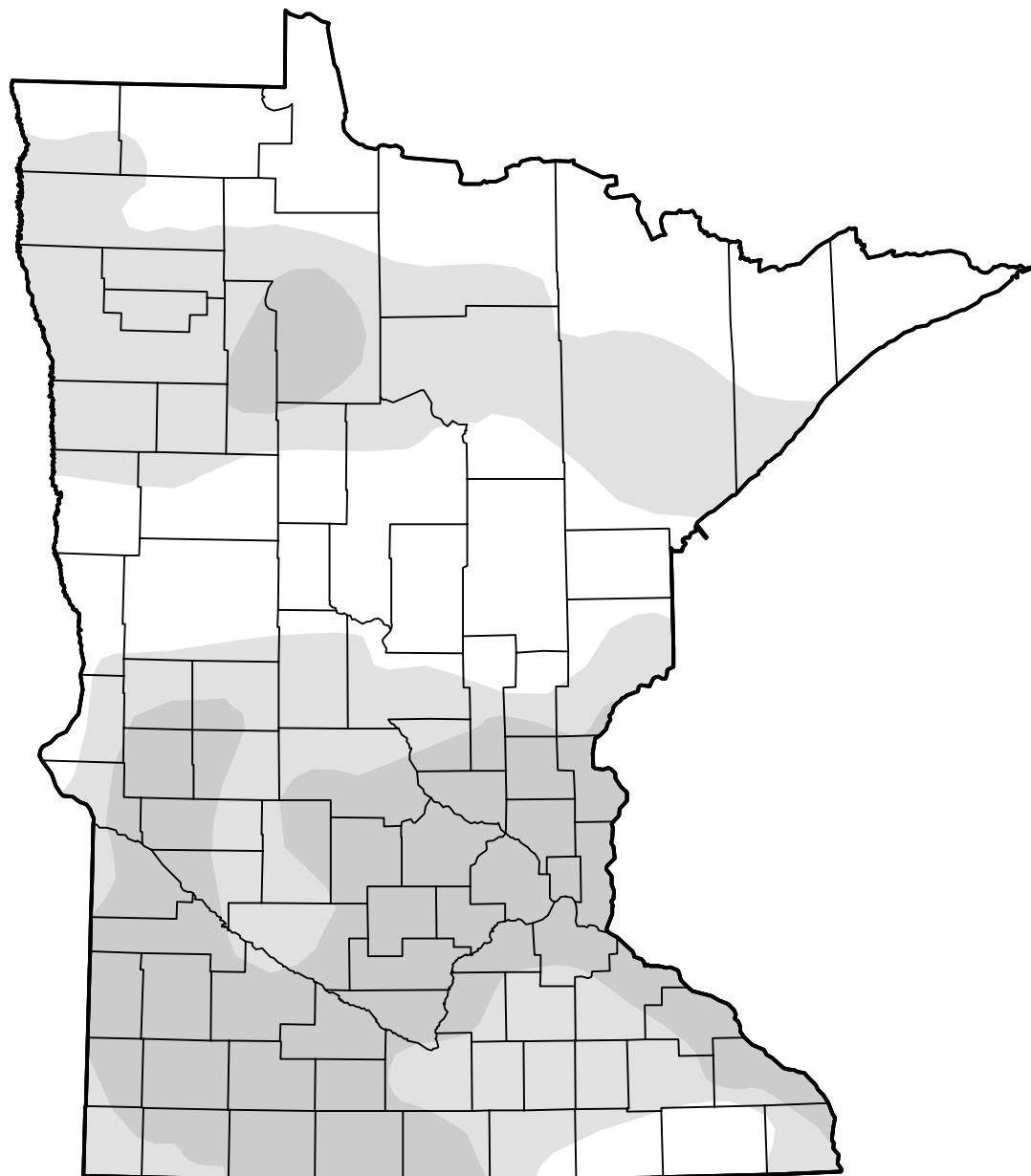


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	35.40	64.60	28.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-10-2013</i>	29.98	70.02	37.91	7.19	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-18-2013</i>	93.48	6.52	1.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	0.00	100.00	97.84	83.44	25.17	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2013</i>	27.29	72.71	46.69	8.94	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-18-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	99.95	47.75	30.18	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate 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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