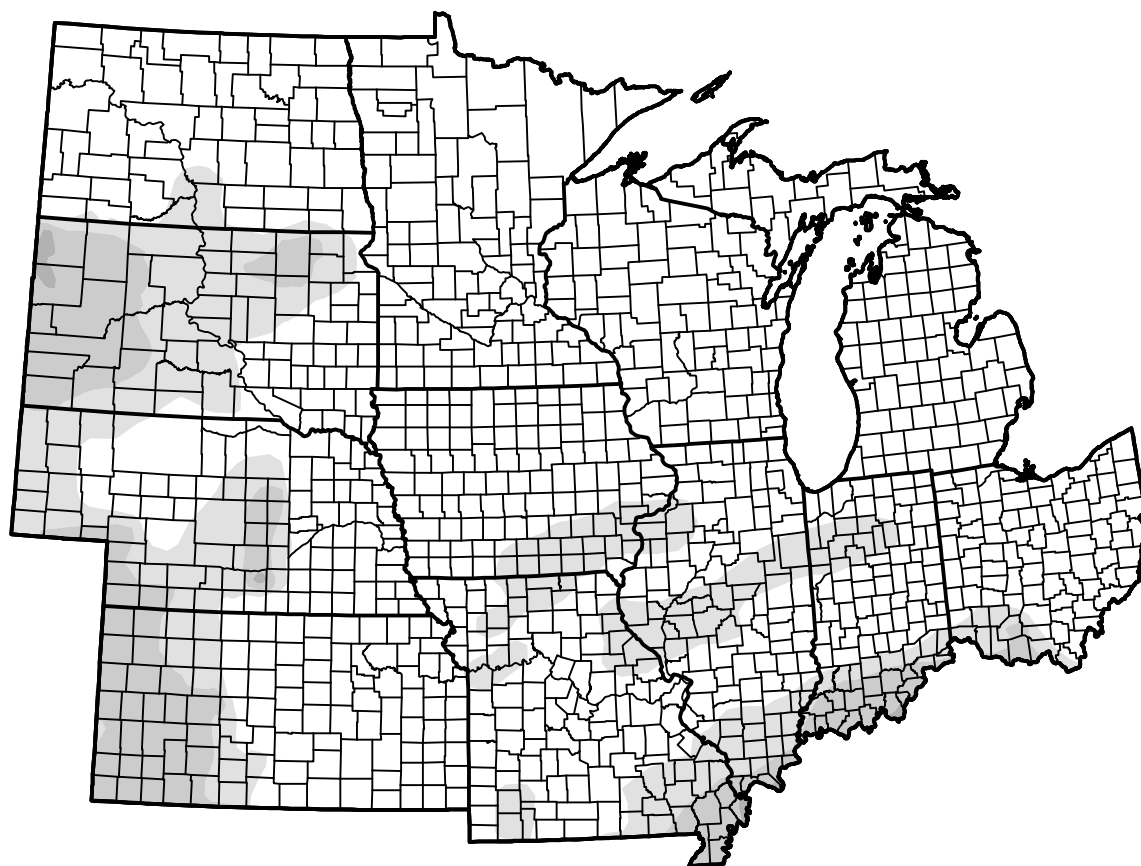


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	74.28	25.72	8.90	0.23	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-08-2016</i>	81.33	18.67	5.77	0.15	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-16-2016</i>	78.09	21.91	6.64	1.51	0.29	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	87.36	12.64	2.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	86.72	13.28	2.76	0.51	0.11	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-17-2015</i>	65.53	34.47	5.89	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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