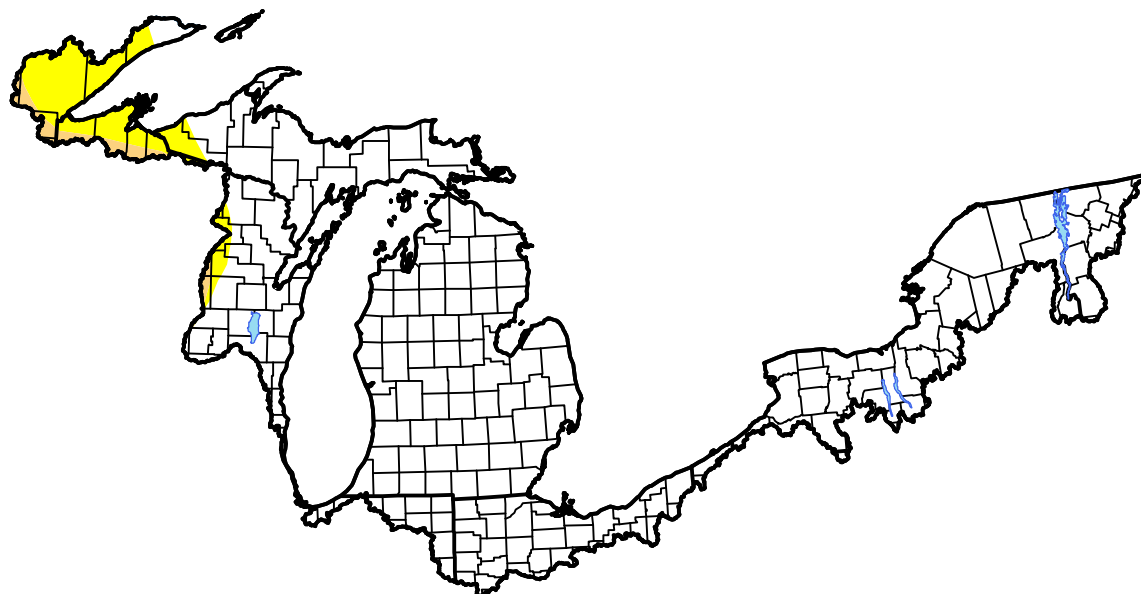


U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Lakes Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	91.62	6.90	1.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-15-2004</i>	91.95	7.26	0.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-23-2003</i>	65.85	26.00	7.52	0.63	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	89.59	9.16	1.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i>	45.49	30.91	23.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-23-2003</i>	23.52	29.66	30.29	16.53	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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