

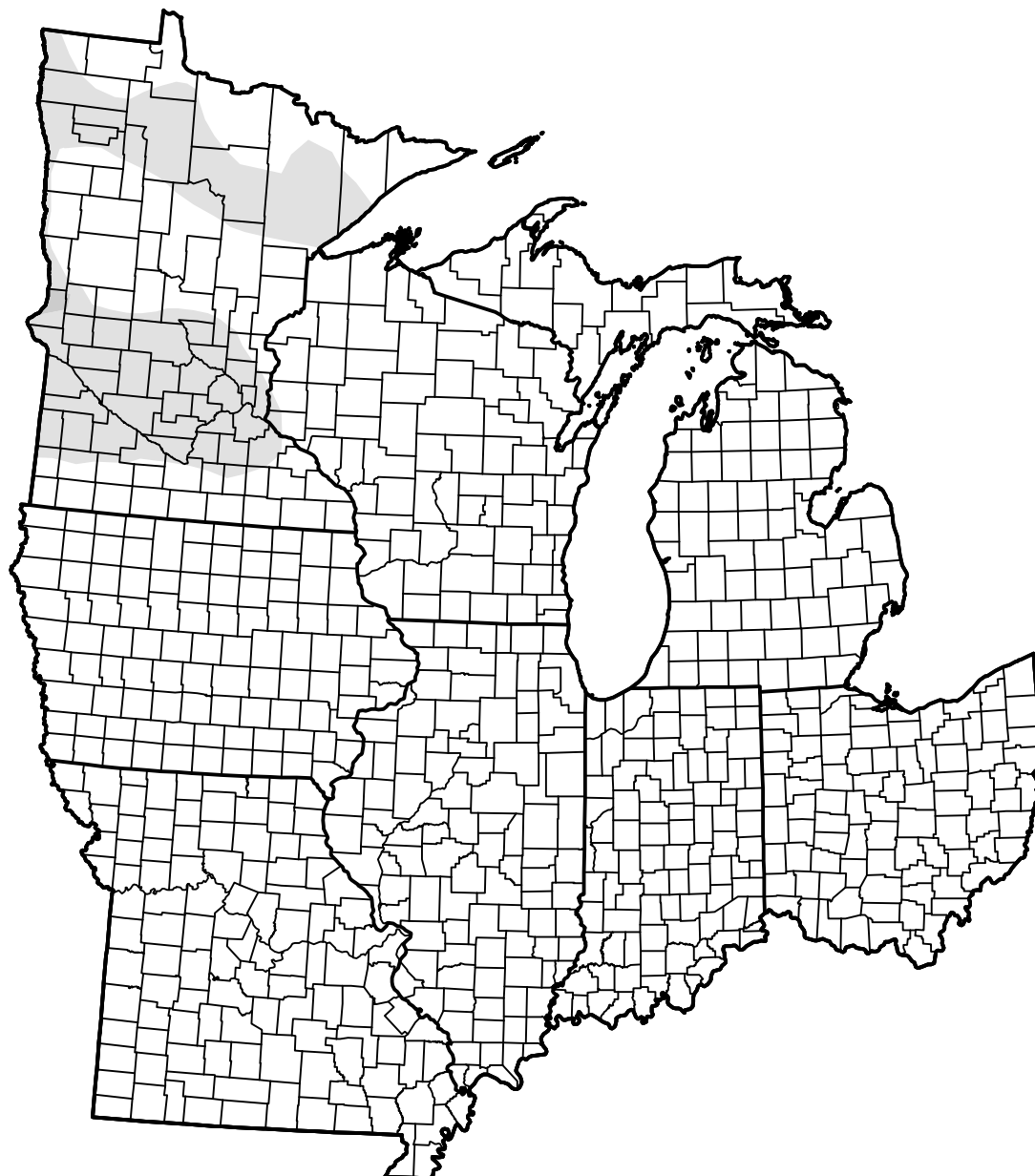
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	91.20	8.80	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-22-2008	92.35	7.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-29-2008	96.77	3.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2008	76.28	23.72	5.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-25-2007	49.04	50.96	35.45	17.00	3.36	0.00
One Year Ago 07-31-2007	27.71	72.29	43.83	13.61	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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