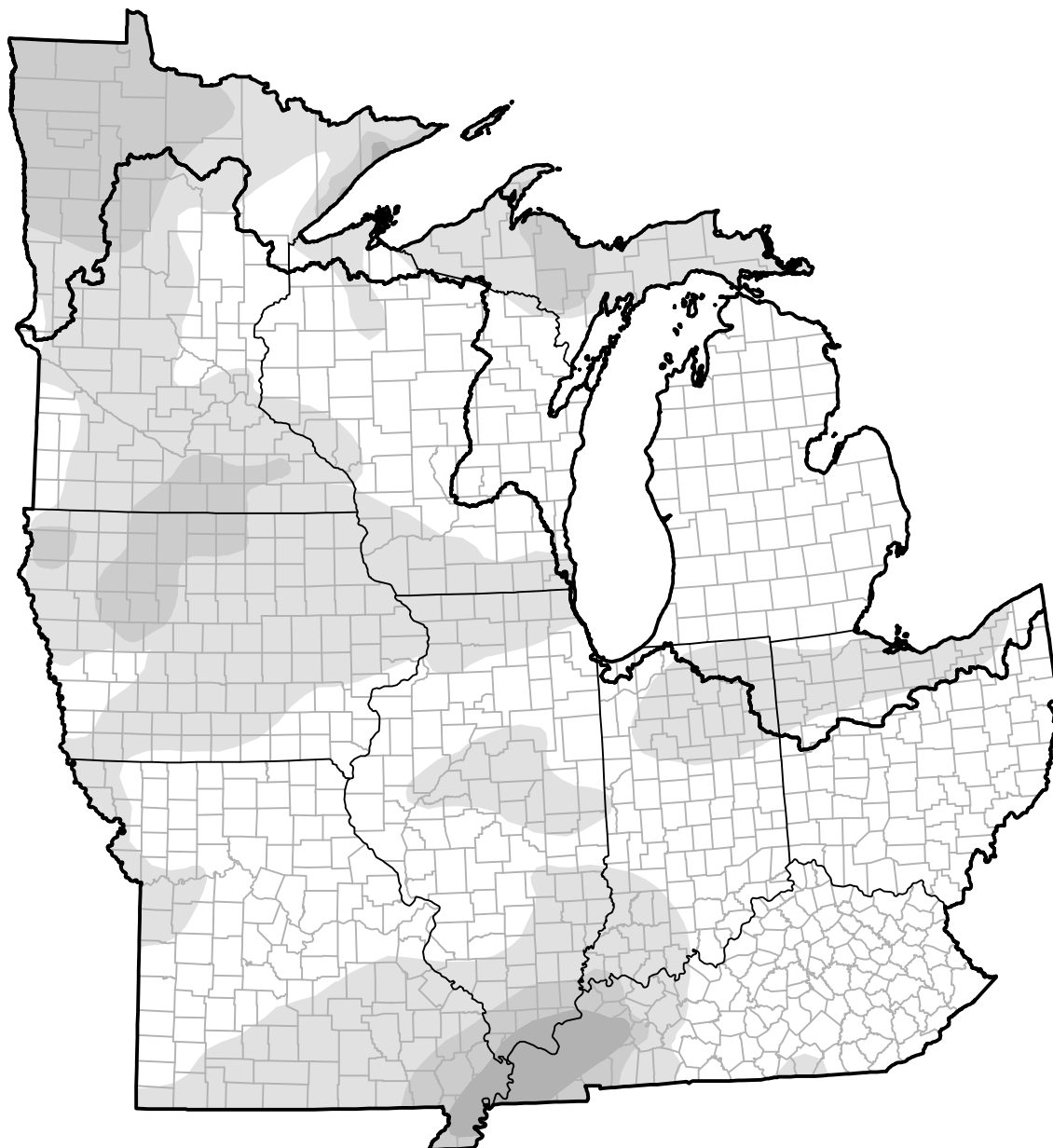


U.S. Drought Monitor Midwest RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	53.71	38.17	6.23	1.90	0.00	0.00
Last Week 05-17-2012	71.22	21.54	6.45	0.80	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-23-2012	75.10	7.95	9.11	7.84	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	75.13	12.97	4.06	7.84	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	57.72	26.72	10.23	5.33	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 05-26-2011	100.00	0.00	0.00	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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