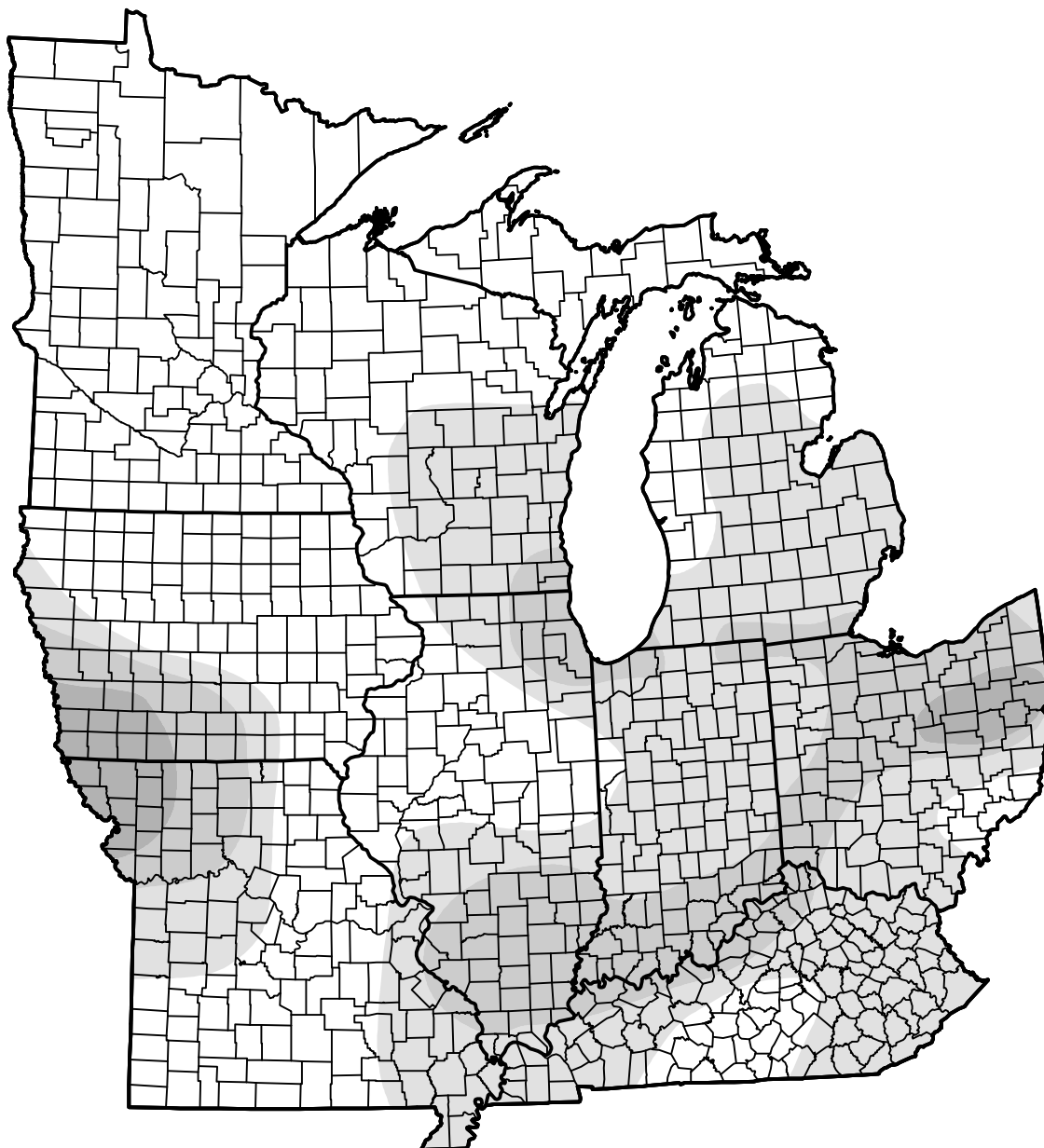


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	52.50	30.53	14.09	2.88	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-30-2002	54.14	32.10	13.06	0.69	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-07-2002	90.19	9.08	0.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2002	94.46	5.49	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-25-2001	92.30	6.30	0.80	0.61	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 08-07-2001	65.44	30.97	3.24	0.35	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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