

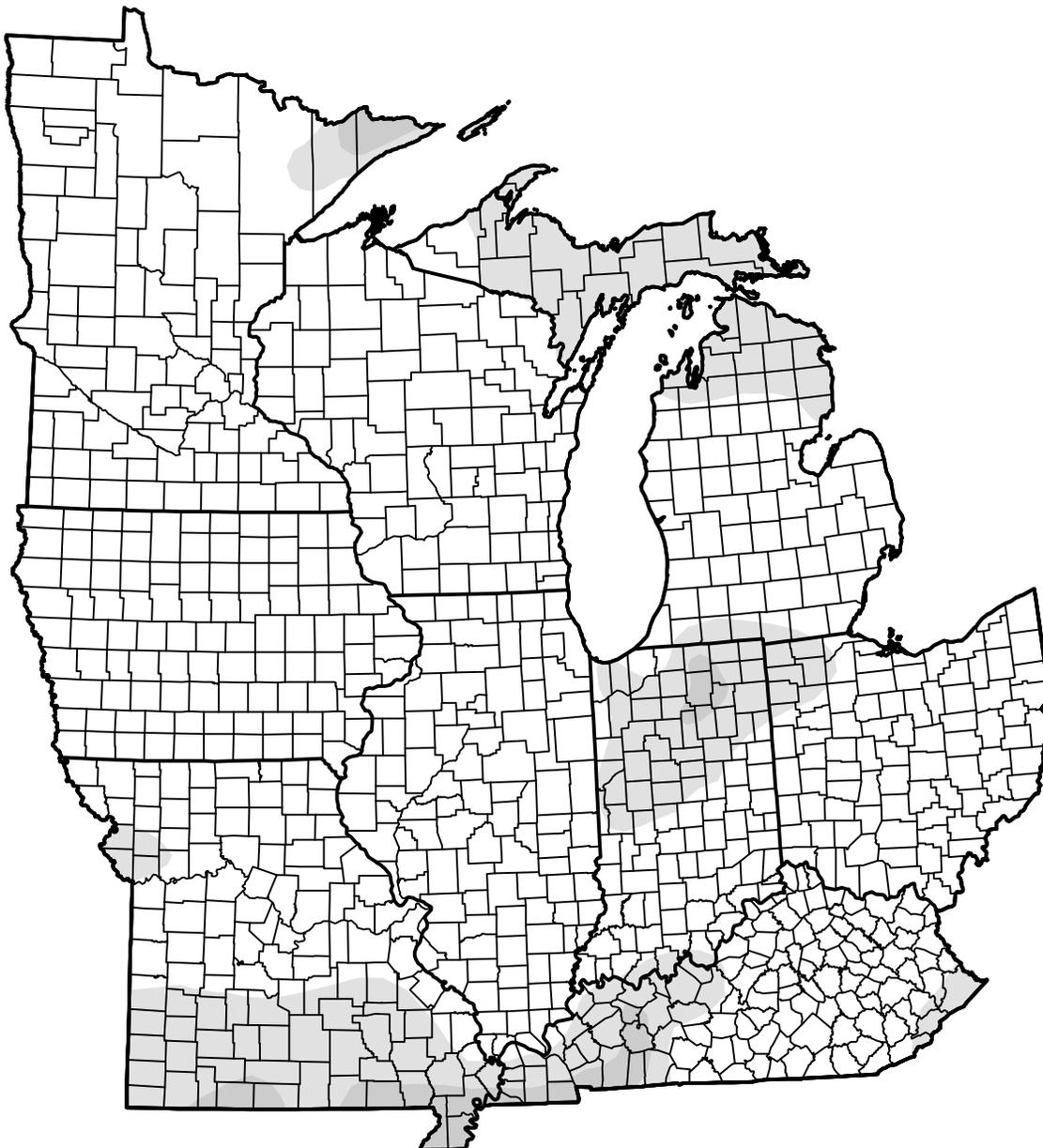
# U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest

**March 1, 2011**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	82.32	17.68	2.17	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-22-2011</i>	78.32	21.68	5.19	1.26	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-30-2010</i>	74.50	25.50	8.33	2.33	0.37	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	79.90	20.10	4.91	1.31	0.29	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	74.54	25.46	9.61	2.68	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-02-2010</i>	89.84	10.16	3.08	0.45	0.00	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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