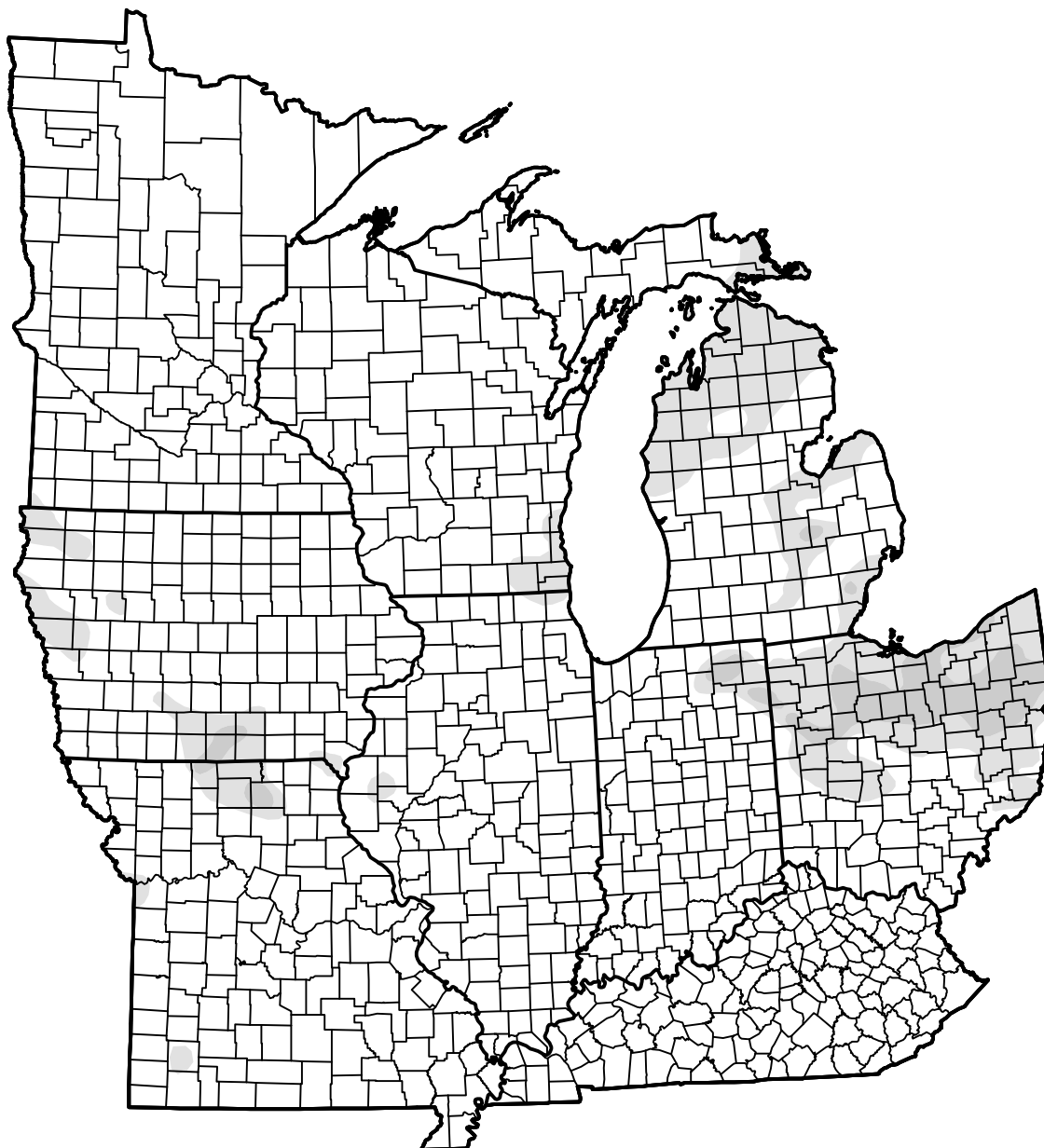


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	88.52	9.27	2.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-16-2016</i>	86.50	10.84	2.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-24-2016</i>	90.82	9.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	88.07	9.59	2.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	79.46	19.50	1.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-25-2015</i>	91.38	7.38	1.24	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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

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