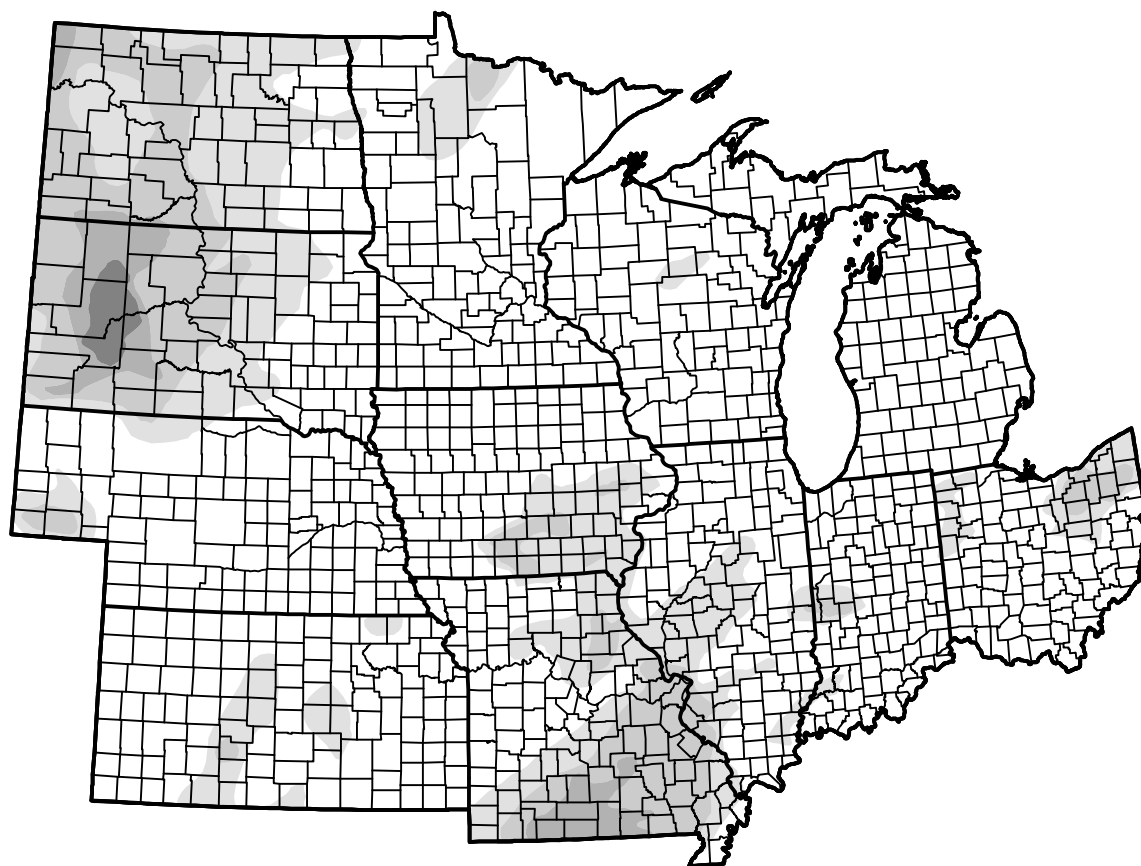


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	70.27	29.73	13.19	2.98	0.60	0.00
Last Week <i>10-31-2017</i>	68.18	31.82	13.33	2.17	0.60	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-08-2017</i>	56.35	43.65	24.63	12.01	4.51	0.70
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	67.92	32.08	10.18	2.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	50.58	49.42	19.04	6.07	1.04	0.04
One Year Ago <i>11-08-2016</i>	81.33	18.67	5.77	0.15	0.00	0.00

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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