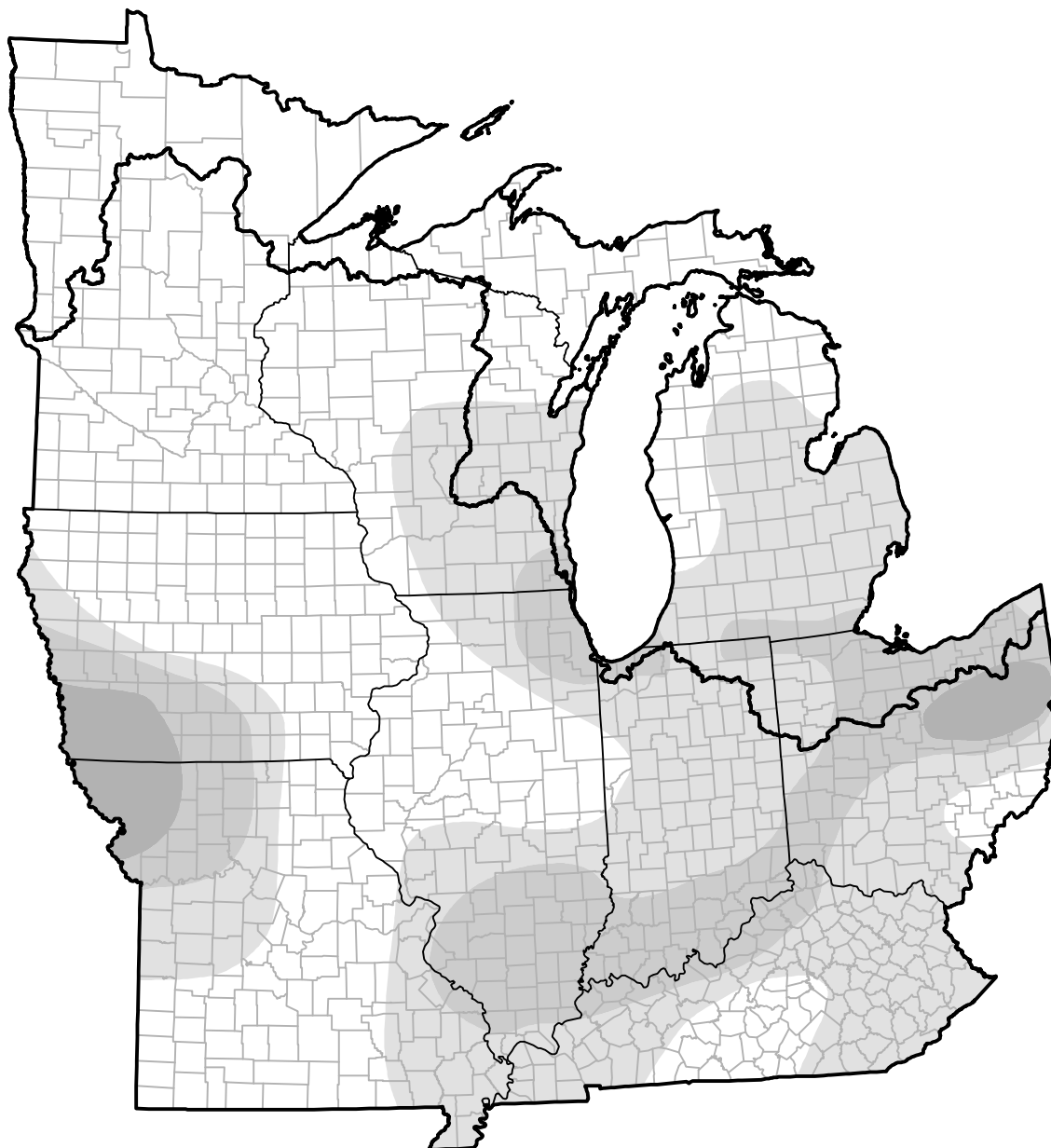


West RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	52.50	47.50	16.97	2.89	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-01-2002</i>	54.15	45.85	13.75	0.69	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-09-2002</i>	90.19	9.81	0.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	94.47	5.53	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	92.30	7.70	1.40	0.61	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-09-2001</i>	65.44	34.56	3.59	0.35	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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