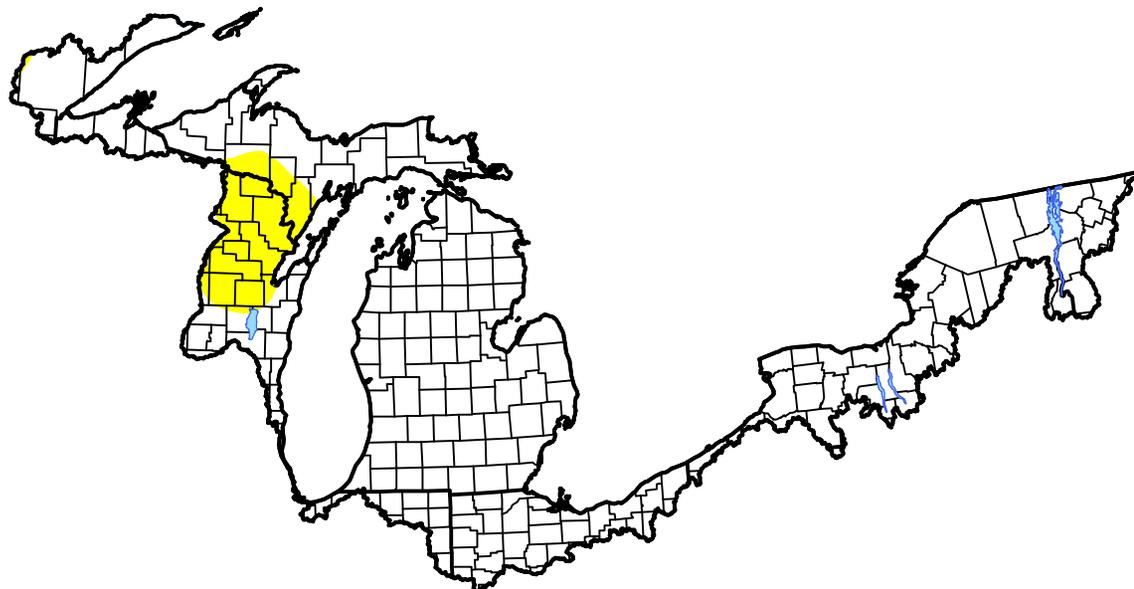


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Lakes Watershed

**August 17, 2004**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	91.77	8.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-12-2004</i>	91.96	8.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-20-2004</i>	91.80	8.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	89.59	9.16	1.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2003</i>	45.49	30.91	23.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-21-2003</i>	64.86	35.14	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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