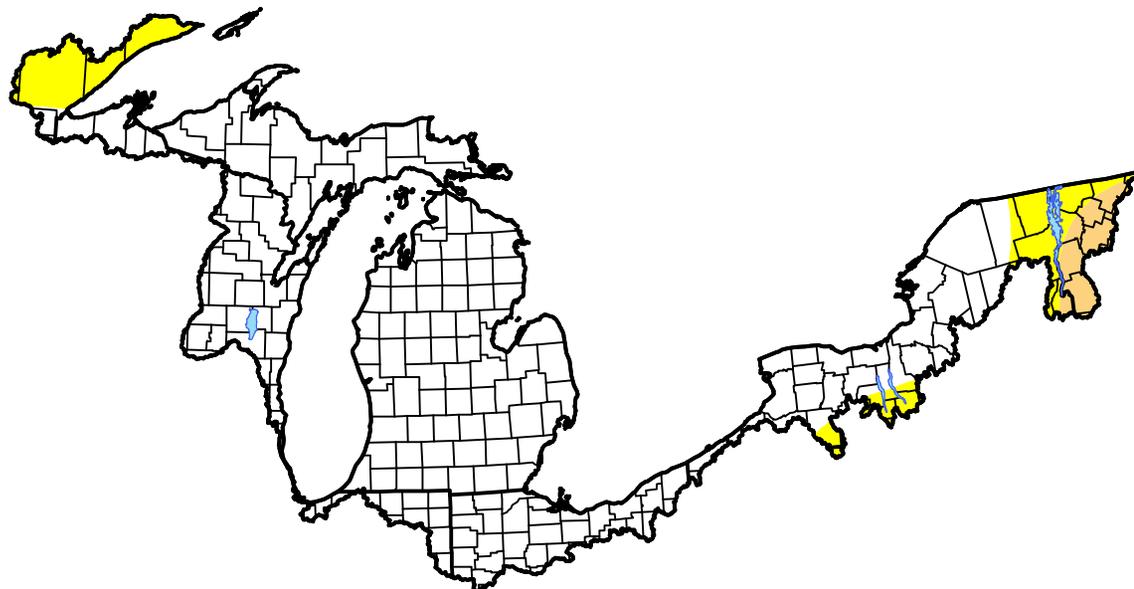


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Lakes Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	87.33	9.64	3.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-28-2002</i>	87.32	9.93	2.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-06-2001</i>	87.41	8.28	4.31	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	92.92	5.10	1.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2001</i>	64.41	25.72	5.03	4.84	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-08-2001</i>	98.61	1.39	0.00	0.00	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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