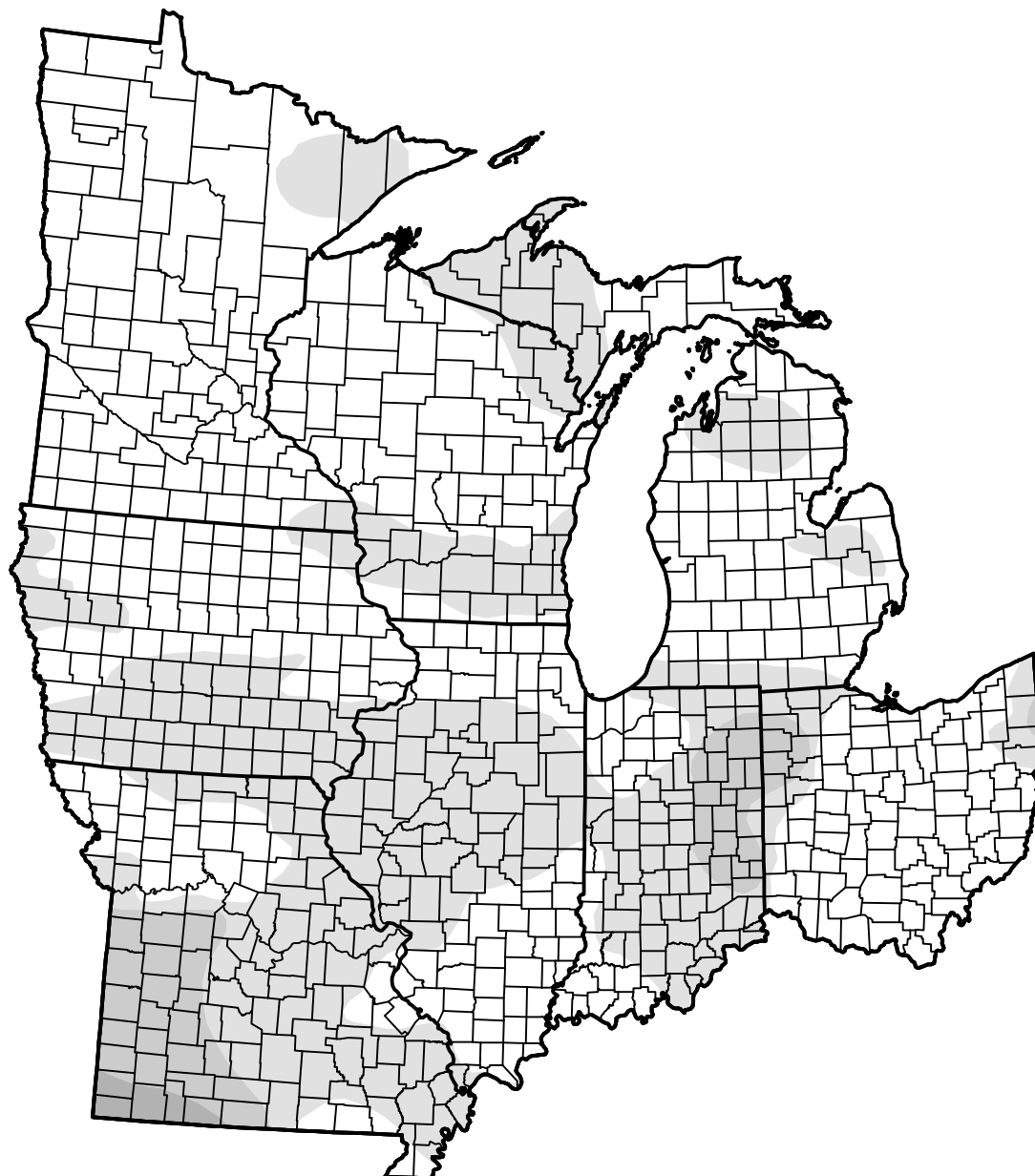


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	60.31	34.05	5.08	0.57	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-26-2011</i>	78.11	20.96	0.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-03-2011</i>	94.35	5.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	83.52	13.52	2.22	0.43	0.32	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	78.48	14.45	4.30	2.76	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-03-2010</i>	86.87	6.60	4.72	1.81	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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