

# U.S. Drought Monitor

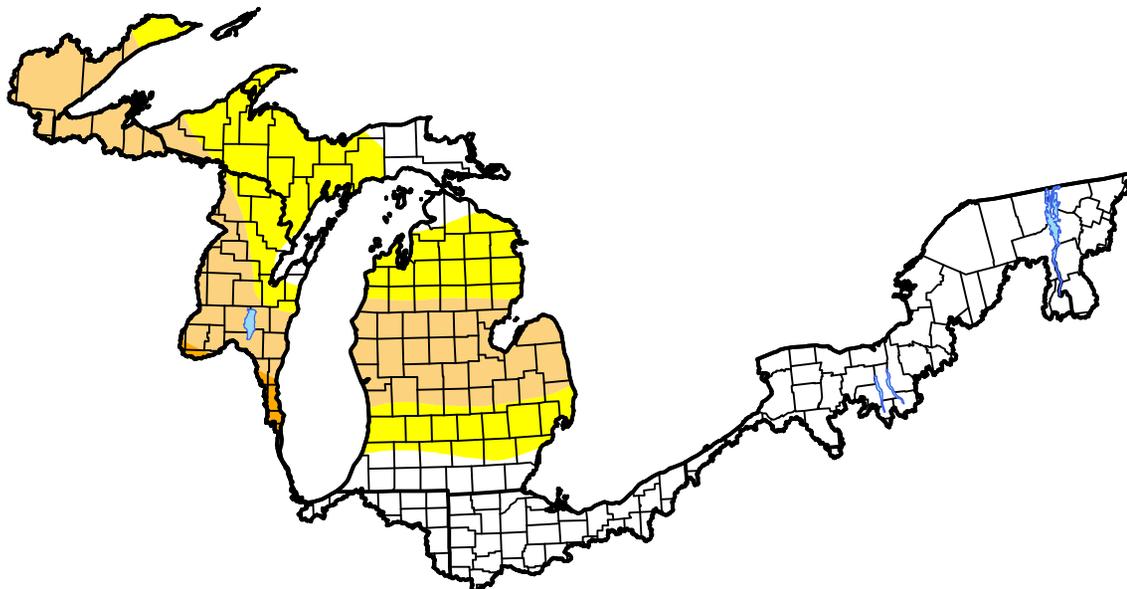
## Great Lakes Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	44.75	55.25	28.00	0.75	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-04-2003</i>	57.79	42.21	2.29	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-12-2003</i>	95.23	4.77	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	39.78	60.22	32.78	2.53	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	54.56	45.44	30.07	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-12-2002</i>	52.13	47.87	26.63	0.56	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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