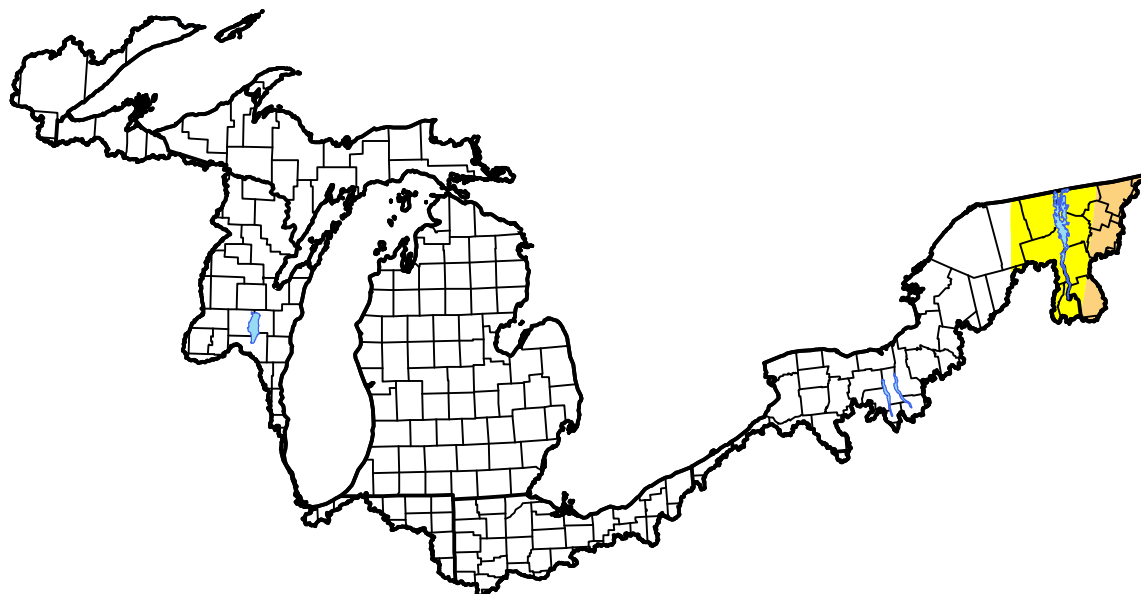


U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Lakes Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	92.88	7.12	2.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-20-2001</i>	88.29	11.71	2.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-27-2001</i>	64.41	35.59	9.87	4.84	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	94.02	5.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	64.41	35.59	9.87	4.84	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-28-2000</i>	89.42	10.58	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

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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