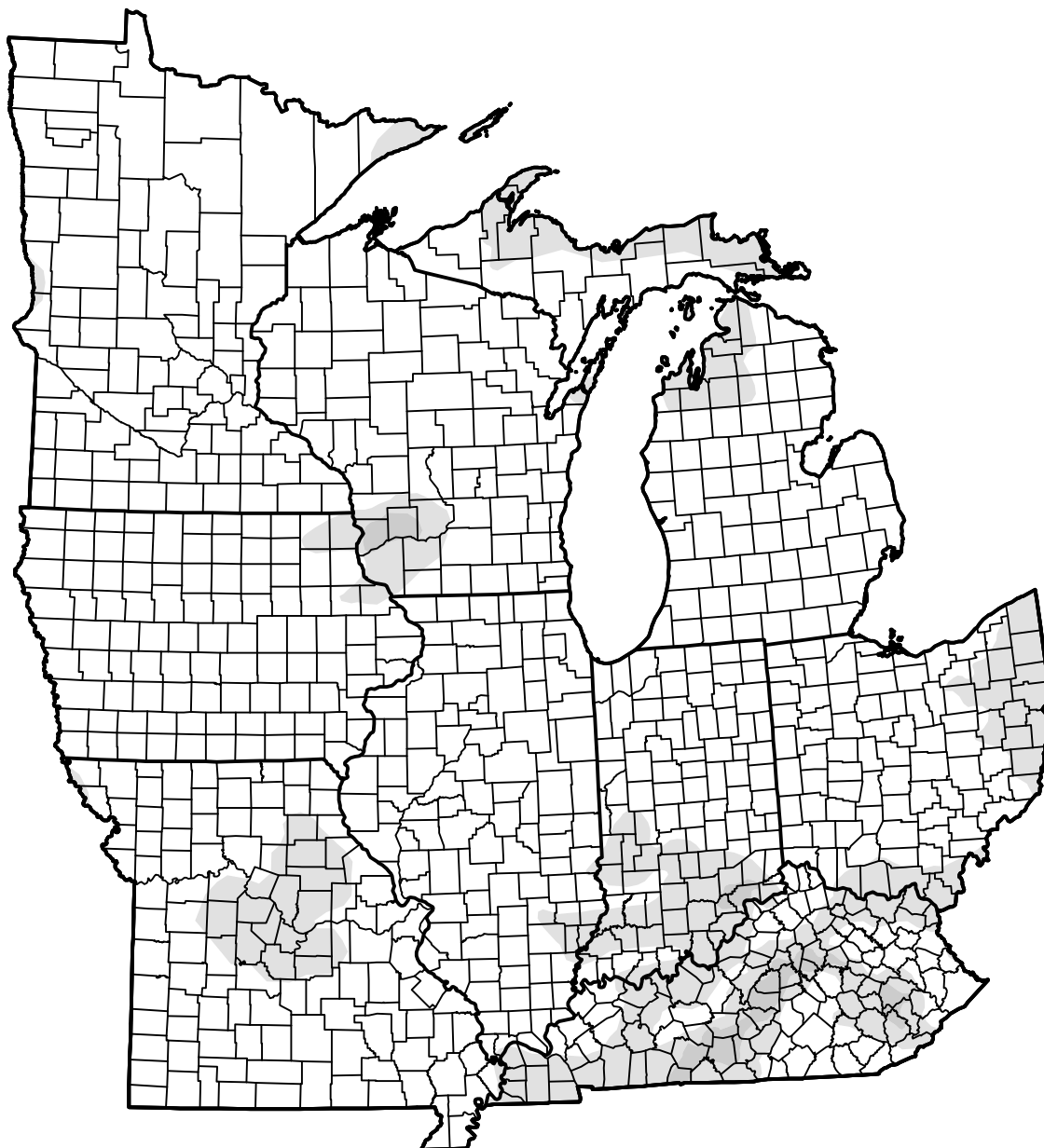


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	84.97	15.03	1.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-15-2015</i>	88.35	11.65	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-23-2015</i>	90.05	9.95	0.91	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>09-23-2014</i>	94.24	5.76	0.25	0.00	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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