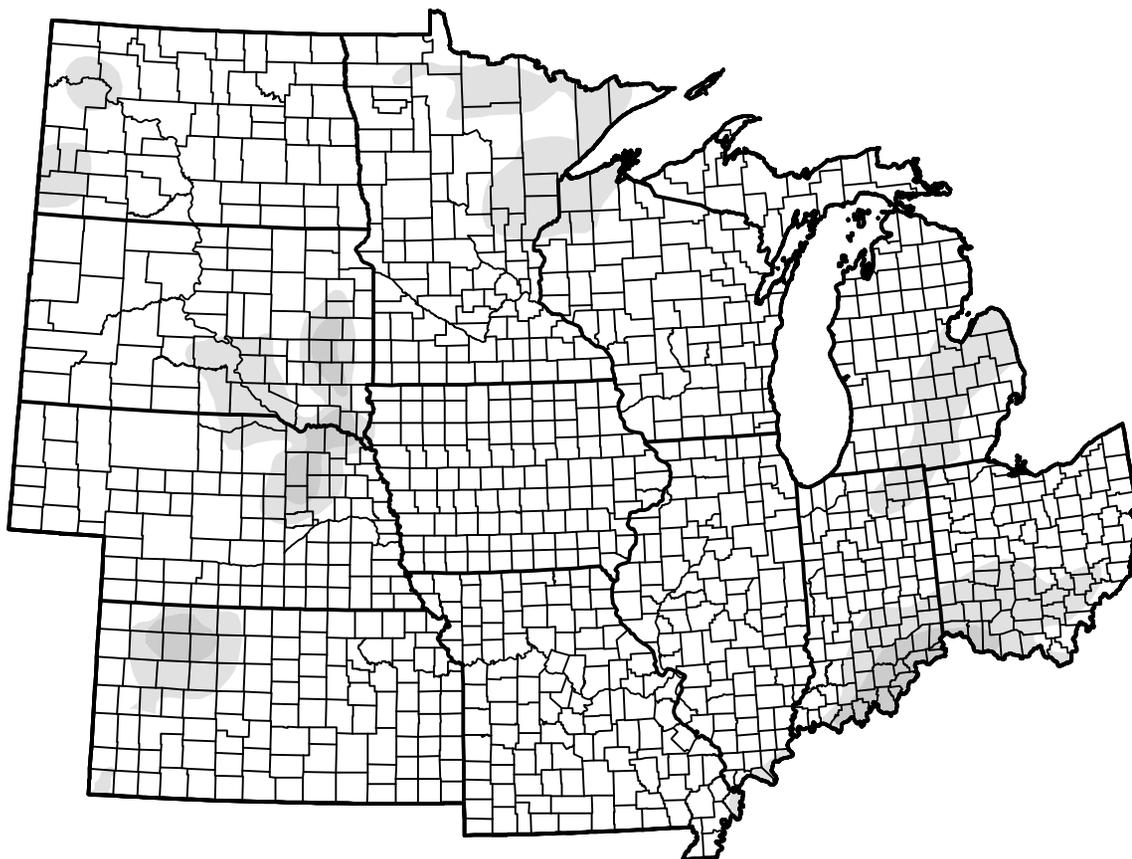


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## North Central States

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	86.73	13.27	1.99	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>06-09-2015</i>	86.17	13.83	1.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>03-17-2015</i>	47.20	52.80	19.47	2.01	0.20	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	67.29	32.71	4.69	1.97	0.24	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2014</i>	84.94	15.06	5.20	2.10	0.26	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>06-17-2014</i>	77.98	22.02	13.70	5.86	2.29	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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