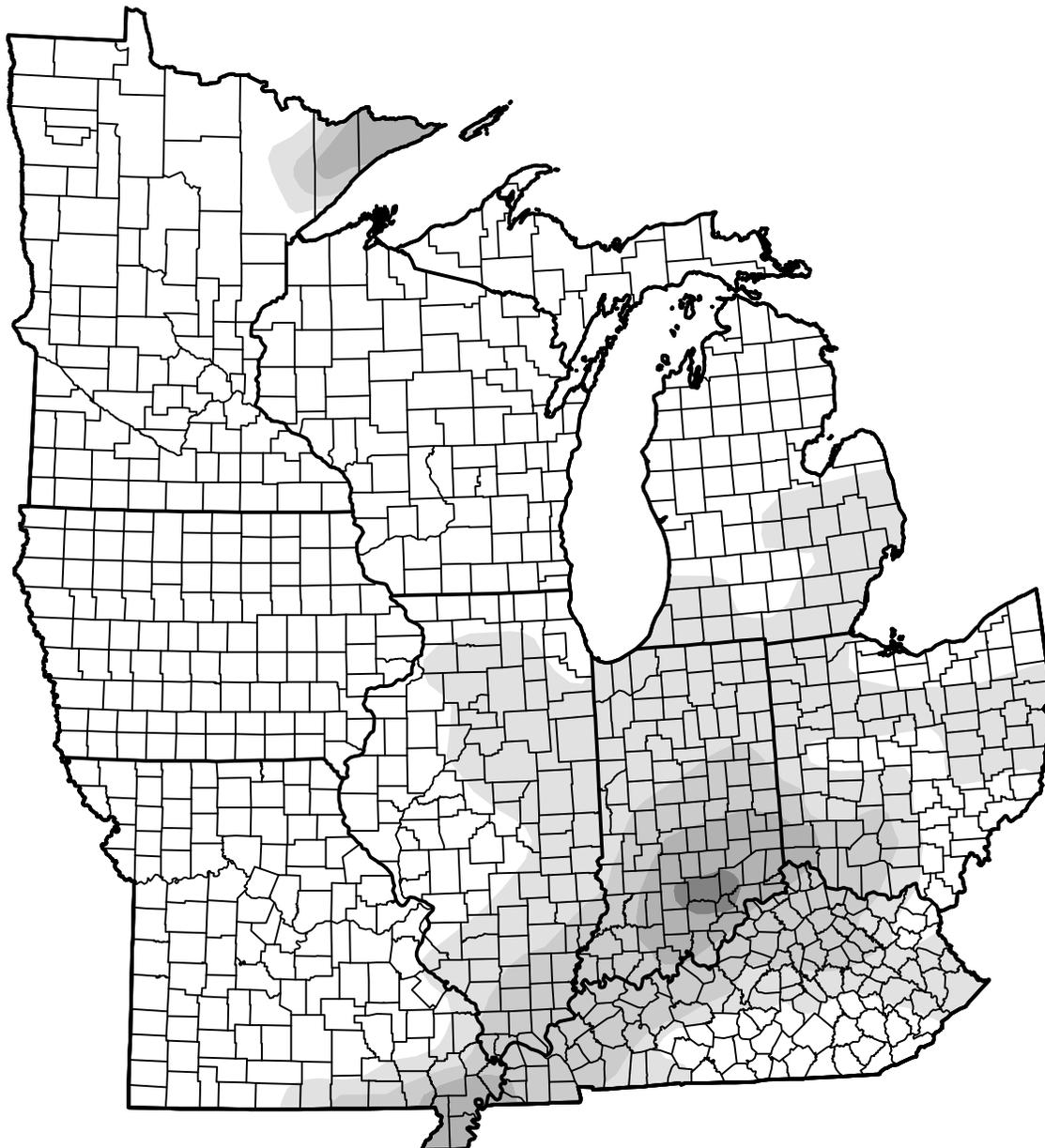


U.S. Drought Monitor

Midwest

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	69.75	18.73	8.14	3.09	0.30	0.00
Last Week <i>10-05-2010</i>	76.05	14.03	7.25	2.68	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-13-2010</i>	81.18	10.70	5.97	2.16	0.00	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>09-28-2010</i>	74.54	15.85	6.93	2.68	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-13-2009</i>	78.51	12.95	5.59	2.46	0.49	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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