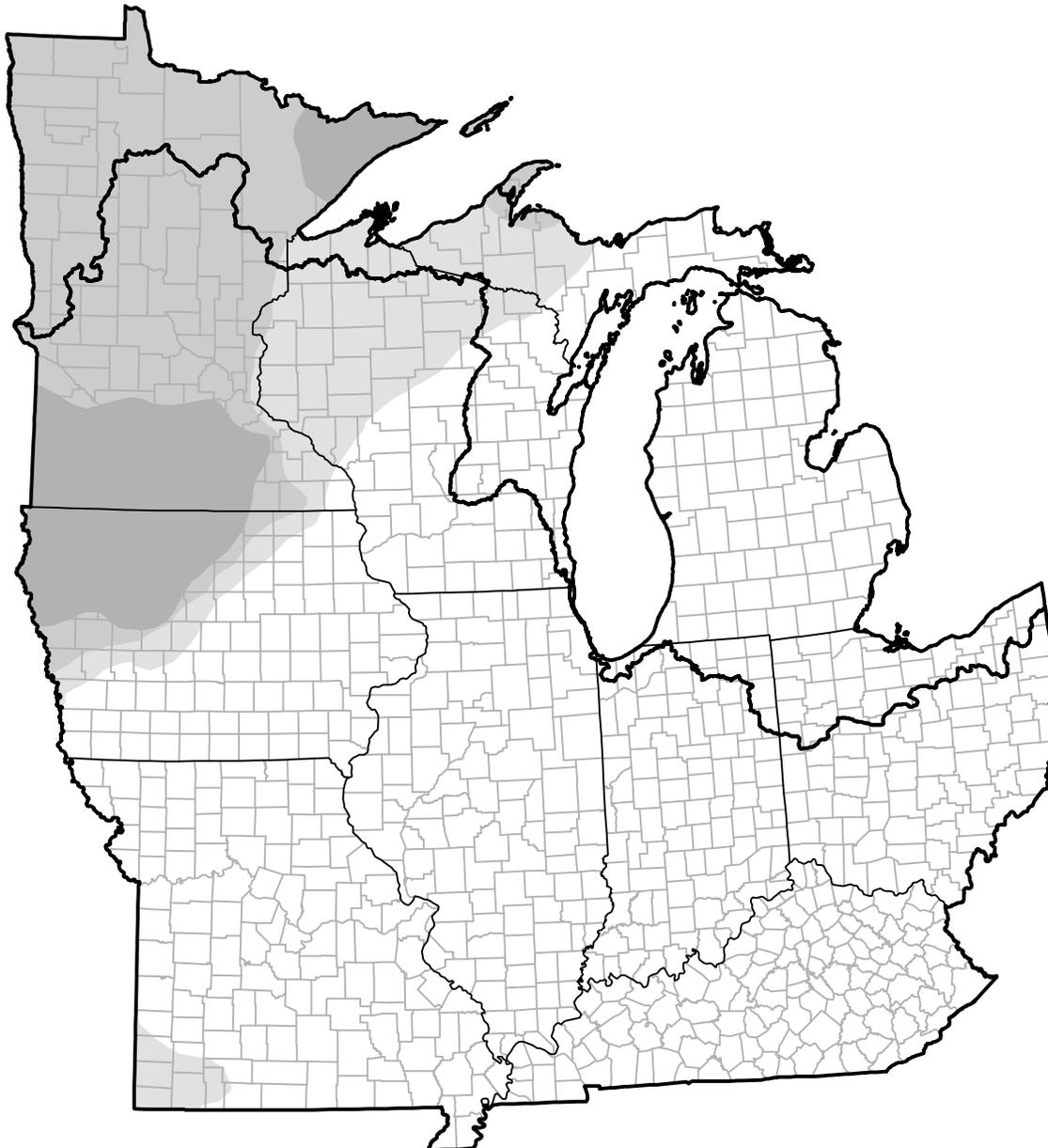


# U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest RDEWS

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	75.01	24.99	16.99	7.84	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-19-2012</i>	75.11	24.89	11.90	7.84	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-27-2011</i>	58.36	41.64	23.82	9.98	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	75.13	24.87	11.90	7.84	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	57.72	42.28	15.57	5.33	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-27-2011</i>	71.65	28.35	6.58	1.68	0.39	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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