

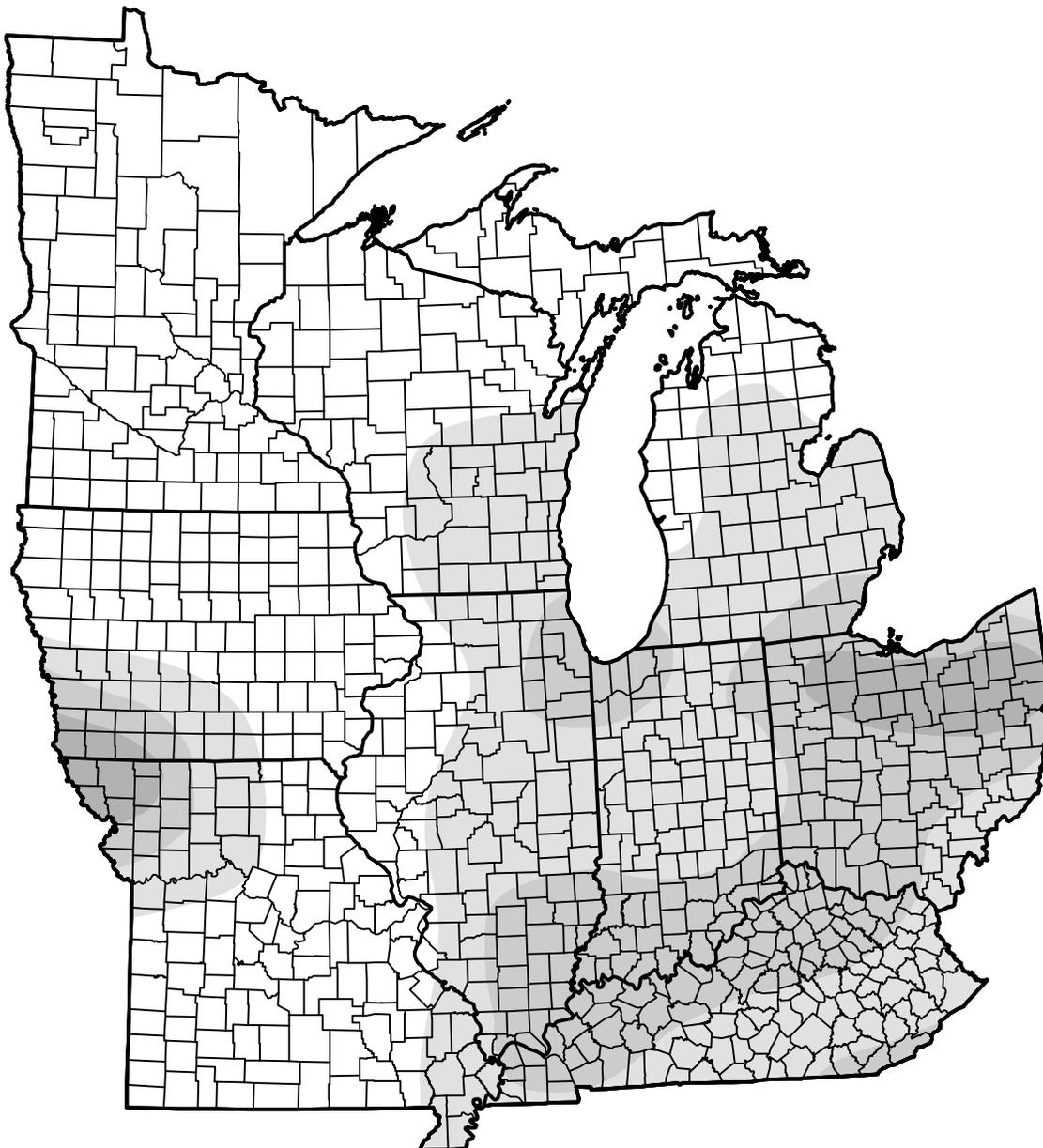
U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	51.85	48.15	20.47	3.30	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-06-2002</i>	52.50	47.50	16.97	2.88	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-14-2002</i>	98.84	1.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	94.46	5.54	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	92.30	7.70	1.40	0.61	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-14-2001</i>	63.93	36.07	8.34	1.39	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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