

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Midwest

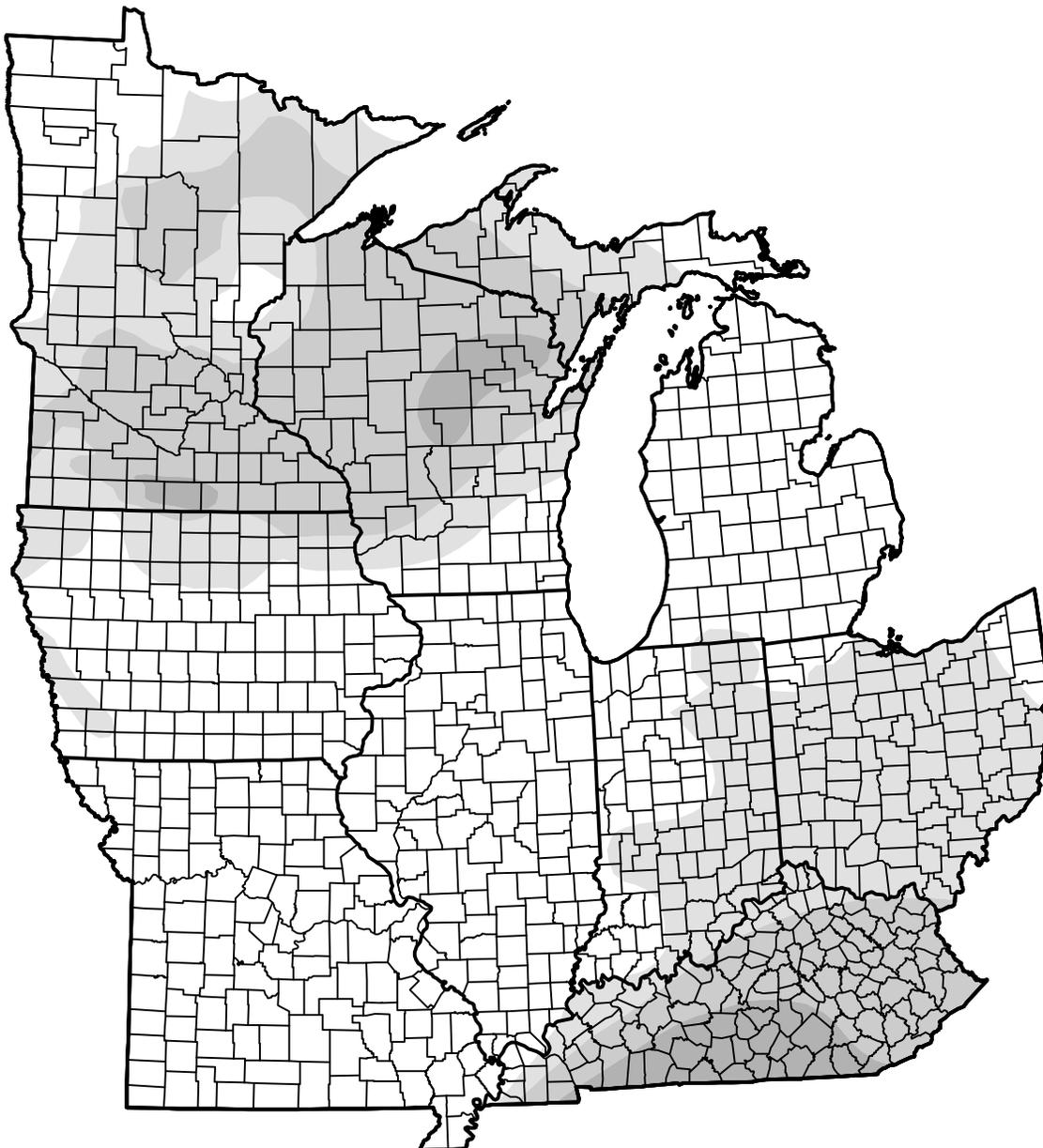
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	53.12	23.92	19.53	3.43	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-23-2008</i>	56.71	20.42	21.22	1.65	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-01-2008</i>	96.17	3.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	75.99	17.41	5.82	0.38	0.38	0.01
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2008</i>	53.12	23.92	19.53	3.43	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-02-2007</i>	46.28	14.38	20.54	10.19	7.42	1.19



### 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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