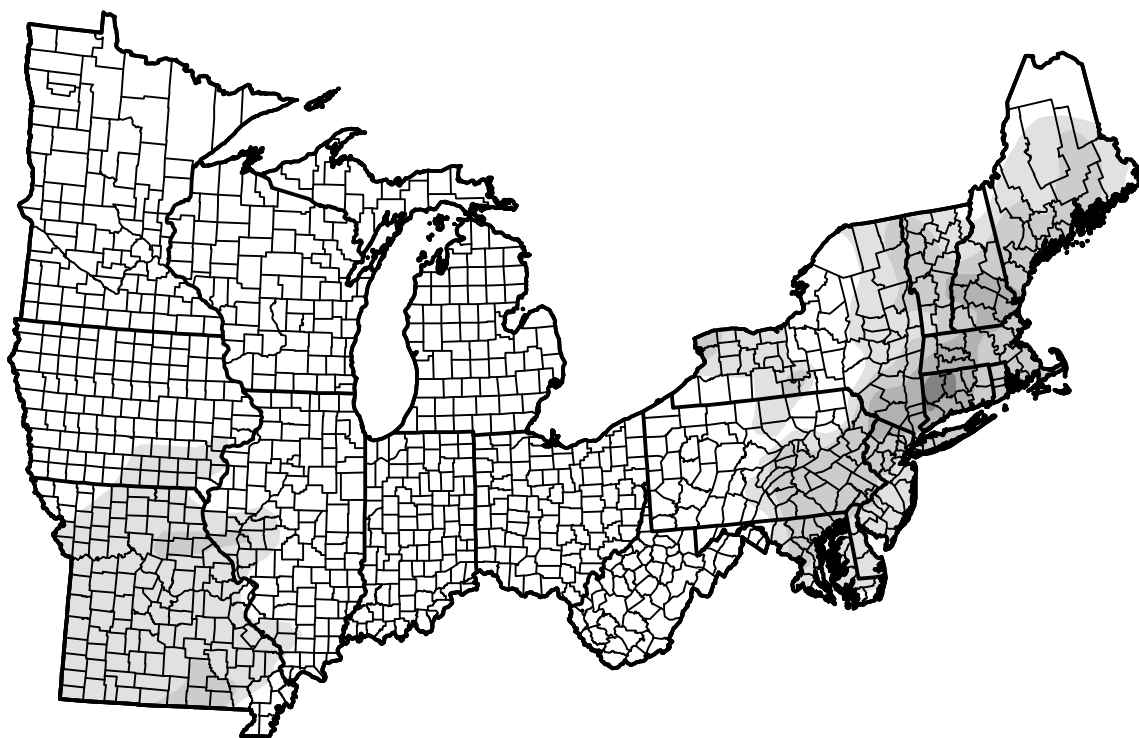


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Forests

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	69.96	18.32	9.30	2.21	0.21	0.00
Last Week <i>01-31-2017</i>	69.81	18.47	9.30	2.08	0.34	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-08-2016</i>	73.99	9.42	11.18	4.99	0.42	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	63.05	20.19	13.17	3.16	0.43	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	69.73	17.38	6.89	3.96	2.05	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-09-2016</i>	90.39	8.61	1.01	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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