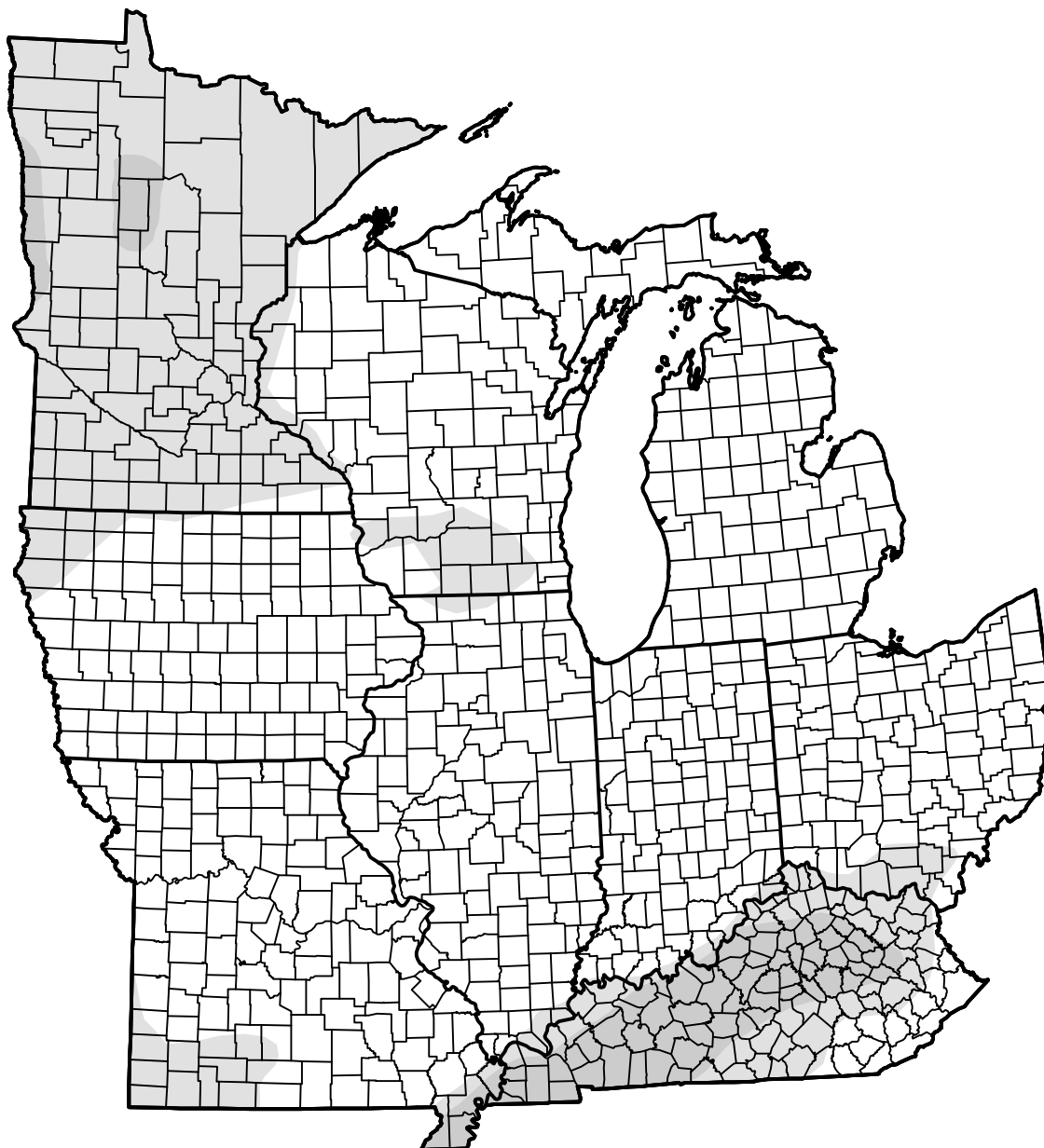


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	70.70	29.30	5.48	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-10-2015</i>	70.70	29.30	5.48	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-18-2014</i>	88.84	11.16	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	83.08	16.92	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	90.69	9.31	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-18-2014</i>	65.34	34.66	17.24	2.49	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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

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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