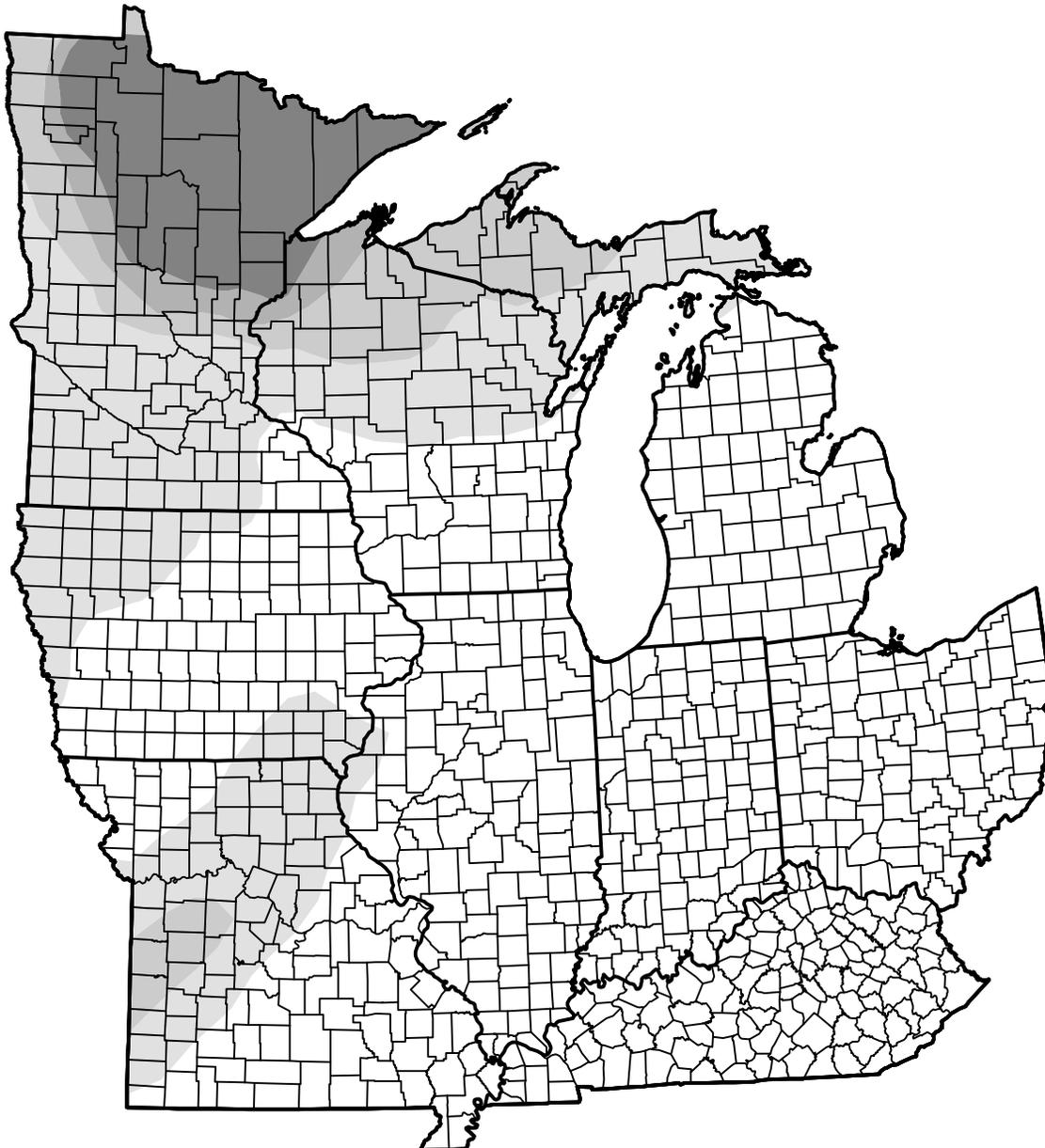


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	64.53	20.02	6.59	1.85	7.01	0.00
Last Week <i>11-28-2006</i>	61.80	16.23	11.13	3.83	7.01	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-05-2006</i>	57.55	19.50	12.99	5.34	4.62	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	58.15	19.10	13.13	6.61	3.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	63.58	15.62	10.50	2.56	7.73	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-06-2005</i>	56.88	19.34	12.36	7.98	3.44	0.00

Intensity:



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