

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Midwest

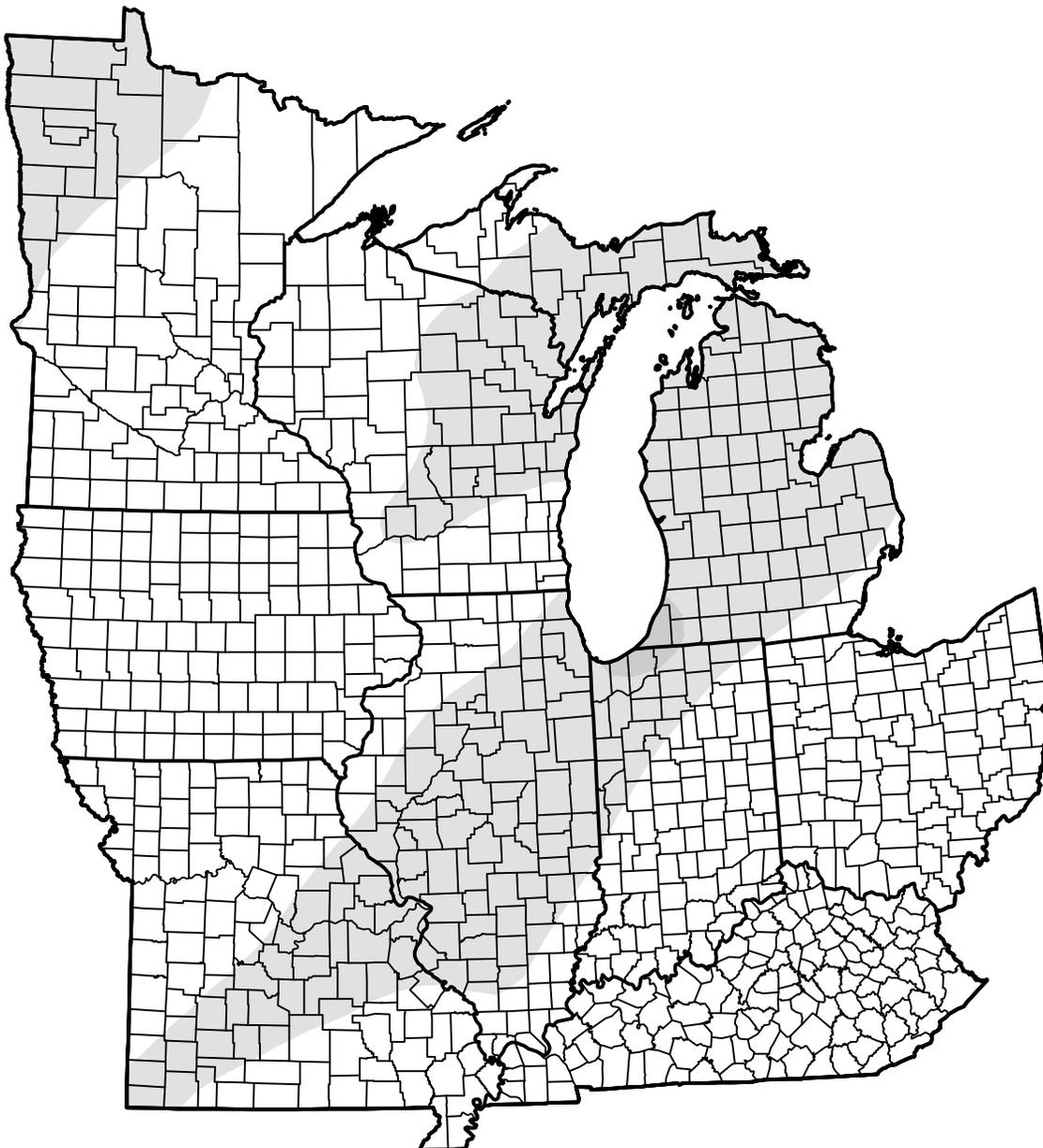
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	67.70	31.93	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-10-2005</i>	45.42	52.90	1.67	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-15-2005</i>	92.51	7.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	88.70	11.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	74.41	24.86	0.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-18-2004</i>	80.18	13.01	4.99	1.82	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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