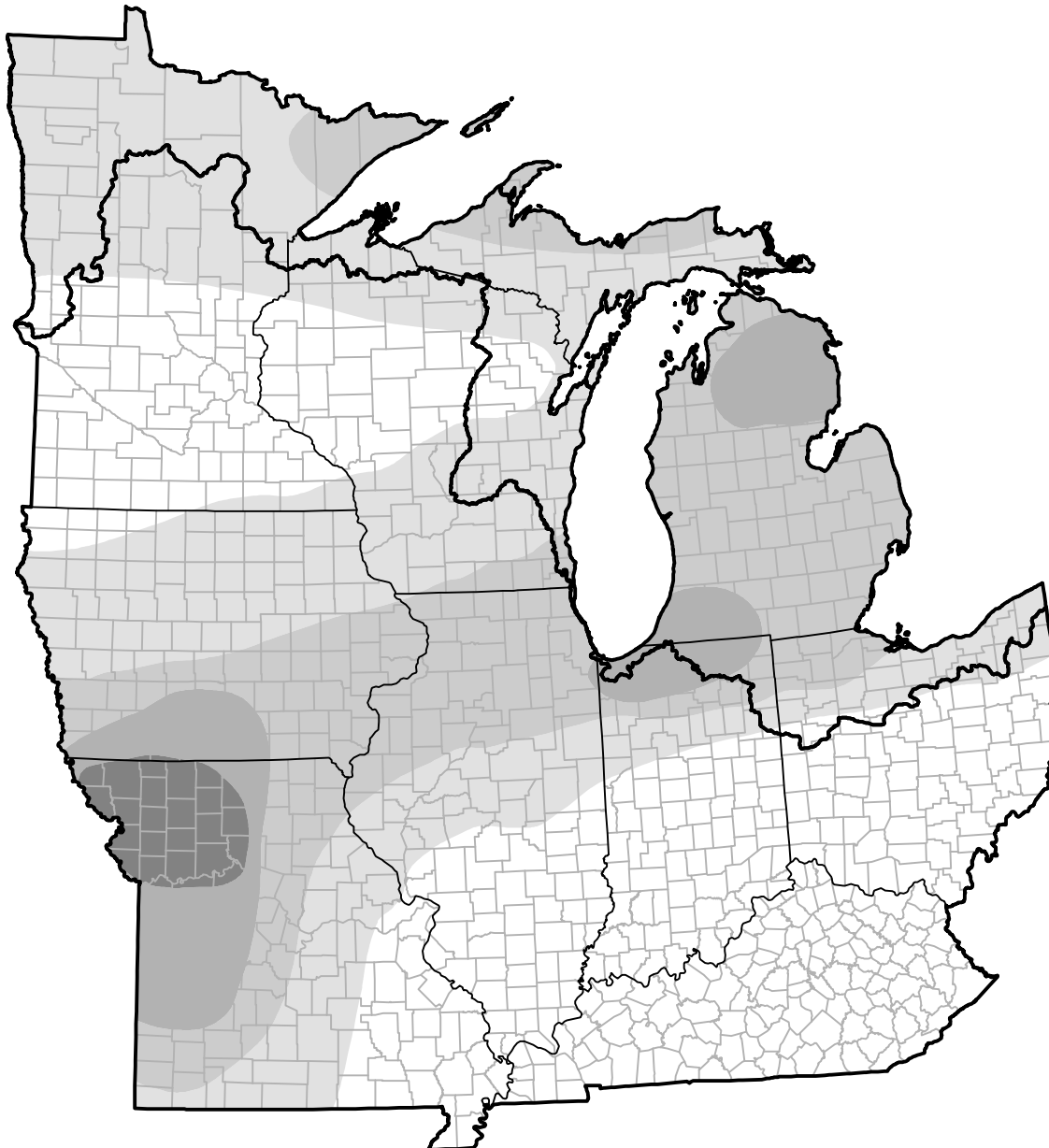


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	50.02	49.98	24.16	8.77	2.97	0.00
Last Week <i>01-02-2003</i>	59.13	40.87	21.22	6.50	1.62	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-10-2002</i>	63.80	36.20	7.39	1.83	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	59.13	40.87	21.22	6.50	1.62	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	58.03	41.97	12.58	3.81	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-10-2002</i>	86.19	13.81	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



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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