

# U.S. Drought Monitor

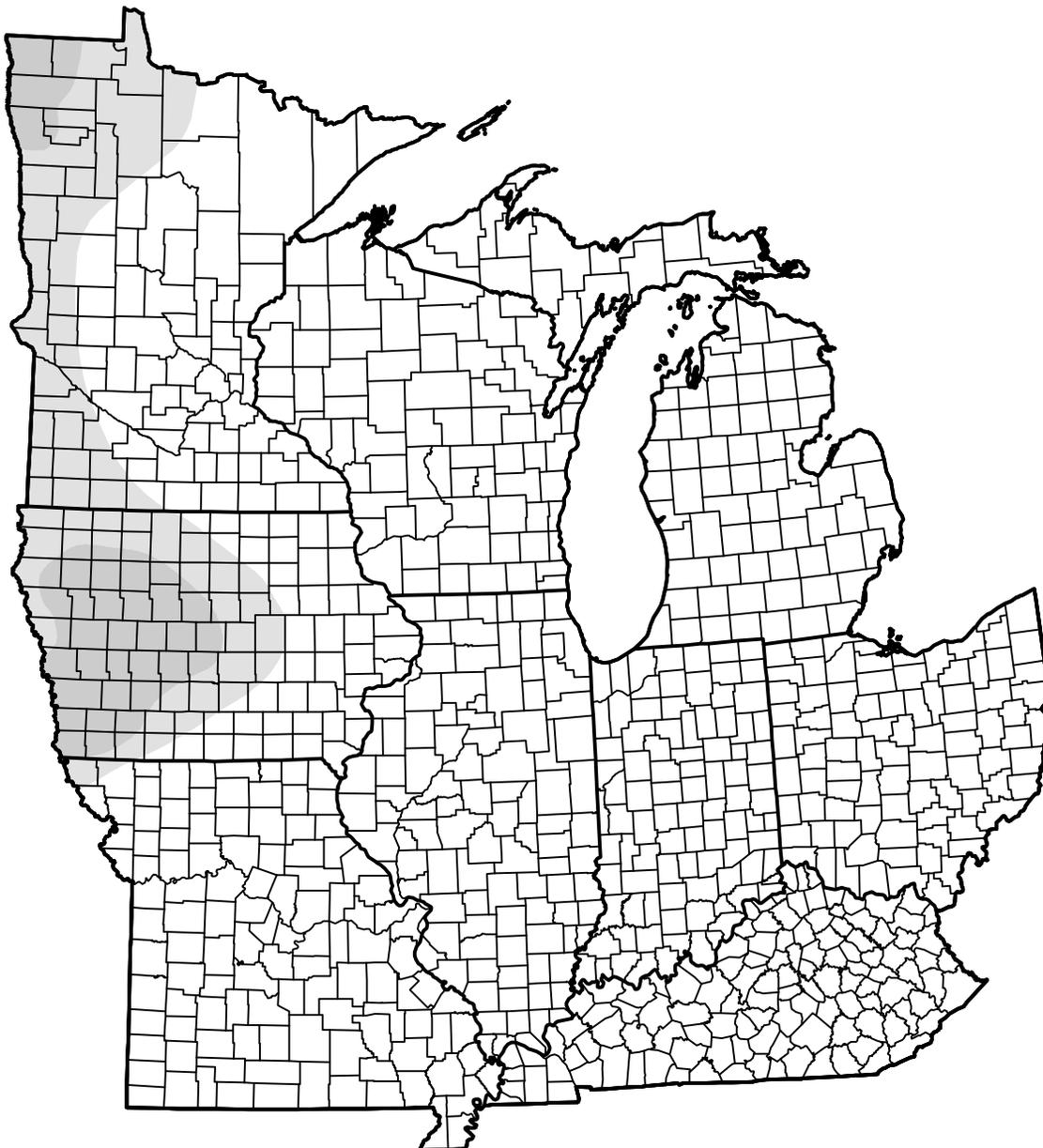
## Midwest

**April 23, 2002**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	87.13	12.87	4.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-16-2002</i>	81.18	18.82	6.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-22-2002</i>	90.01	9.99	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	94.46	5.54	0.04	0.00	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>04-24-2001</i>	81.44	18.56	5.69	0.00	0.00	0.00



***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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