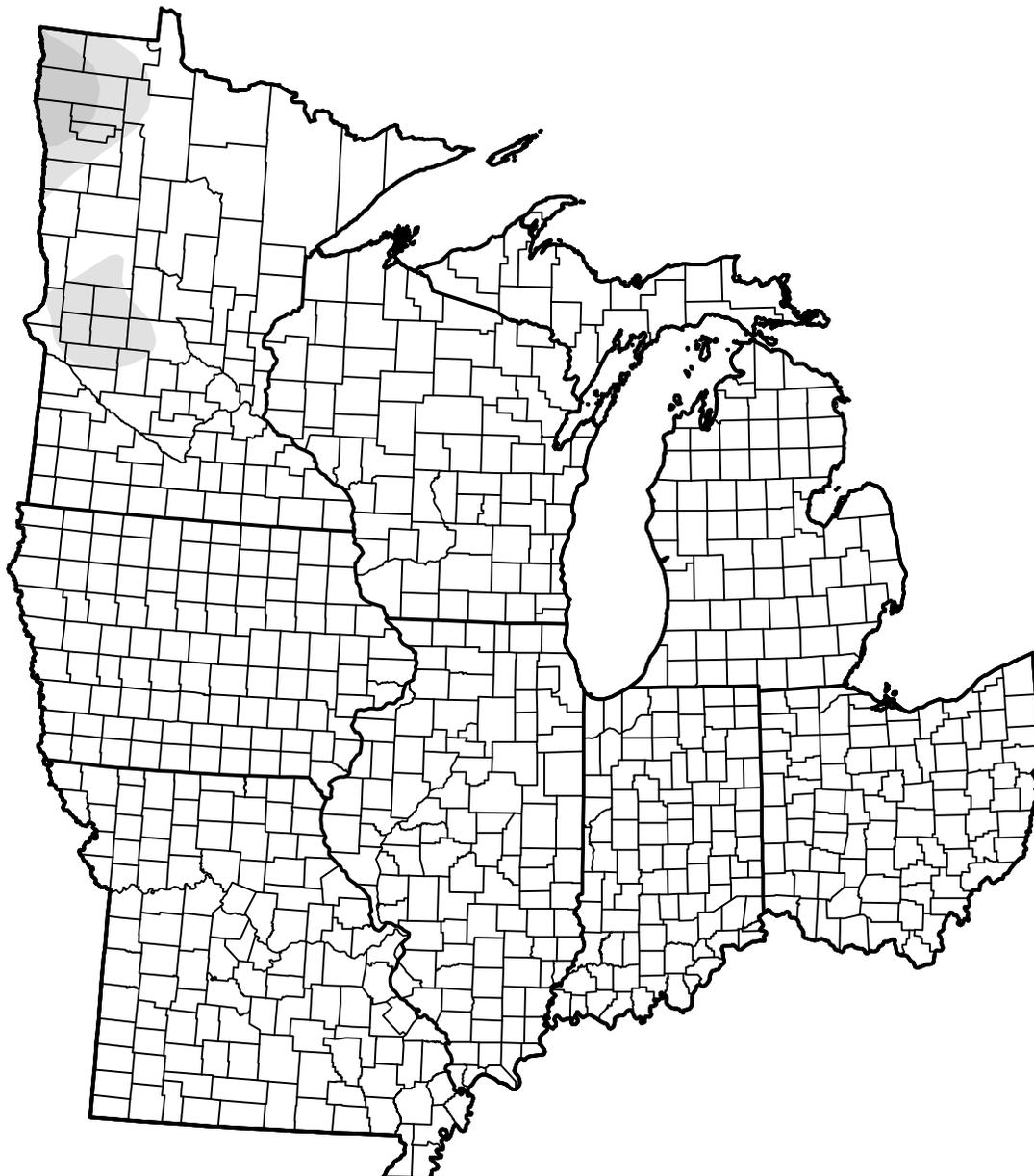


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	97.04	2.96	0.72	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-13-2008</i>	96.70	3.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-19-2008</i>	85.78	14.22	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	76.28	23.72	5.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2007</i>	49.04	50.96	35.45	17.00	3.36	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-22-2007</i>	73.58	26.42	13.64	7.20	2.10	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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