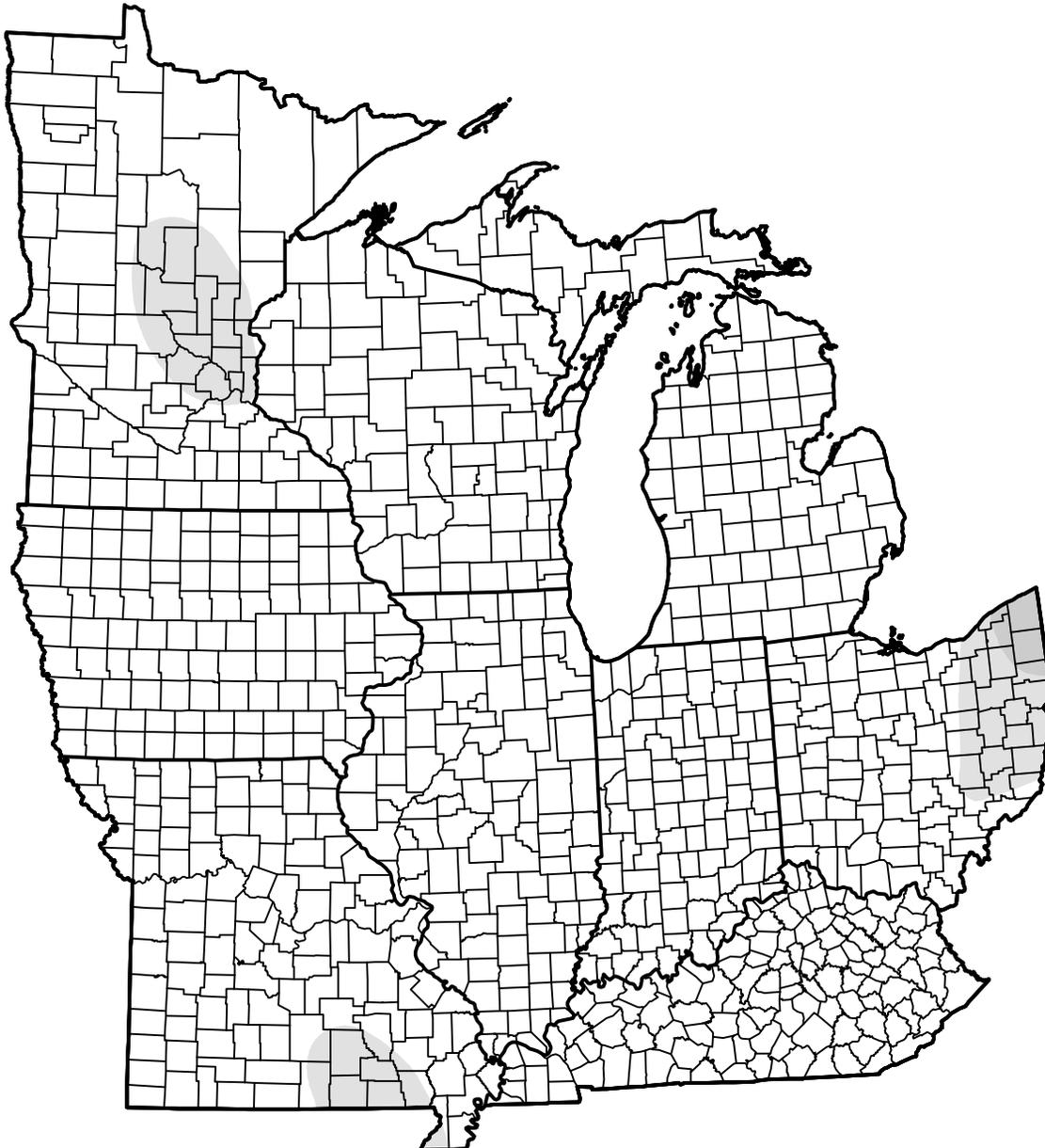


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Midwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	94.61	5.39	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-09-2001</i>	89.90	10.10	0.84	0.03	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-17-2001</i>	59.84	40.16	3.34	1.35	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	86.92	13.08	4.67	0.95	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	92.30	7.70	1.40	0.61	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-17-2000</i>	67.75	32.25	12.80	3.21	0.48	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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