



# Drought Information Statement for Northern IN, Southern MI, Northwest OH

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- This product will be updated March 6, 2025.
  - Please see all currently available products at <https://drought.gov/drought-information-statements>.
  - Please visit <https://www.weather.gov/iwx/DroughtInformationStatement> for previous statements.
  - Please visit <https://www.drought.gov/drought-status-updates> for regional drought status updates.
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- Moderate Drought conditions are present over southern Michigan
  - Abnormally dry conditions are present over northwest Ohio and northern Indiana



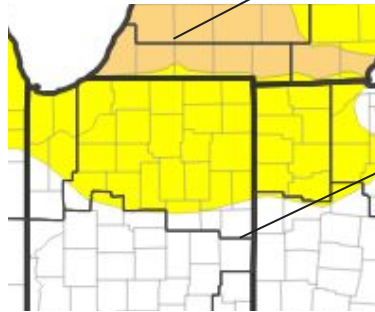
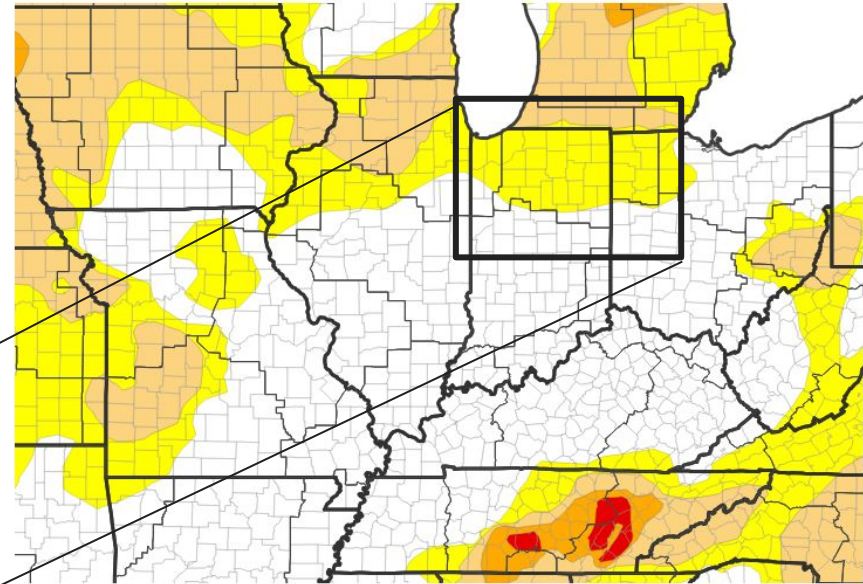


# U.S. Drought Monitor

Link to the [latest U.S. Drought Monitor](#) for northern Indiana, southern Michigan, and northwest Ohio

- Drought intensity and Extent
  - **D1 (Moderate Drought):** Southern Michigan
  - **D0 (Abnormally Dry):** Northern Indiana and northwest Ohio

U.S. Drought Monitor



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Source(s): NDMC, NOAA, USDA; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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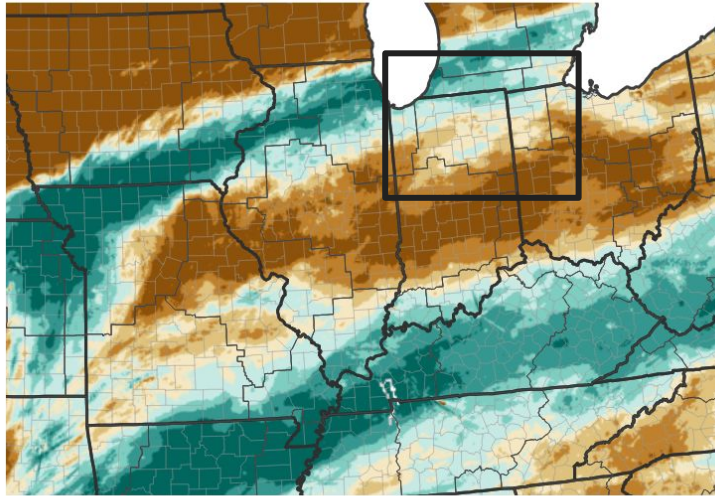




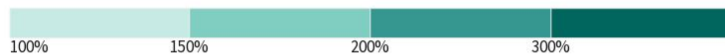
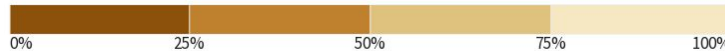
# Precipitation

- 7-day observed precipitation benefited southern Michigan the most
- 30-day precipitation is below-normal over much of our area

7-Day Percent of Normal Precipitation



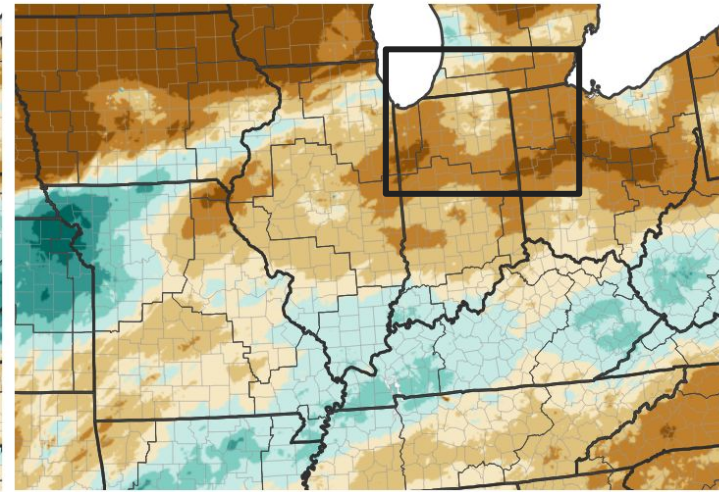
Percent of Normal Precipitation (%)



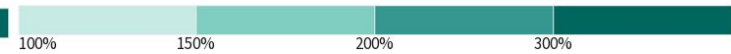
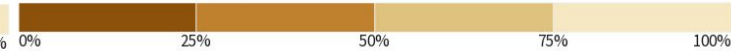
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30-Day Percent of Normal Precipitation



Percent of Normal Precipitation (%)



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# Summary of Impacts

Links: See/submit [Condition Monitoring Observer Reports \(CMOR\)](#) and view the [Drought Impacts Reporter](#)

## Hydrologic Impacts

- There are no known impacts at this time

## Agricultural Impacts

- There are no known impacts at this time

## Fire Hazard Impacts

- There are no known impacts at this time

## Other Impacts

- There are no known impacts at this time

## Mitigation Actions

- None reported

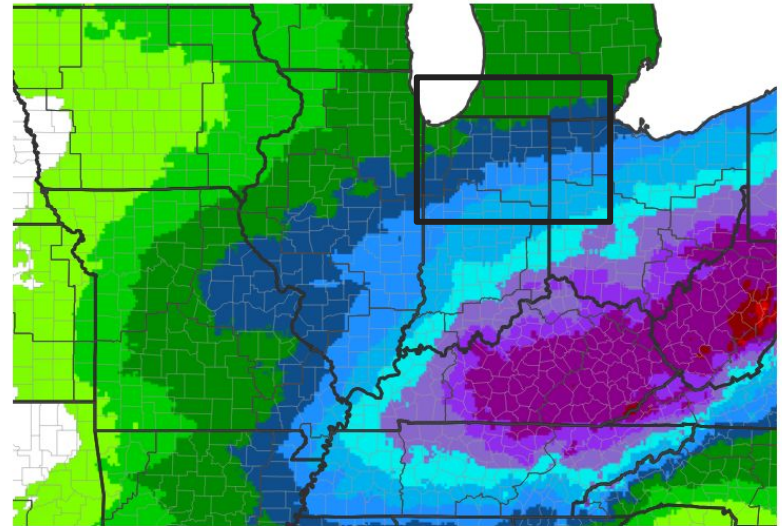




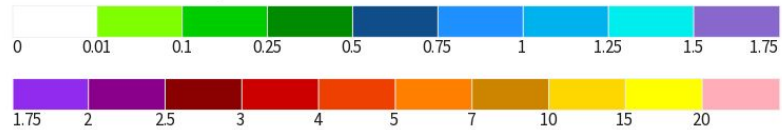
# Seven Day Precipitation Forecast

- Two weather systems, one on Wednesday and the other this weekend, will bring beneficial precipitation to our area
- Forecast precipitation totals are near 0.25 to 0.50 inch, with greater amounts toward central IN and central OH

7-Day Quantitative Precipitation Forecast for February 3, 2025–February 10, 2025



Predicted Inches of Precipitation



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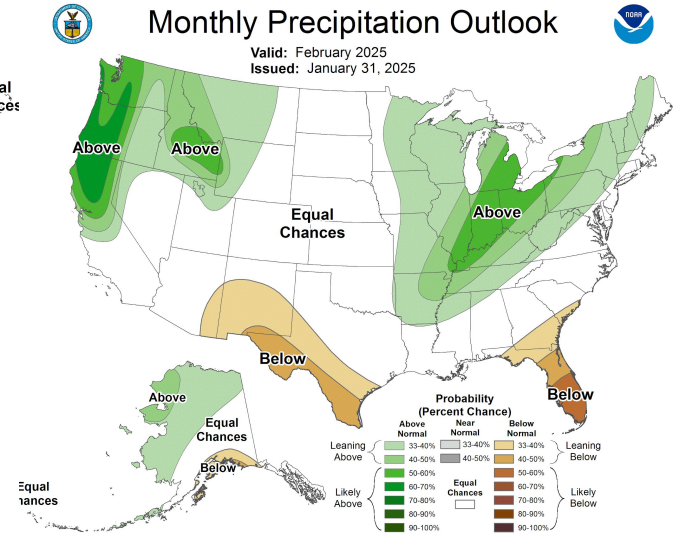
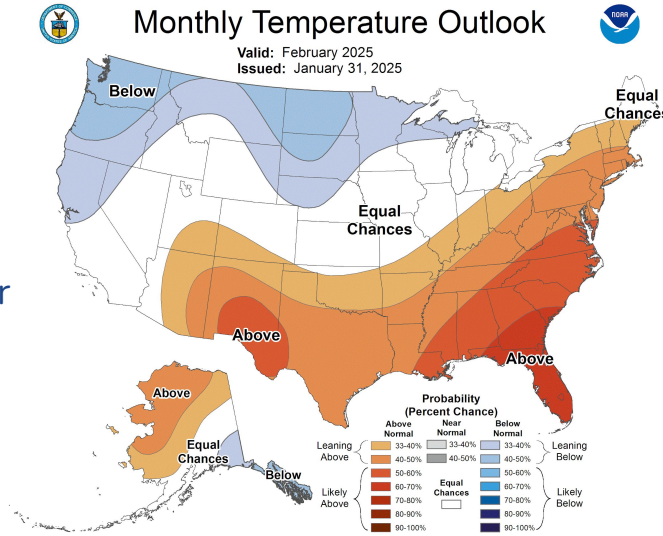




# Long-Range Outlooks

The latest monthly and seasonal outlooks can be found on the [CPC homepage](#)

- Released on 1/31, there is a slight lean toward **above-normal temperatures** over northwest Ohio. There is no clear signal elsewhere.
- Above normal precipitation** is favored for February



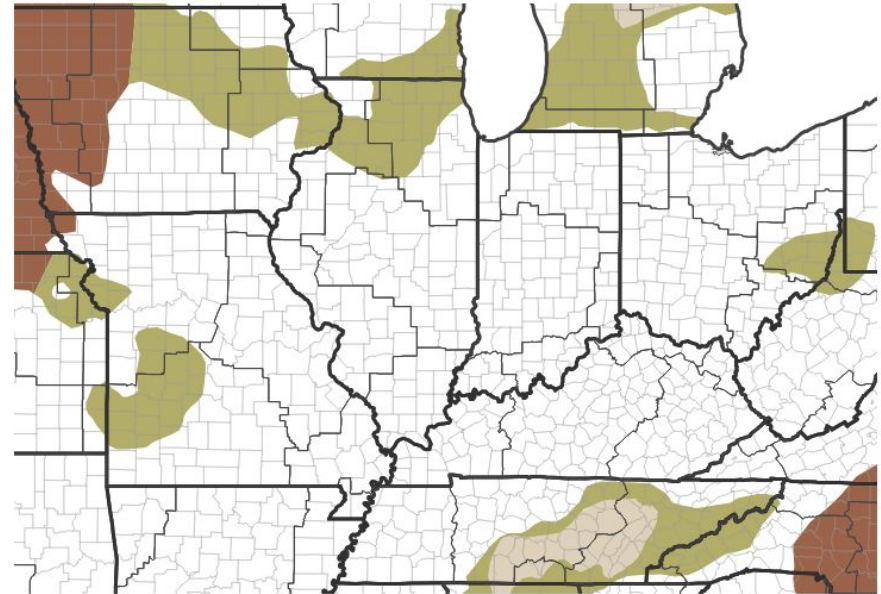


# Drought Outlook

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- Through the remainder of the winter, drought conditions are favored to end or improve

## Seasonal (3-Month) Drought Outlook for January 31, 2025–April 30, 2025



### Drought Is Predicted To...



Source(s): Climate Prediction Center; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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Links to the latest:

[Climate Prediction Center Monthly Drought Outlook](#)

[Climate Prediction Center Seasonal Drought Outlook](#)



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