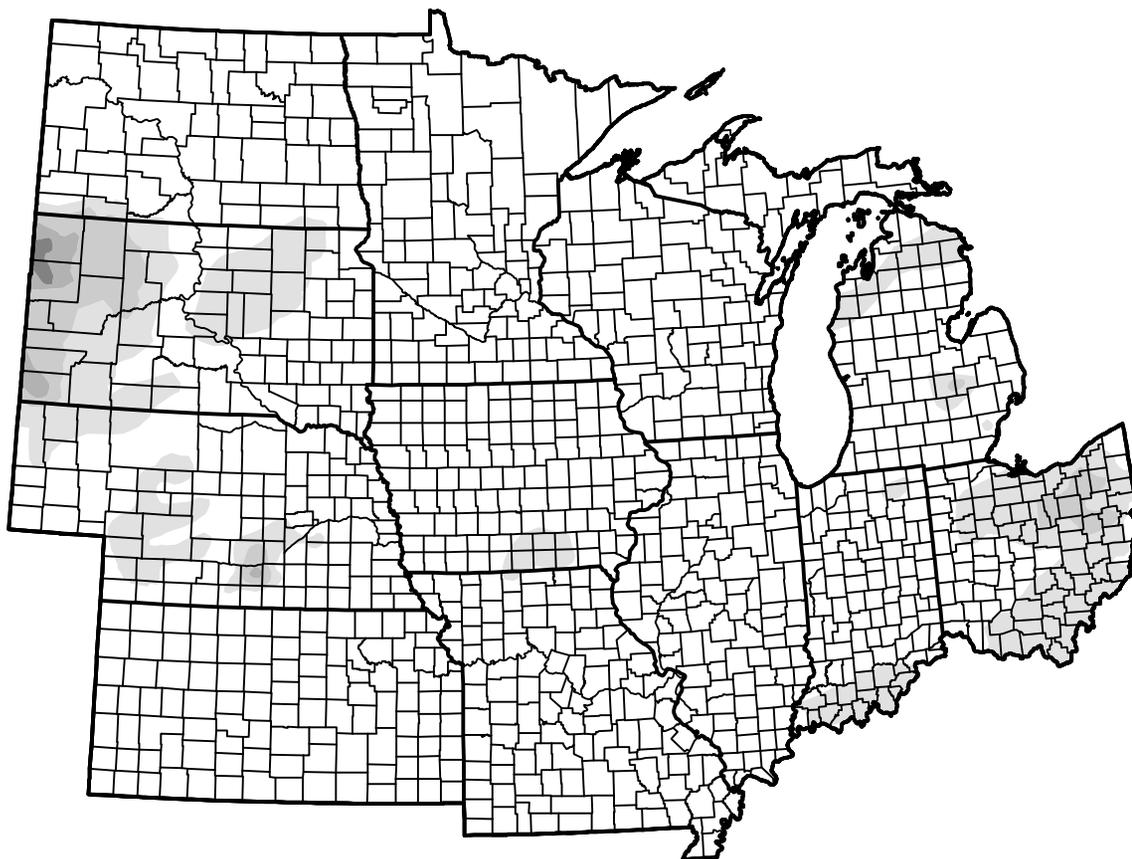


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## North Central States

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	86.72	13.28	2.76	0.51	0.11	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-20-2016</i>	87.99	12.01	4.09	0.65	0.11	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-28-2016</i>	69.23	30.77	6.65	0.61	0.08	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2015</i>	87.36	12.64	2.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	82.38	17.62	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	82.38	17.62	0.68	0.00	0.00	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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