

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub



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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0   | D1   | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 96.39 | 3.61 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-18-2001</i>              | 99.75 | 0.25 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-25-2001</i>           | 91.62 | 6.86 | 0.87 | 0.66 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2001</i> | 88.16 | 7.24 | 3.58 | 1.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-25-2001</i>    | 91.62 | 6.86 | 0.87 | 0.66 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-26-2000</i>           | 86.90 | 8.73 | 3.35 | 1.02 | 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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