

U.S. Drought Monitor

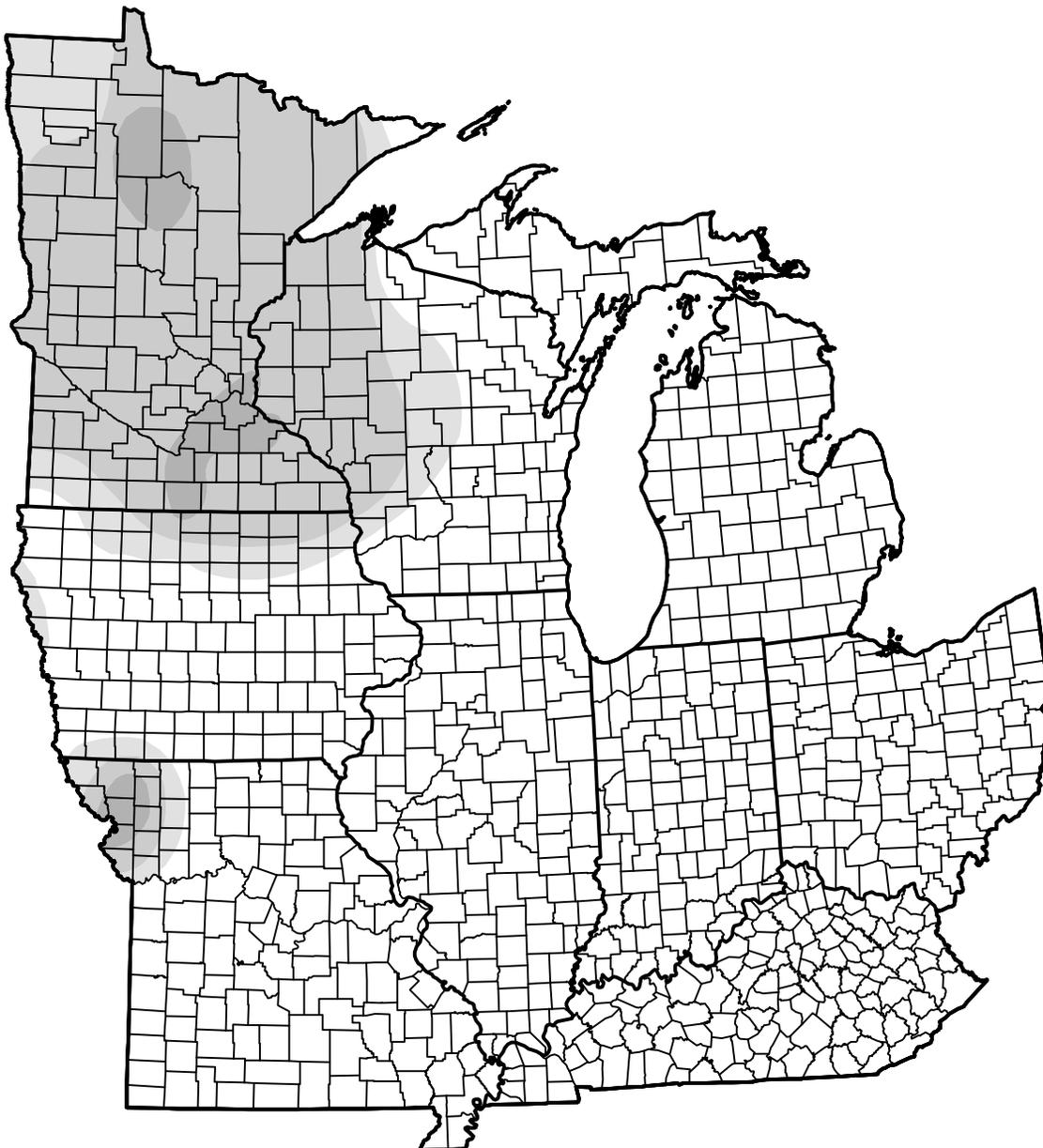
Midwest

March 16, 2004
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	74.47	5.46	17.65	2.43	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-09-2004</i>	73.46	6.47	17.65	2.43	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-16-2003</i>	62.40	11.01	14.98	7.34	4.28	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	63.10	11.75	13.36	7.25	4.54	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	44.04	16.14	25.16	12.14	2.52	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-18-2003</i>	29.73	8.21	43.63	15.88	2.54	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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