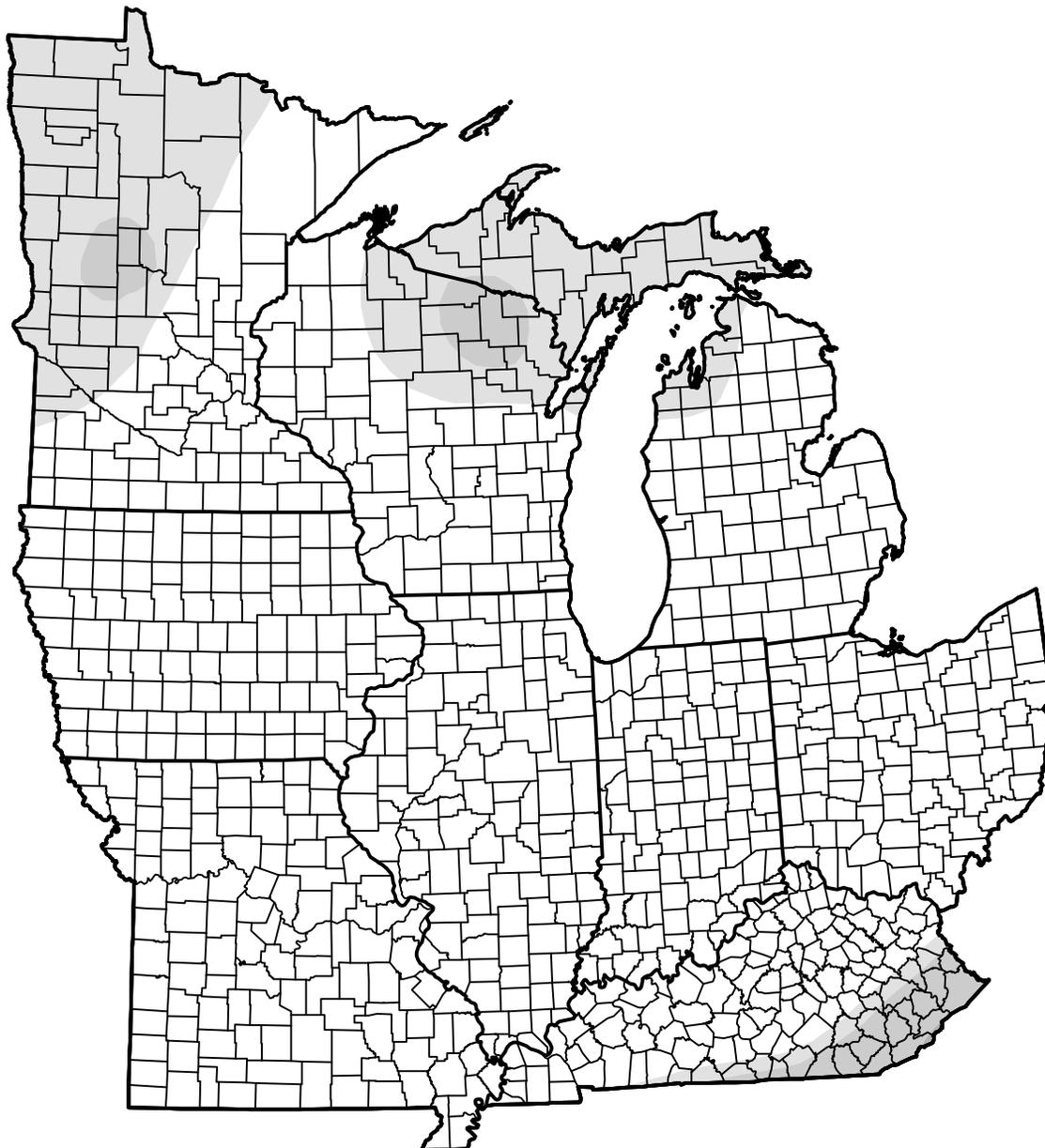


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Midwest

**February 5, 2008**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	82.69	17.31	2.85	0.03	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-29-2008</i>	79.05	20.95	2.85	0.69	0.02	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-06-2007</i>	63.26	36.74	12.97	2.97	1.25	0.13
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	75.99	24.01	6.60	0.78	0.40	0.01
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2007</i>	45.07	54.93	40.68	23.72	10.15	0.61
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-06-2007</i>	64.86	35.14	16.18	11.11	7.07	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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