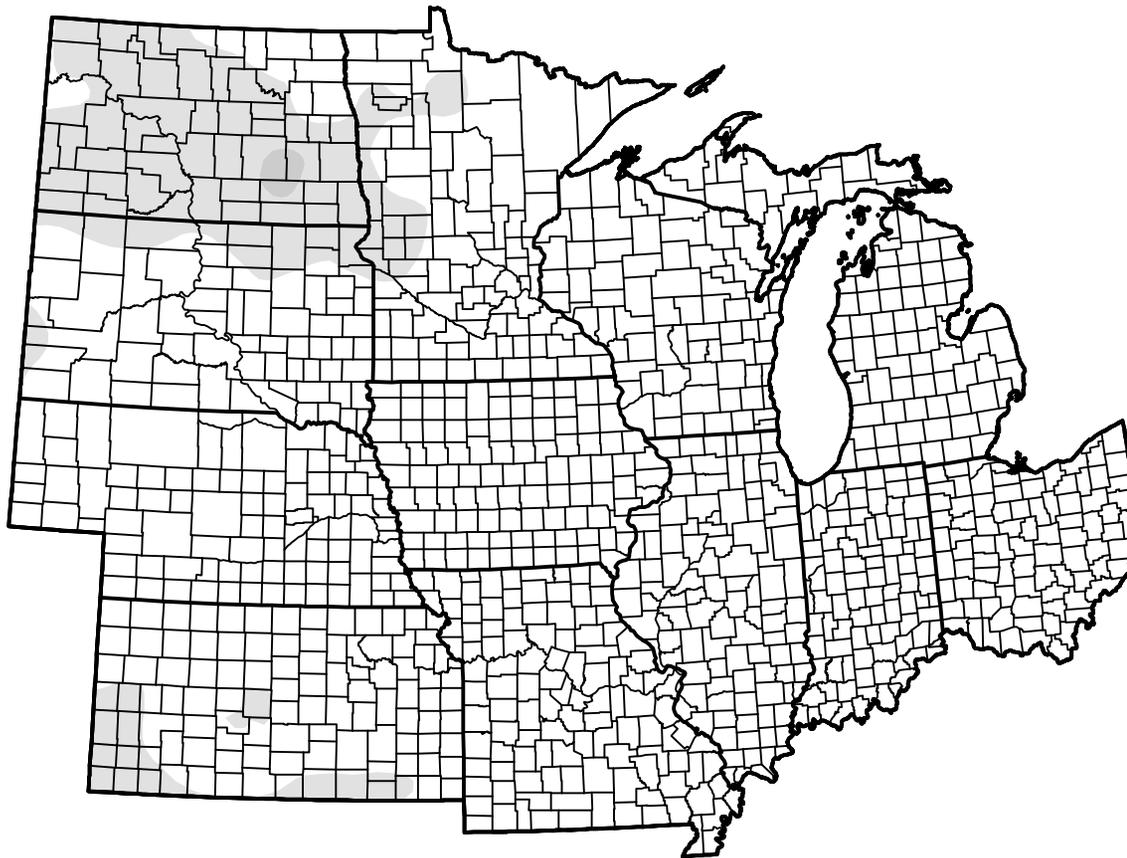


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	87.31	12.44	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-01-2016</i>	91.03	8.61	0.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-08-2015</i>	80.52	16.61	2.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	87.36	10.61	2.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	82.38	16.94	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-10-2015</i>	52.96	40.30	4.73	1.80	0.20	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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