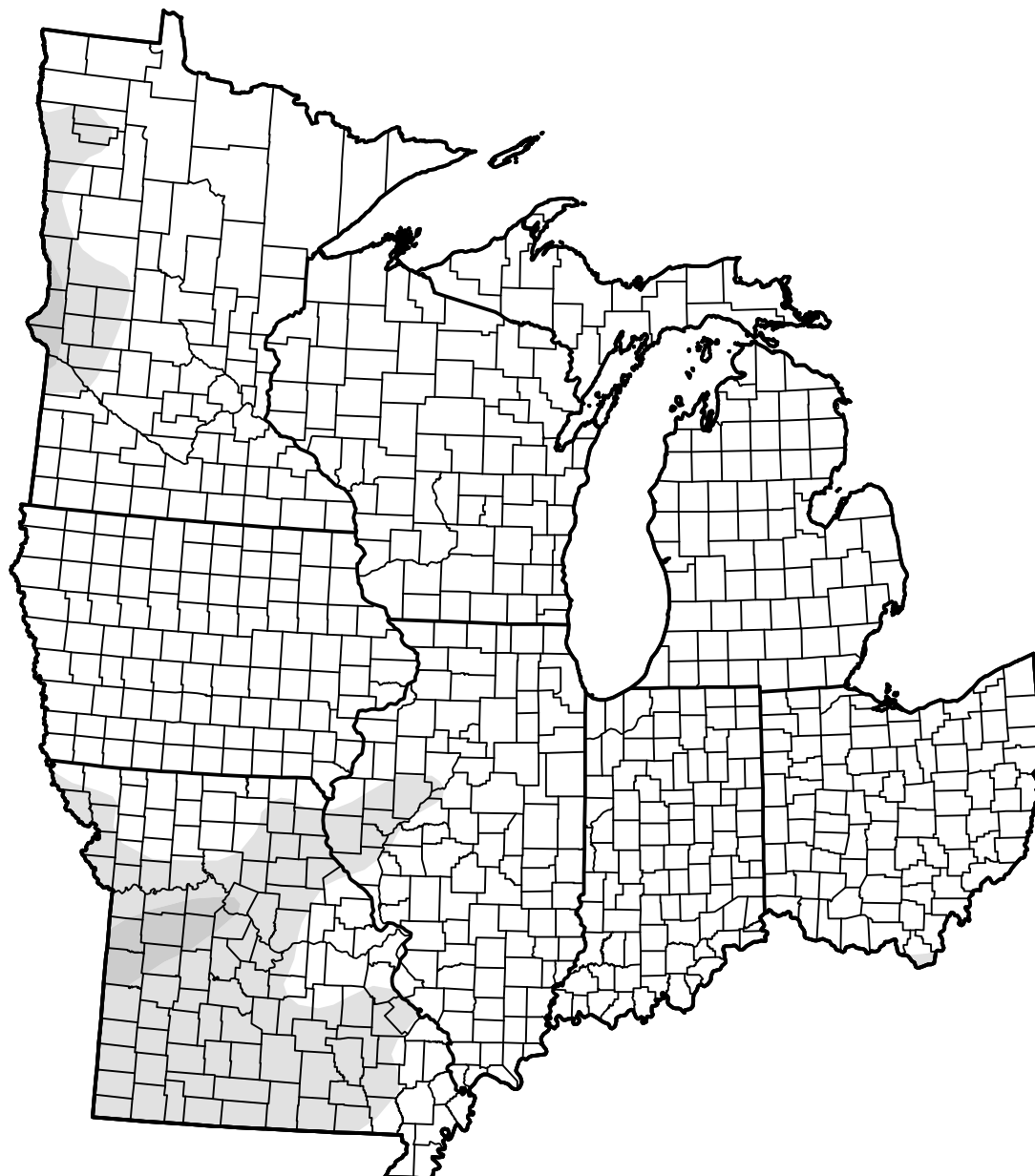


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	86.51	12.28	1.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 04-12-2016	89.67	9.12	1.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-19-2016	97.82	2.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-29-2015	87.02	10.43	2.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2015	82.86	16.81	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 04-21-2015	53.66	23.36	22.98	0.00	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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