

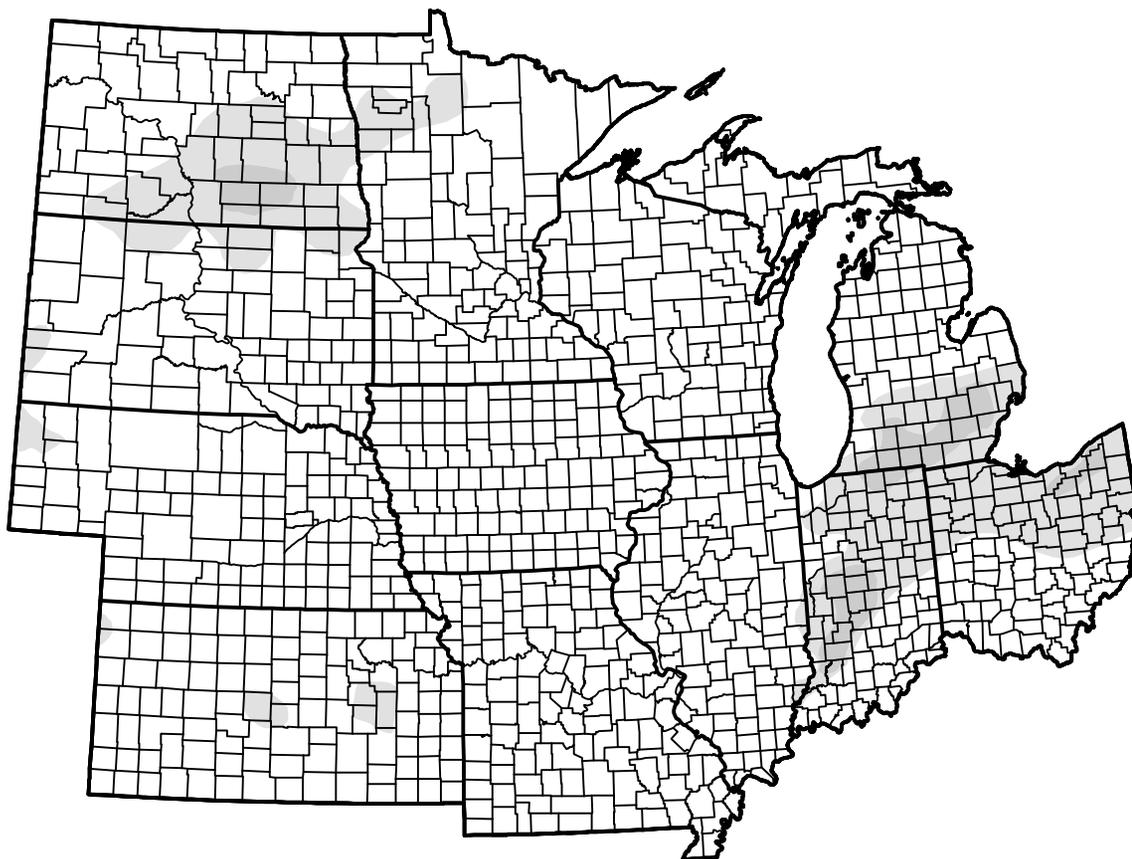
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## North Central States

**December 22, 2015**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 24, 2015)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	86.43	11.34	2.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-15-2015</i>	84.81	13.06	2.13	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-22-2015</i>	86.34	12.98	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	67.29	28.02	2.72	1.72	0.24	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	82.38	16.94	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-23-2014</i>	67.29	28.02	2.72	1.72	0.24	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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