

U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

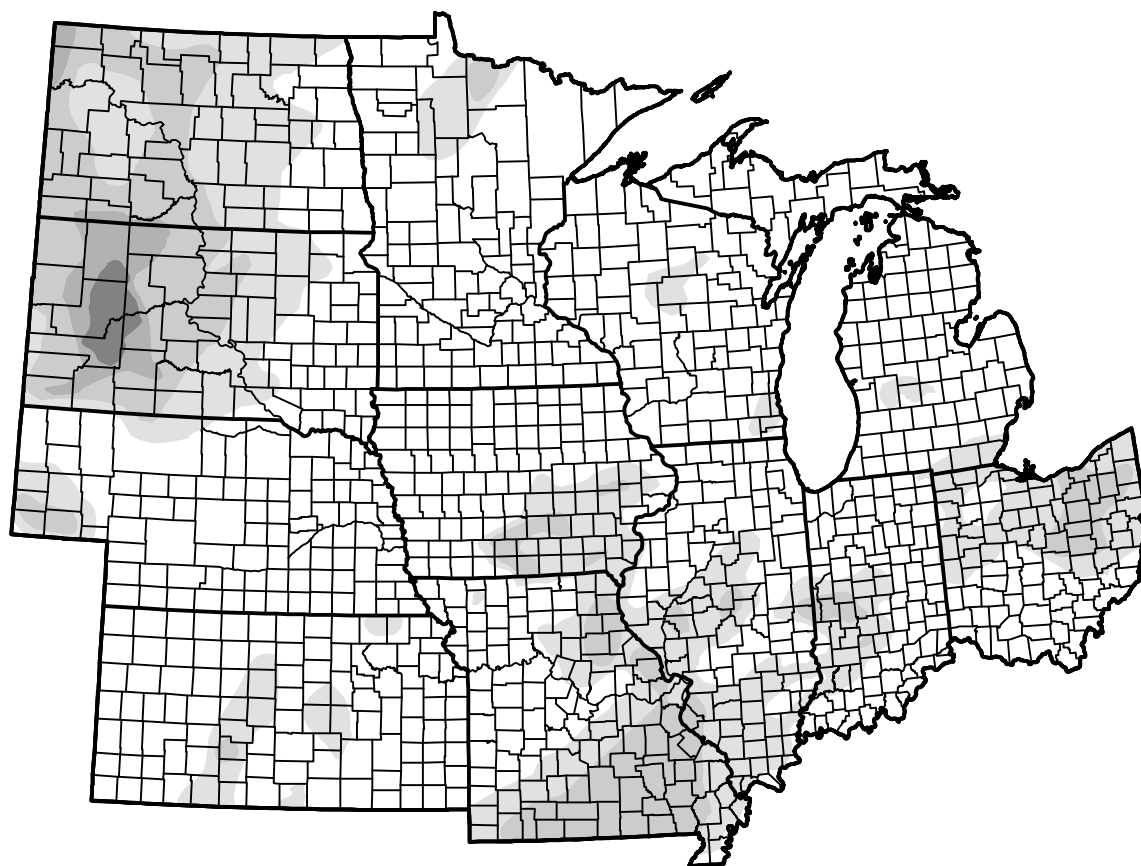
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	66.12	20.37	11.35	1.57	0.60	0.00
Last Week 10-17-2017	63.39	23.34	10.91	2.00	0.36	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-25-2017	51.55	24.88	11.69	6.17	5.01	0.70
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	67.92	21.90	8.10	2.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2017	50.58	30.39	12.97	5.03	1.00	0.04
One Year Ago 10-25-2016	85.96	10.23	3.66	0.15	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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