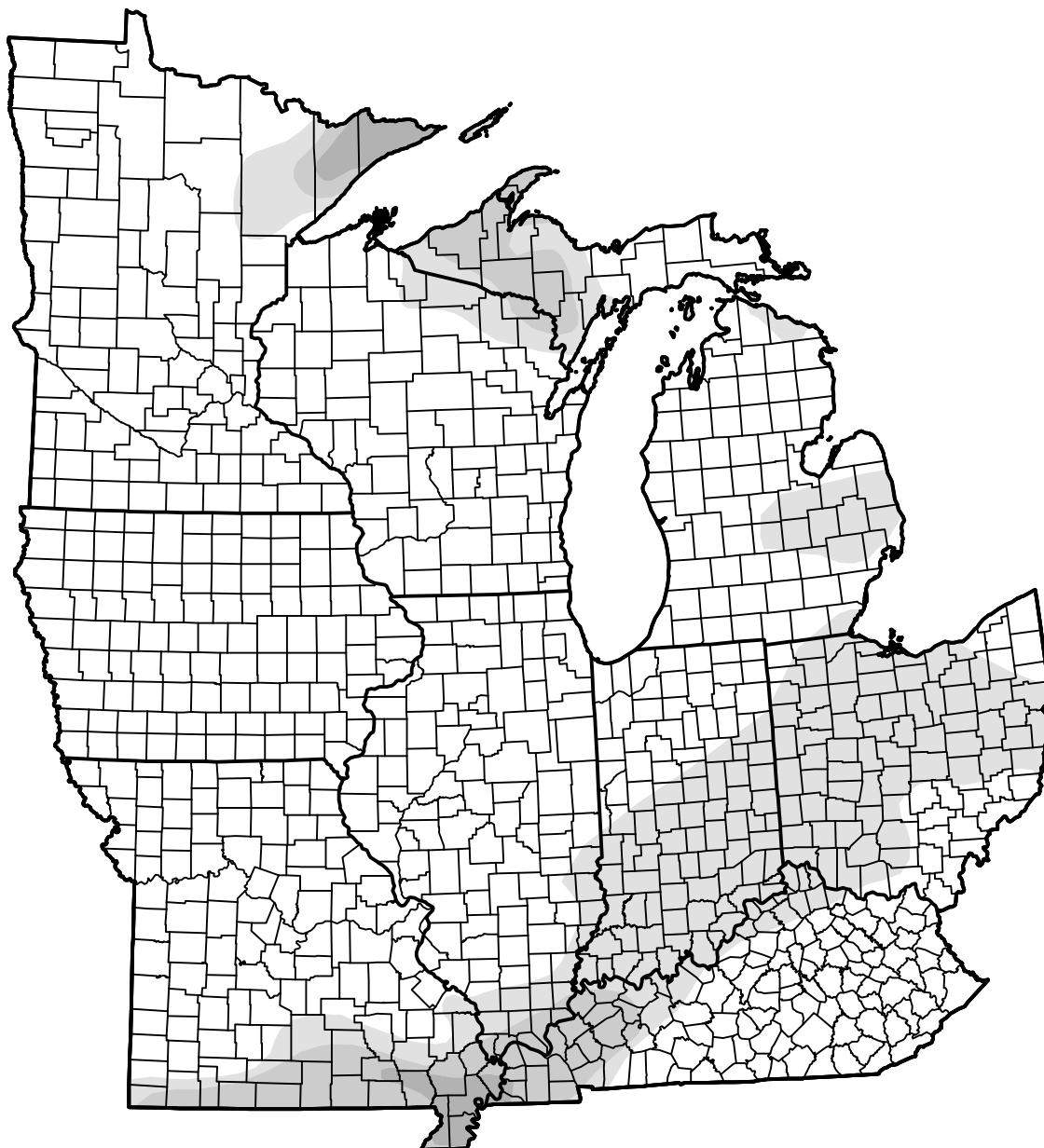


U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	76.56	17.41	4.85	1.17	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-31-2010</i>	71.80	21.23	6.10	0.87	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-08-2010</i>	78.98	8.52	5.23	4.40	2.87	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	88.70	7.82	2.69	0.80	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	67.63	17.09	8.25	5.75	1.27	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-08-2009</i>	73.18	18.06	7.16	1.60	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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