

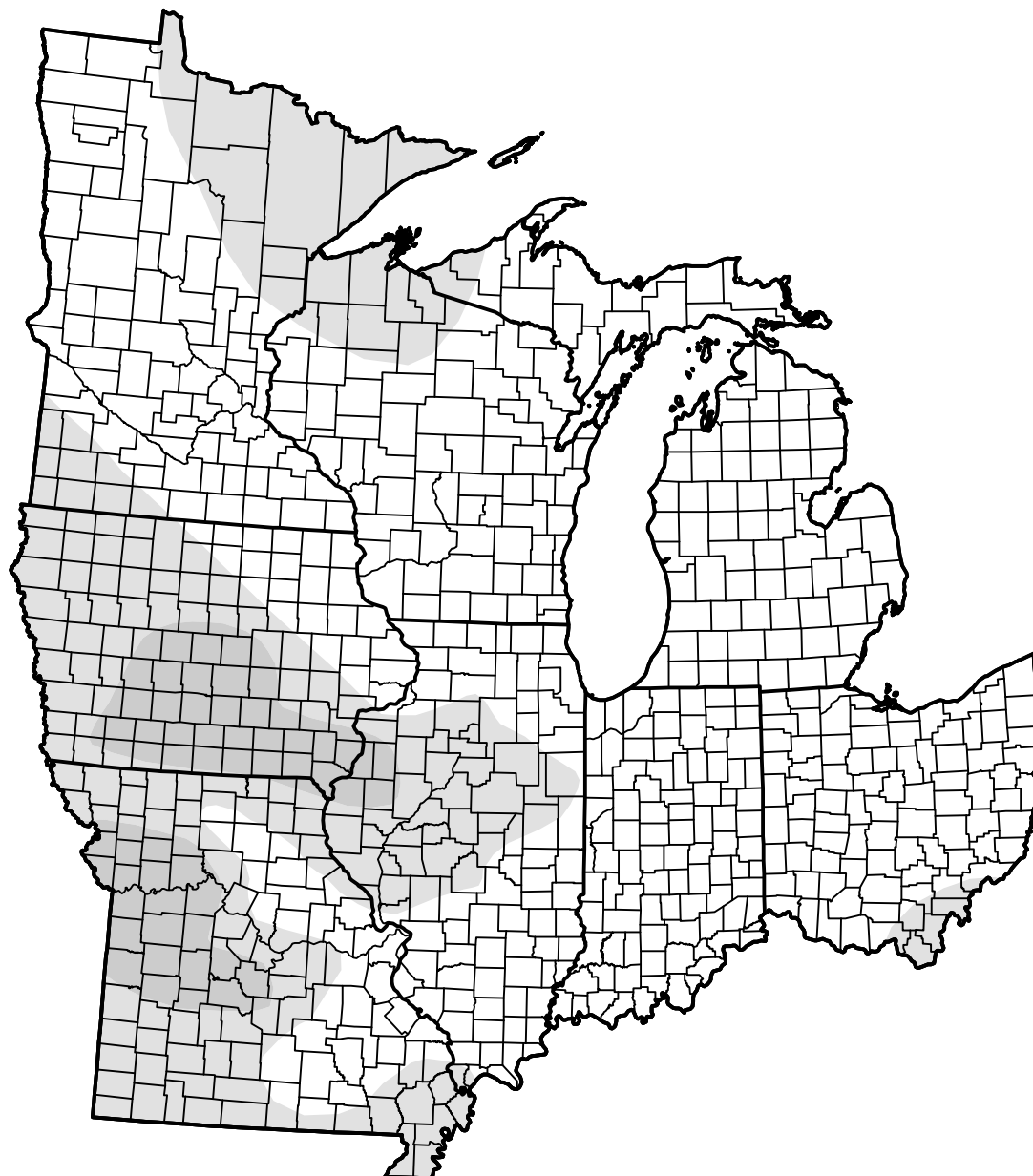
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	65.38	27.13	7.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 06-13-2006	69.38	24.99	5.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 03-21-2006	66.31	10.12	12.00	10.81	0.77	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2006	62.66	18.00	10.03	6.04	3.27	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2005	52.29	18.16	16.20	10.93	2.42	0.00
One Year Ago 06-21-2005	52.36	27.69	16.58	3.37	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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