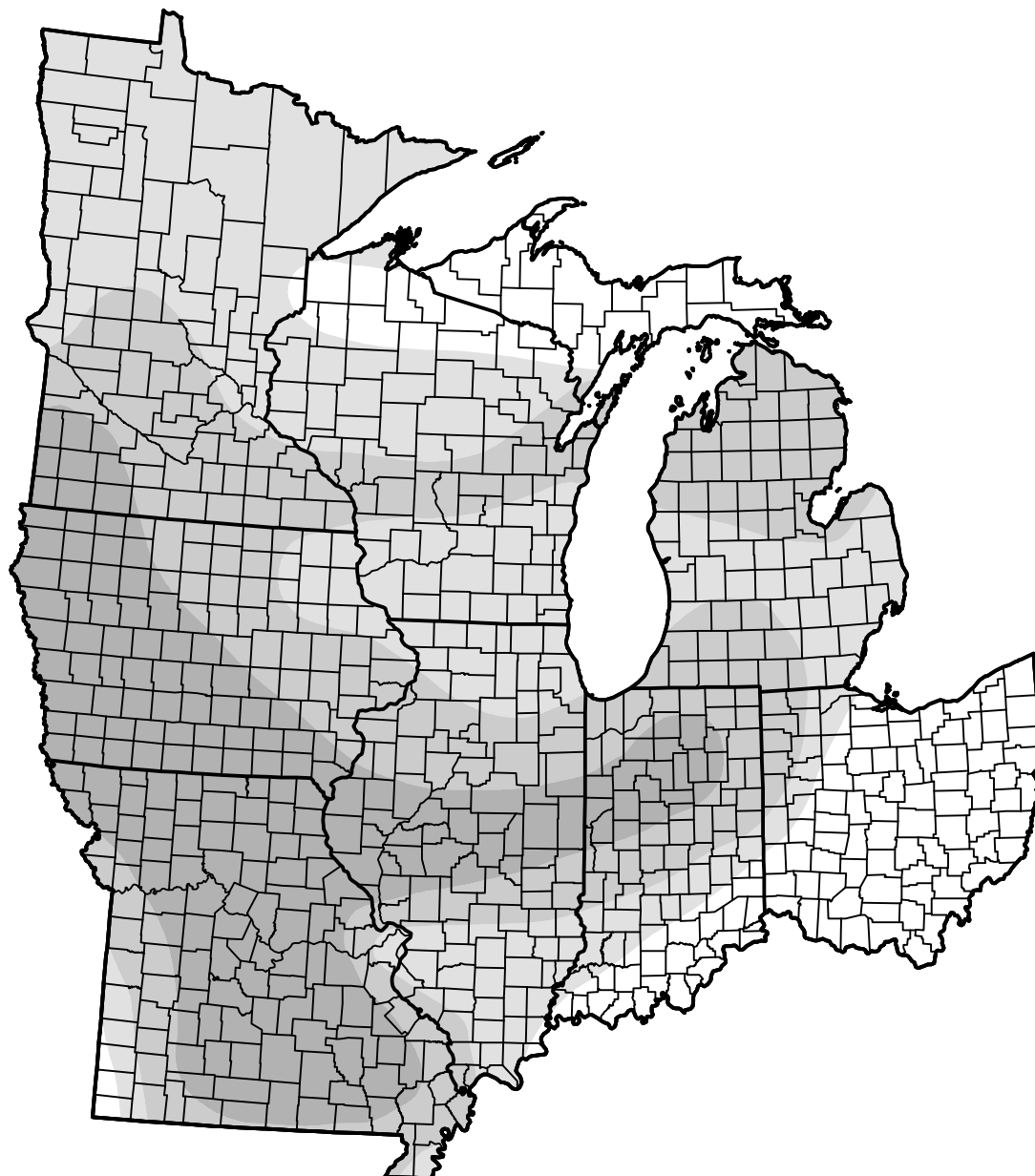


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 15.72 | 84.28 | 52.54 | 24.46 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-02-2000</i>              | 16.34 | 83.66 | 54.33 | 27.72 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-08-2000</i>           | 12.93 | 87.07 | 52.18 | 8.84  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2000</i> | 28.67 | 71.33 | 37.63 | 7.94  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>01-01-1900</i>    | -     | -     | -     | -     | -     | -    |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-01-1900</i>           | -     | -     | -     | -     | -     | -    |

### 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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