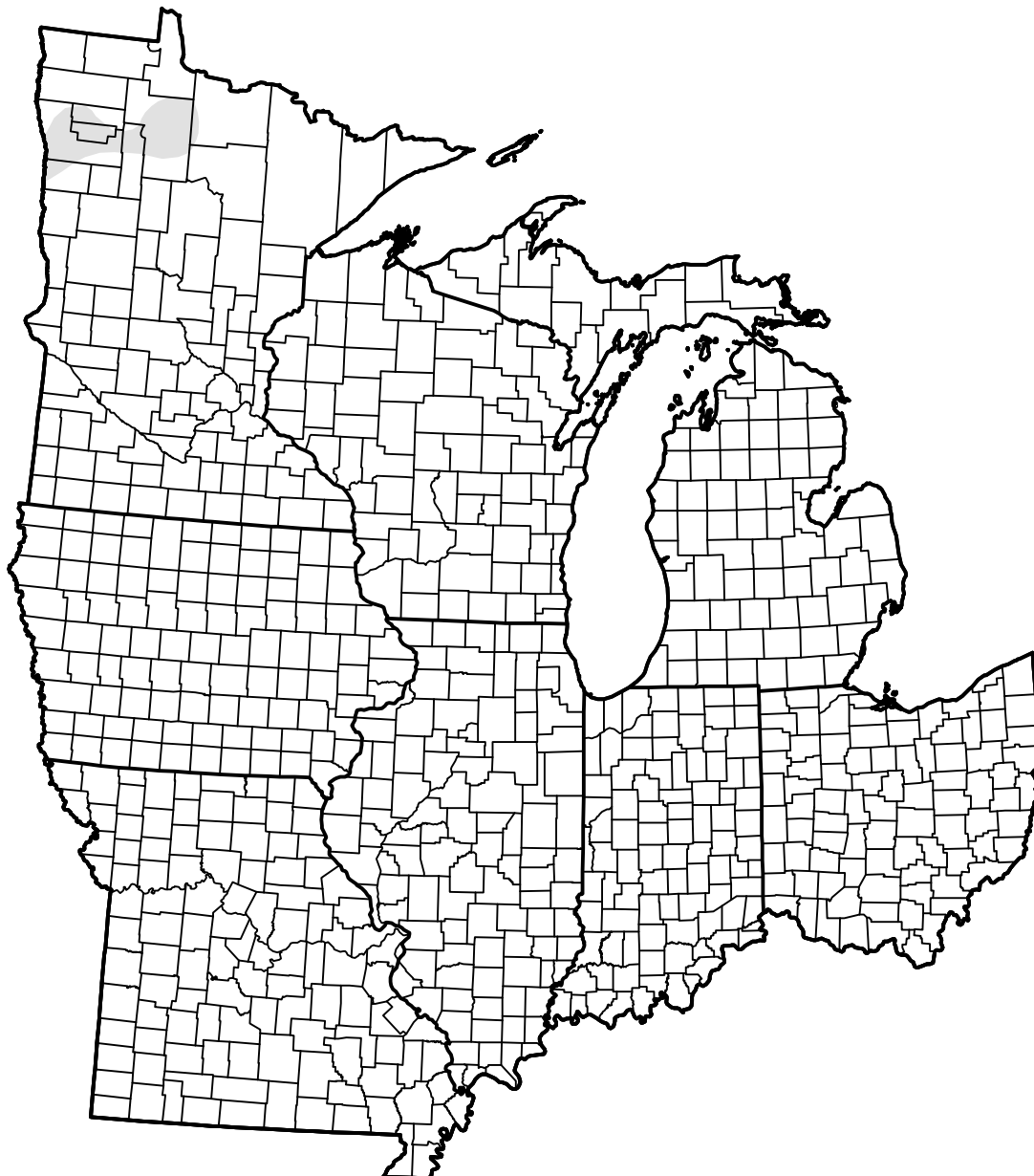


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	99.02	0.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-23-2016</i>	98.94	1.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-01-2015</i>	83.40	13.16	3.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2015</i>	87.02	10.43	2.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	82.86	16.81	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-03-2015</i>	77.10	21.85	1.05	0.00	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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