

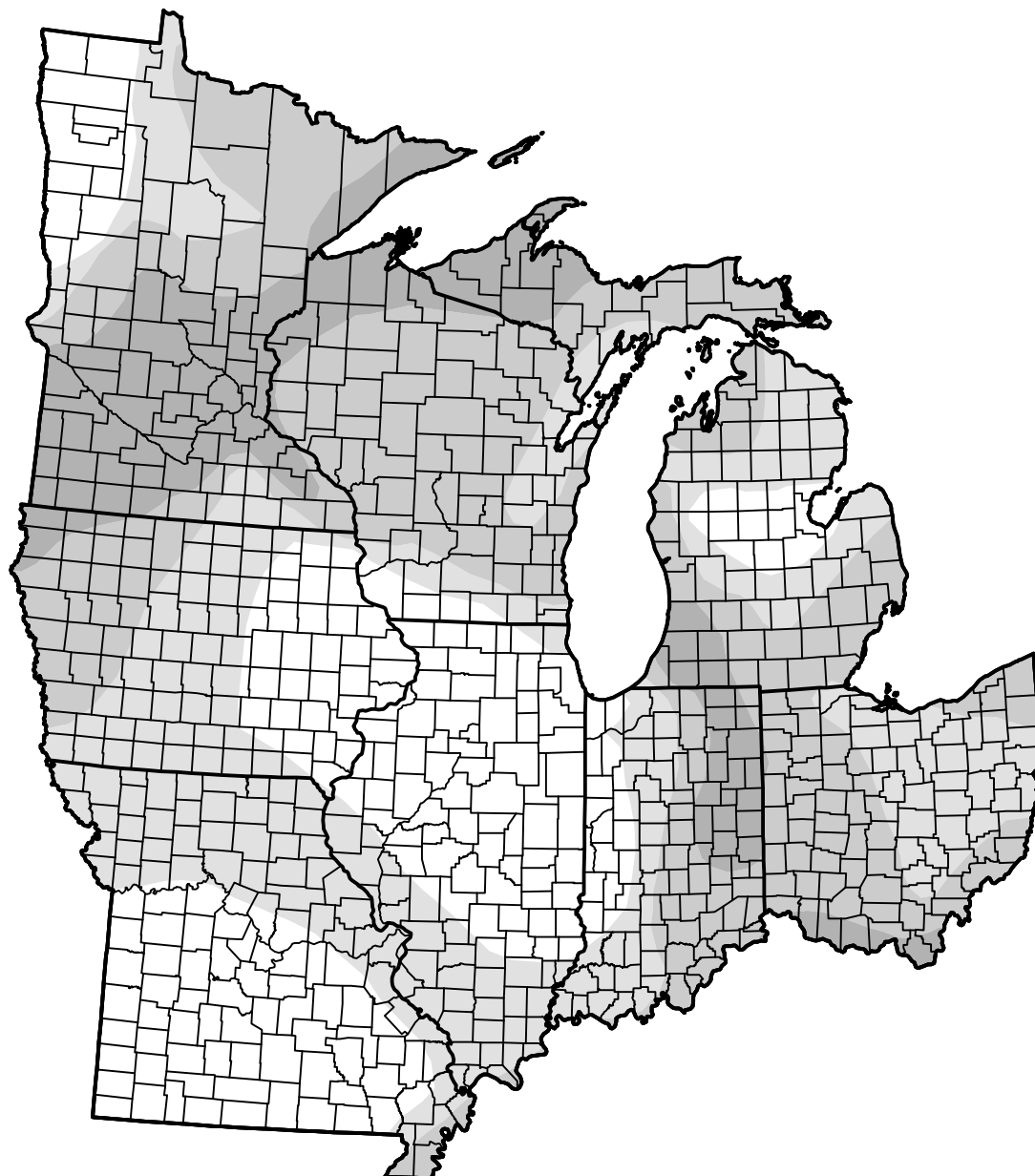
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub

July 31, 2007

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 27.71 | 72.29 | 43.83 | 13.61 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>07-24-2007              | 35.08 | 64.92 | 40.90 | 8.51  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>05-01-2007           | 82.87 | 17.13 | 8.42  | 4.19  | 2.03  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-02-2007 | 58.38 | 41.62 | 19.67 | 12.09 | 7.70  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>09-26-2006    | 60.38 | 39.62 | 22.63 | 11.20 | 8.41  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>08-01-2006           | 47.22 | 52.78 | 37.25 | 17.29 | 5.53  | 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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