## Introduction

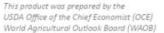
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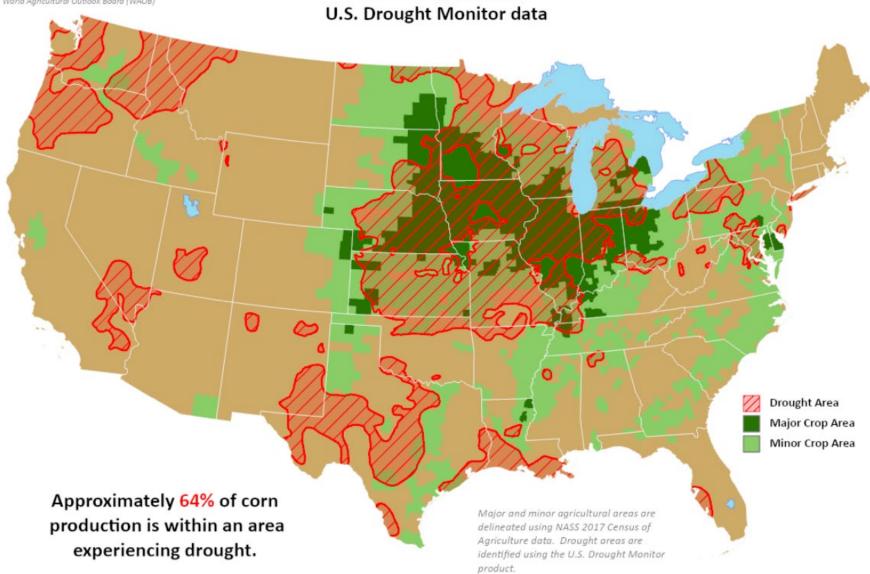
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## Corn Areas in Drought

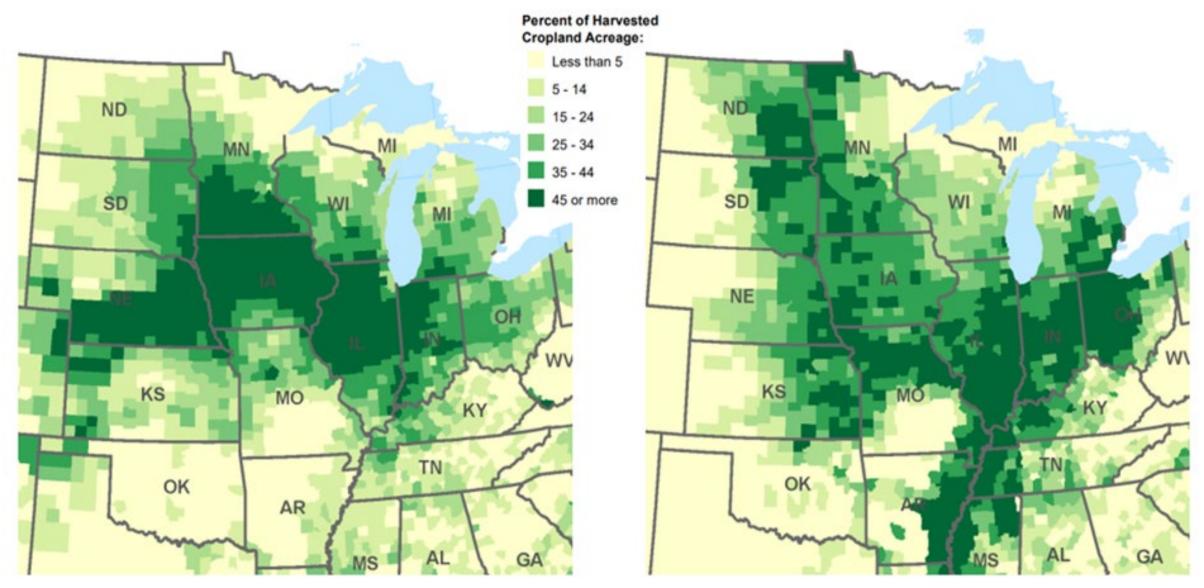


Reflects July 11, 2023 U.S. Drought Monitor data



## Acres of corn harvested for grain

## Acres of soybeans harvested for beans



Source: USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service

