

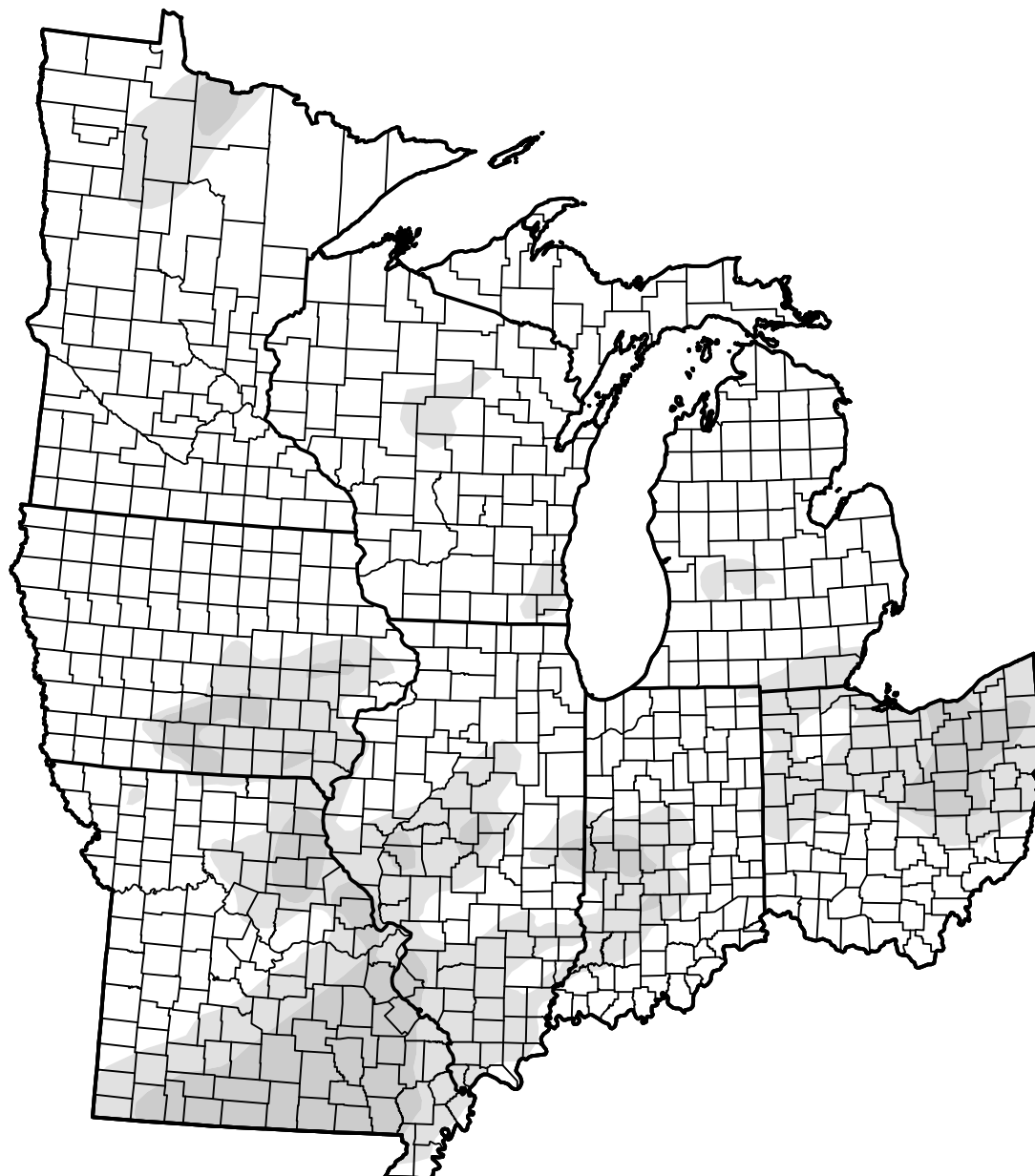
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	72.37	19.51	8.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-17-2017	66.85	25.08	8.02	0.05	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-25-2017	73.87	20.34	5.58	0.20	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	77.45	17.71	4.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2017	54.80	35.56	8.80	0.56	0.27	0.00
One Year Ago 10-25-2016	96.65	3.35	0.00	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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