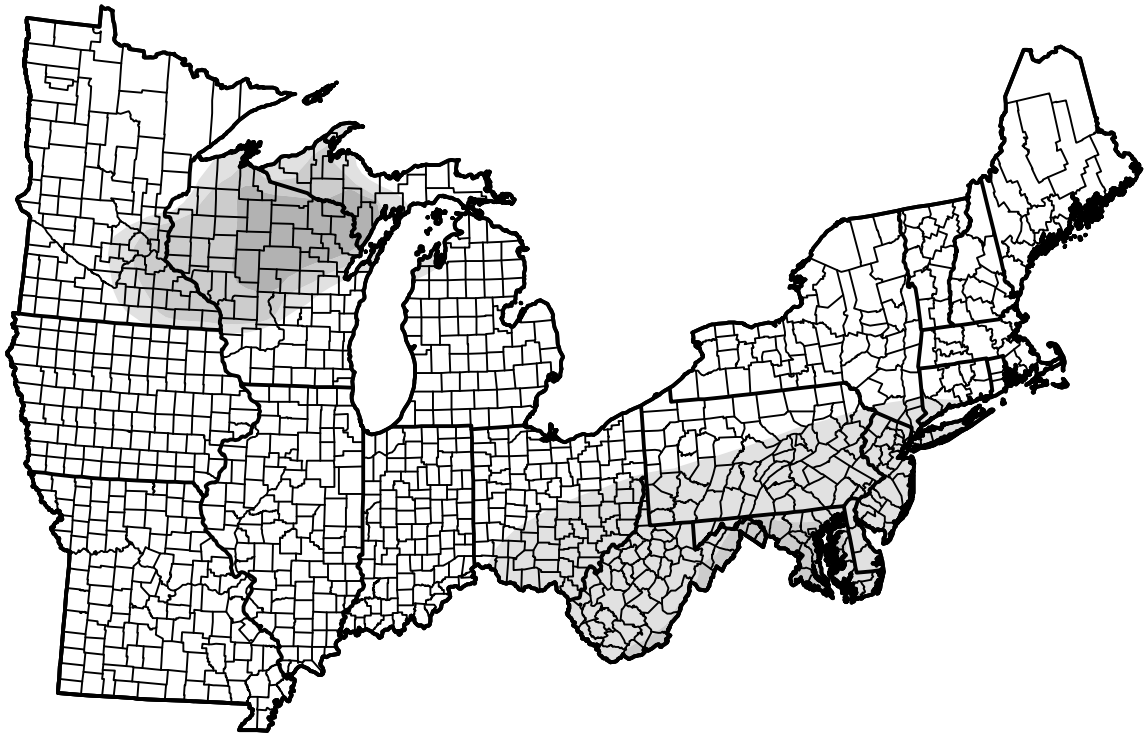
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Forests Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	76.55	15.27	5.51	2.68	0.00	0.00
Last Week *03-17-2009*	86.22	6.55	4.55	2.68	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago *12-23-2008*	77.02	12.63	7.80	2.56	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *12-30-2008*	80.62	9.70	7.12	2.56	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-30-2008*	65.24	21.67	12.11	0.99	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago *03-25-2008*	89.09	9.98	0.78	0.14	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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