

U.S. Drought Monitor

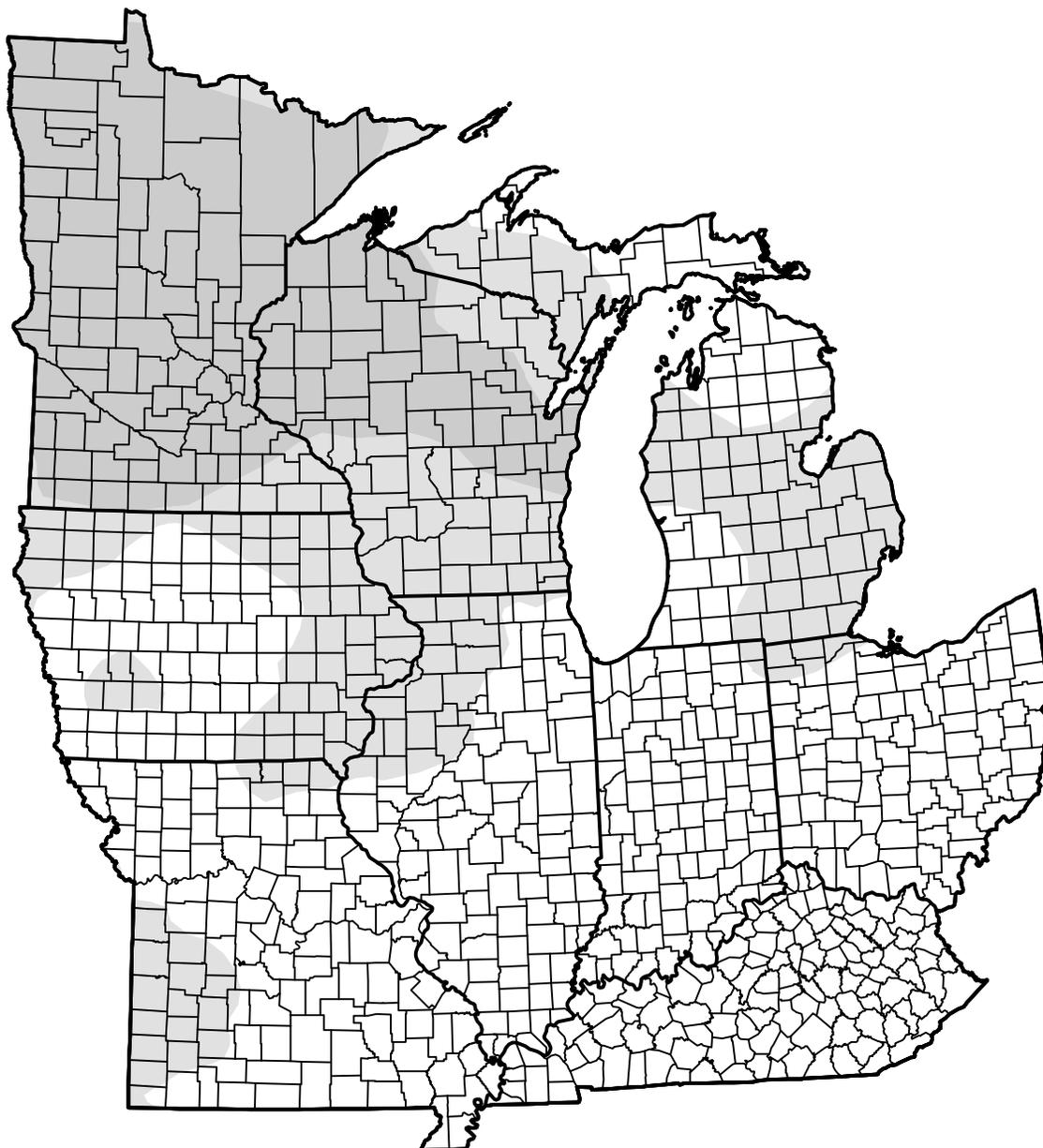
Midwest

March 31, 2015
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	54.11	24.04	21.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-24-2015</i>	61.59	22.03	16.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-30-2014</i>	83.08	16.80	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	83.08	16.80	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	90.69	8.93	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-01-2014</i>	59.43	27.05	12.75	0.77	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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