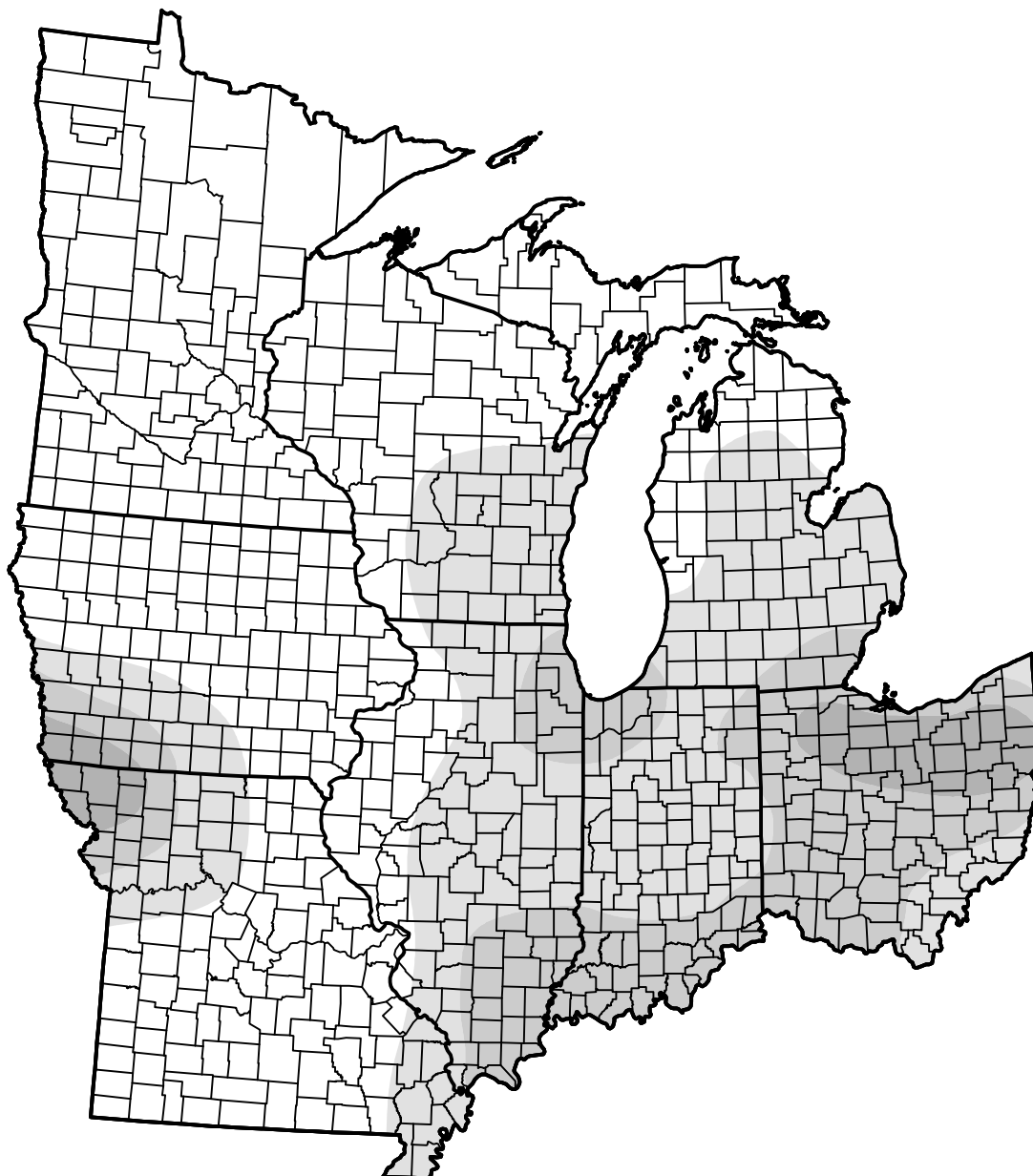


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	56.42	25.92	14.08	3.59	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-06-2002</i>	55.27	27.38	14.21	3.14	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-14-2002</i>	98.73	1.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	94.97	4.98	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	91.62	6.86	0.87	0.66	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-14-2001</i>	60.76	30.17	7.56	1.51	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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