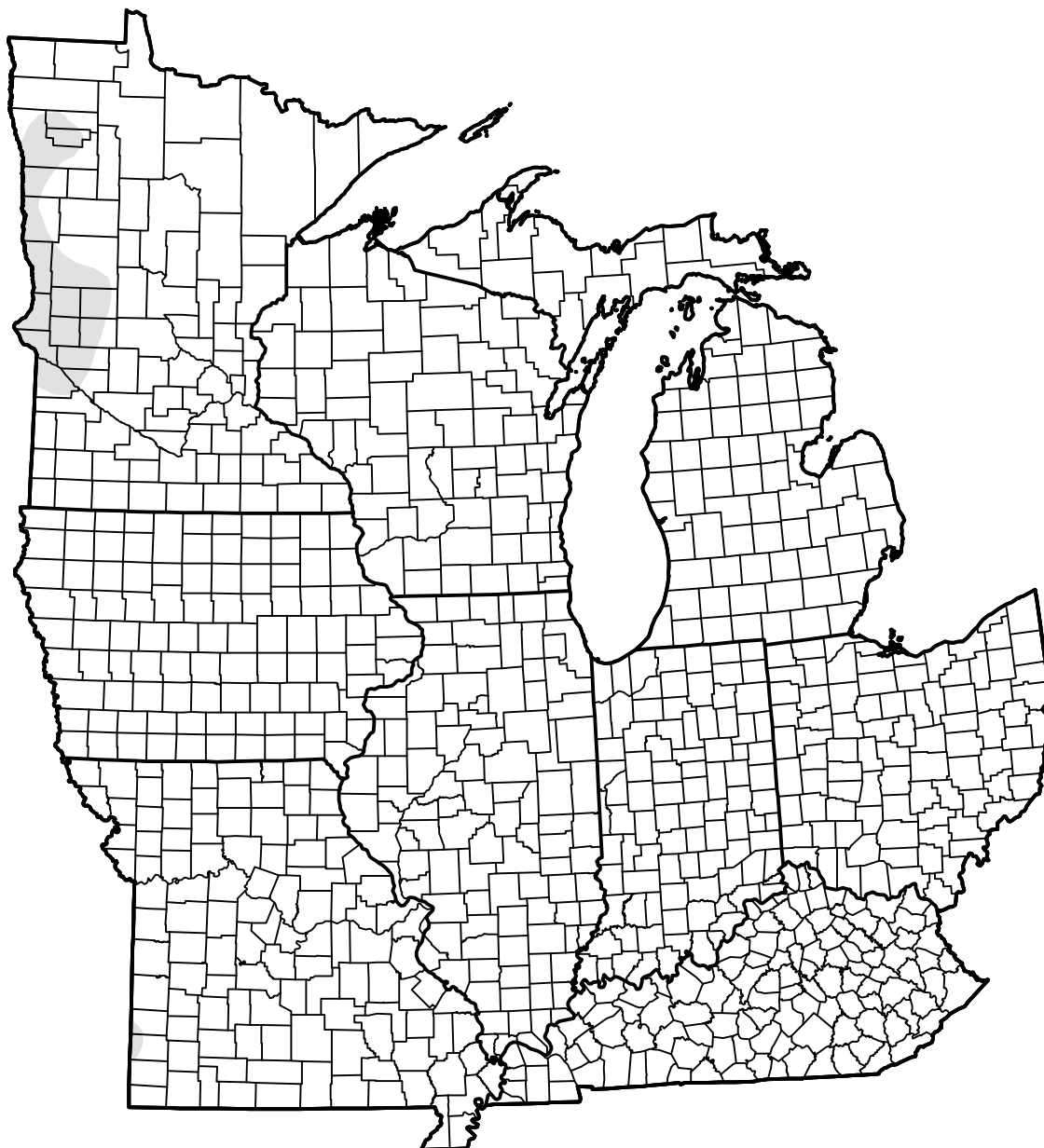


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	98.11	1.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-15-2016</i>	97.80	2.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-22-2015</i>	87.40	12.60	2.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	88.07	11.93	2.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	79.46	20.54	1.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-24-2015</i>	61.59	38.41	16.38	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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