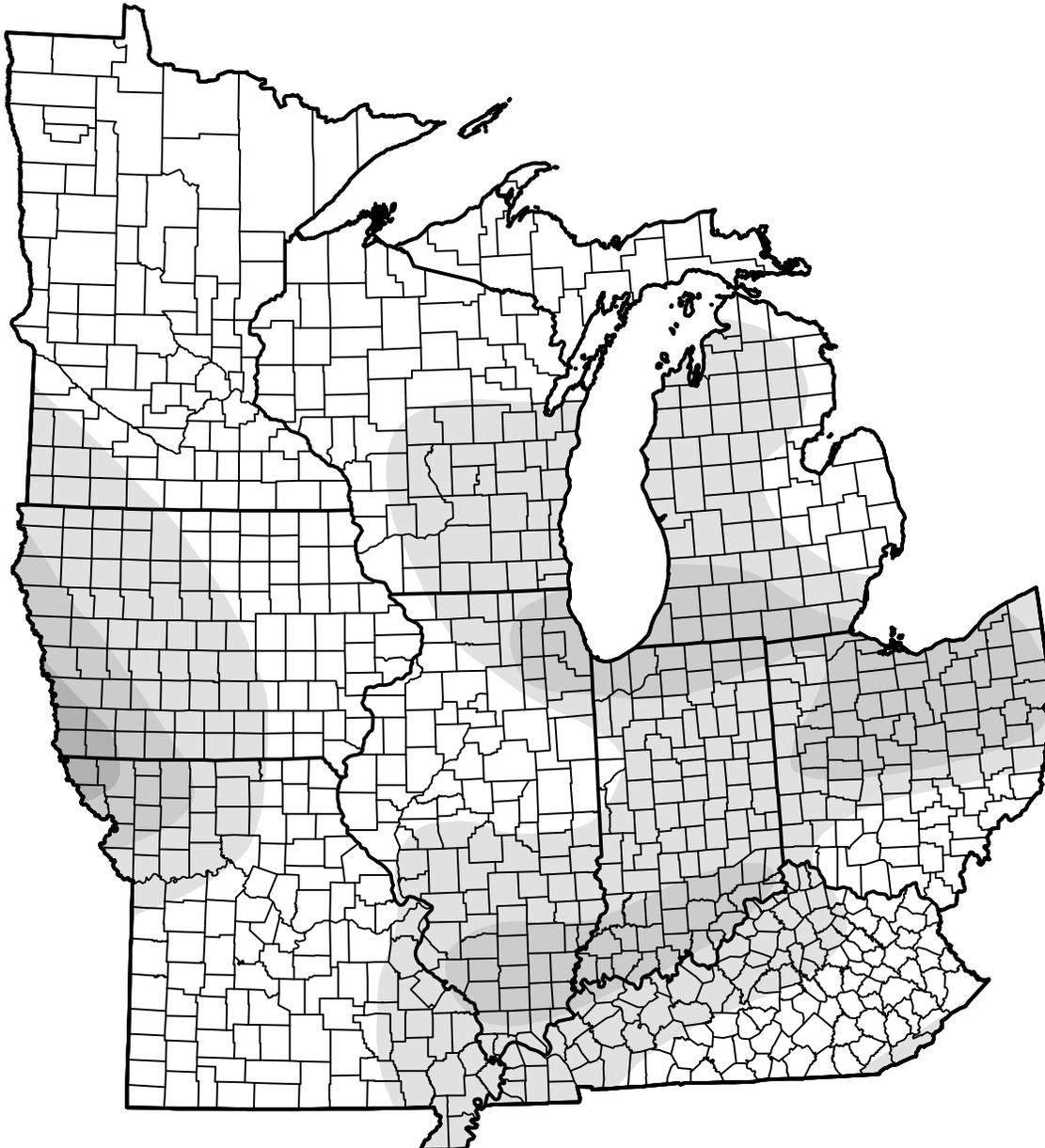


# U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	54.14	45.86	13.75	0.69	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-23-2002</i>	58.46	41.54	9.26	1.04	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-30-2002</i>	88.76	11.24	2.04	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>07-31-2001</i>	55.11	44.89	3.27	0.35	0.00	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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