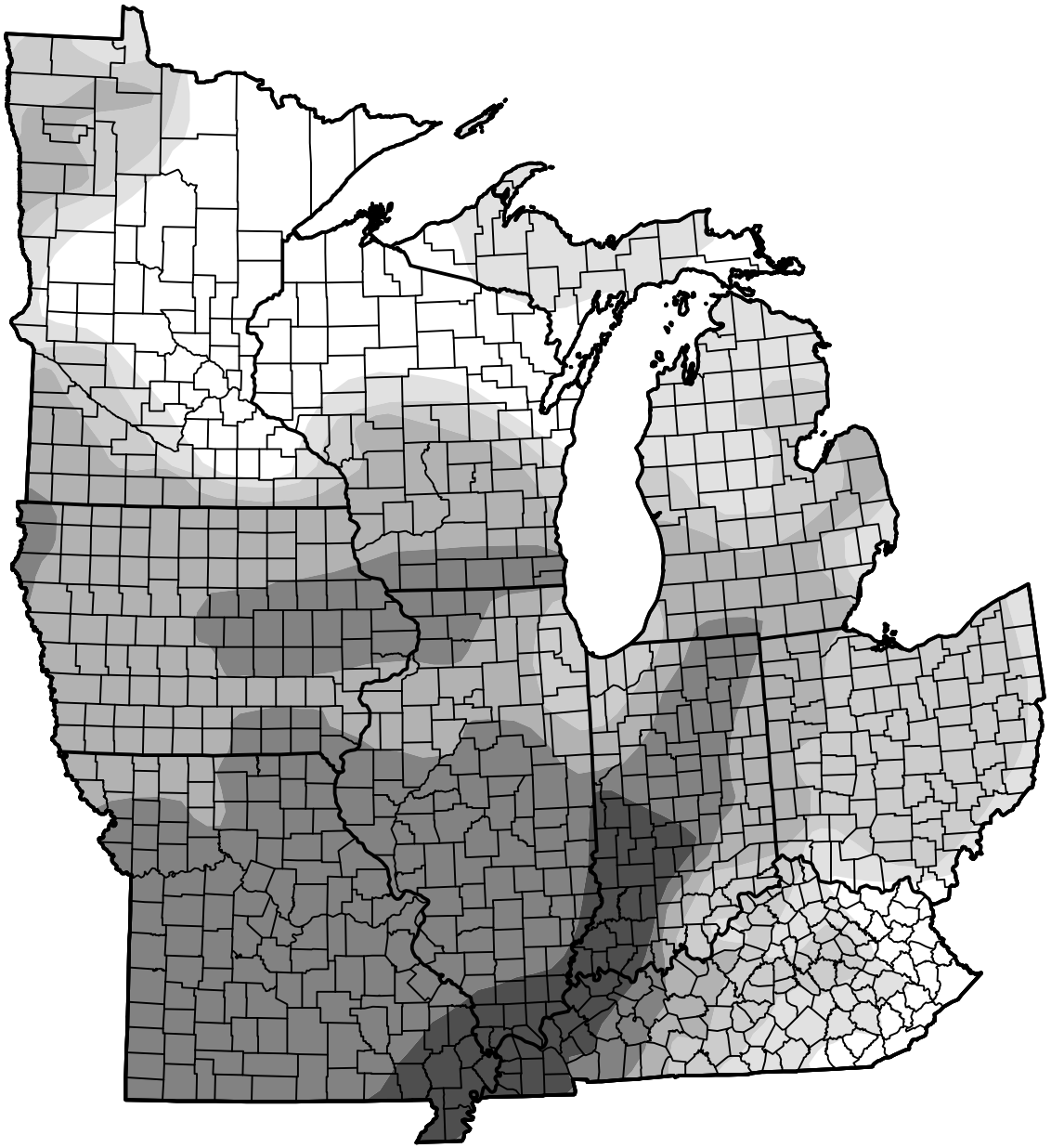
U.S. Drought Monitor

Midwest Climate Region



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	17.22	82.78	71.01	55.41	31.80	4.96
Last Week *07-24-2012*	13.13	86.87	73.69	55.53	28.92	4.33
3 Months Ago *05-01-2012*	56.78	43.22	16.58	5.35	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-03-2012*	71.84	28.16	13.47	6.80	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-27-2011*	58.85	41.15	14.01	5.03	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago *08-02-2011*	62.16	37.84	5.19	0.52	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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