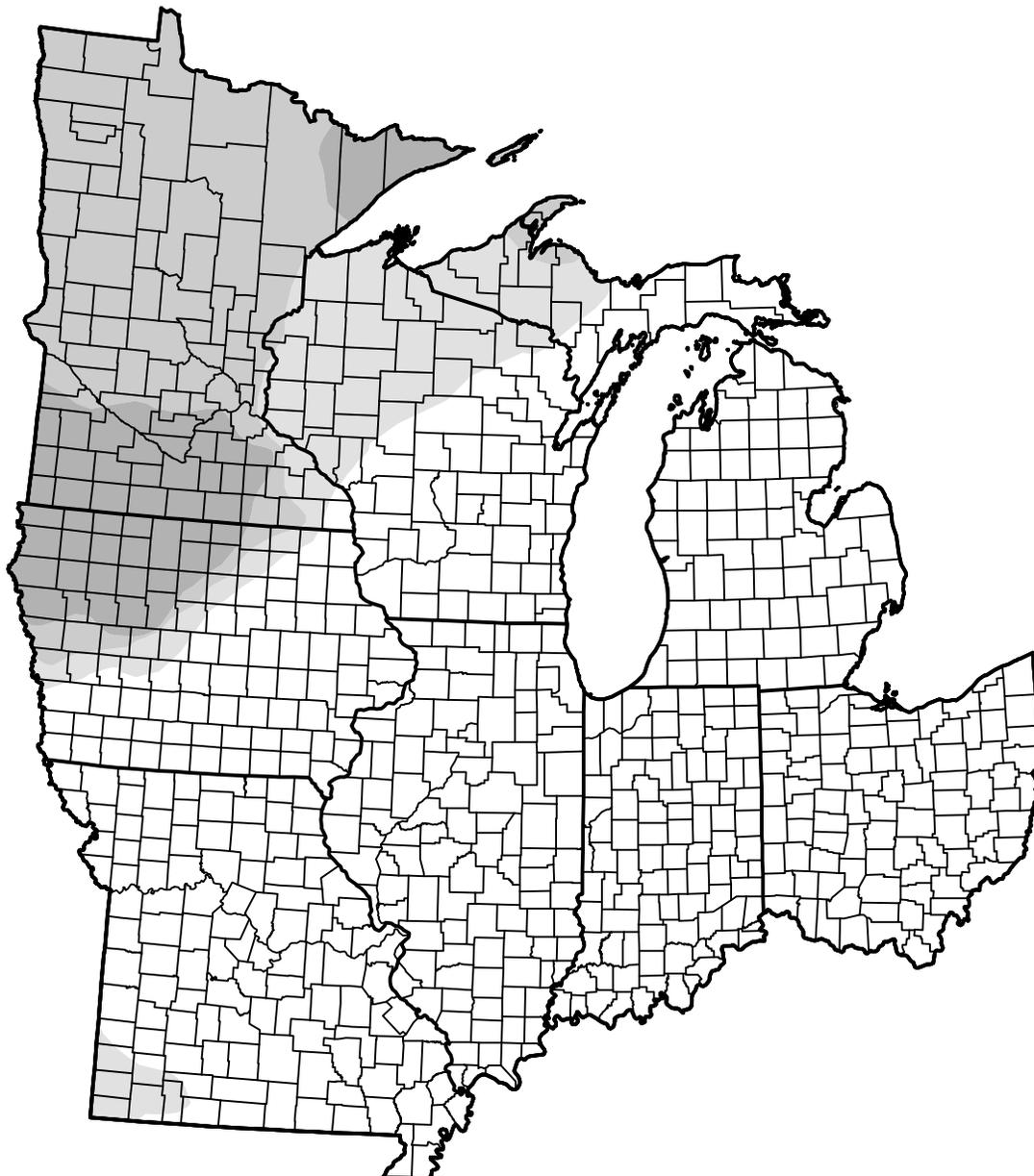


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Midwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	69.33	30.67	21.80	7.40	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-14-2012</i>	69.33	30.67	21.80	7.40	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-22-2011</i>	55.19	44.81	20.16	7.12	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	69.36	30.64	14.65	7.40	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	56.39	43.61	15.24	5.47	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-22-2011</i>	80.02	19.98	3.27	0.71	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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