

U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

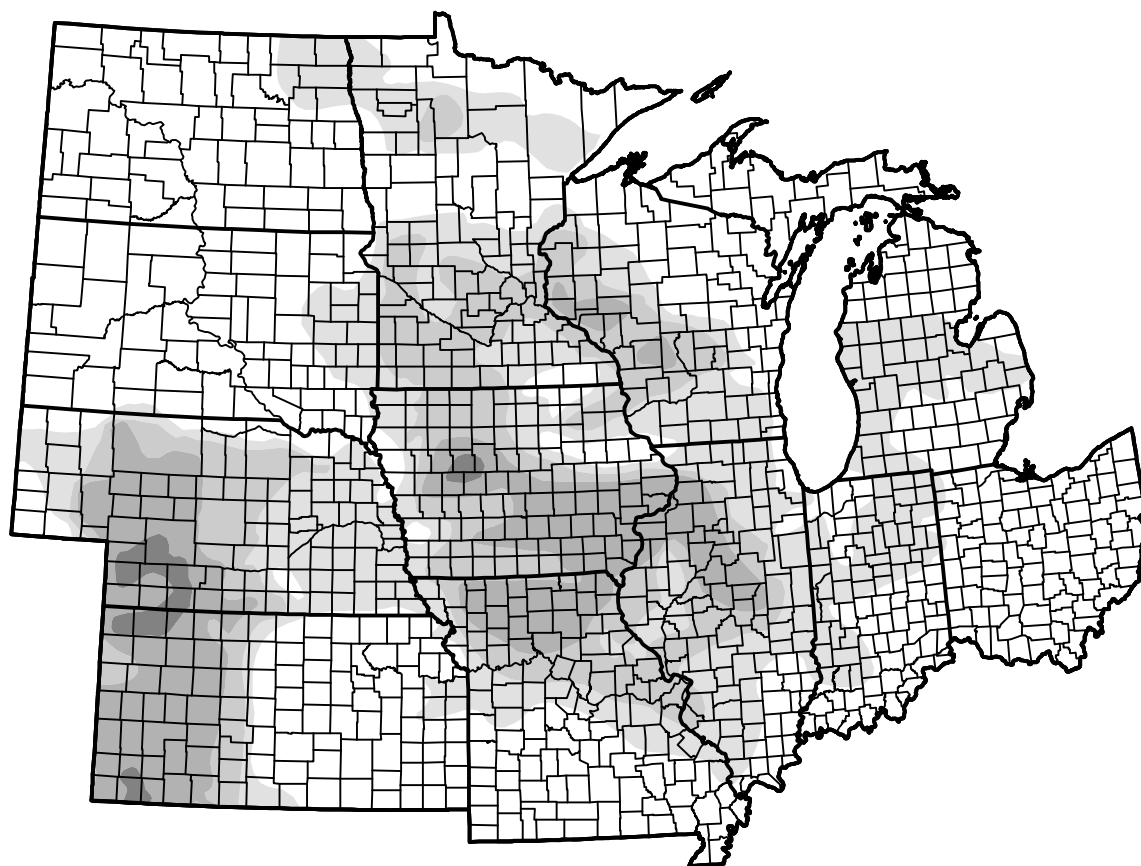
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	51.50	23.59	13.23	10.74	0.95	0.00
Last Week 10-22-2013	50.04	25.04	13.22	10.74	0.95	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-30-2013	60.66	18.83	7.58	4.94	4.90	3.10
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	15.49	13.05	18.43	23.30	14.87	14.86
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	37.82	26.00	20.08	14.87	1.22	0.00
One Year Ago 10-30-2012	12.88	12.26	23.52	20.25	15.53	15.56



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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