

# U.S. Drought Monitor

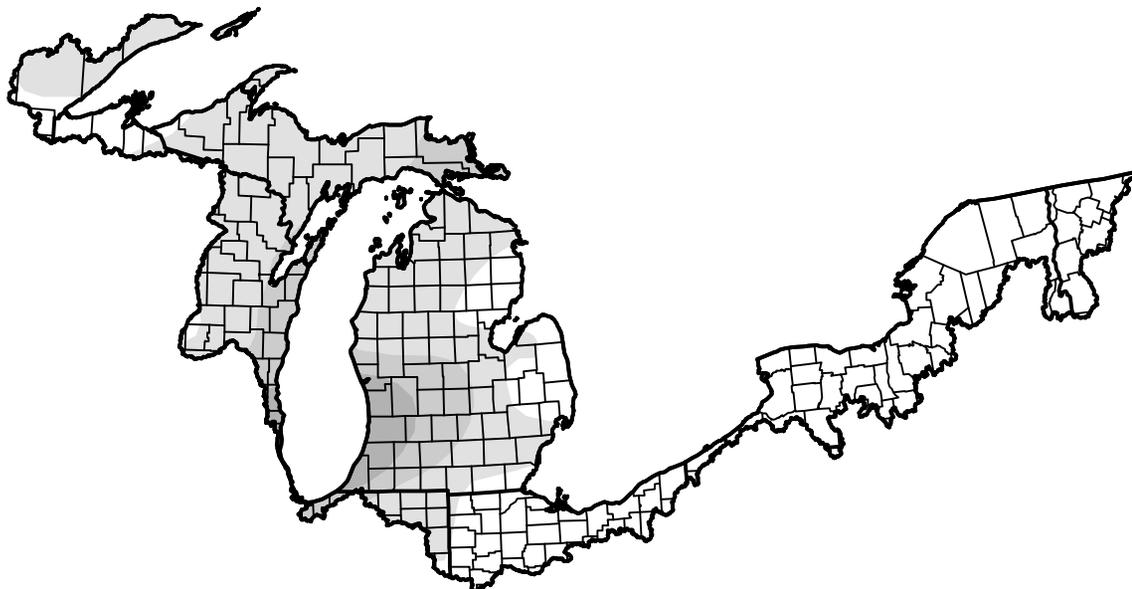
## Great Lakes Watershed

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	42.46	57.54	14.47	3.49	0.05	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-13-2005</i>	41.07	58.93	15.23	1.98	0.03	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-21-2005</i>	29.65	70.35	41.12	22.07	0.33	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	38.69	61.31	39.02	19.54	0.04	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-21-2004</i>	55.66	44.34	16.61	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



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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