

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Lakes Watershed

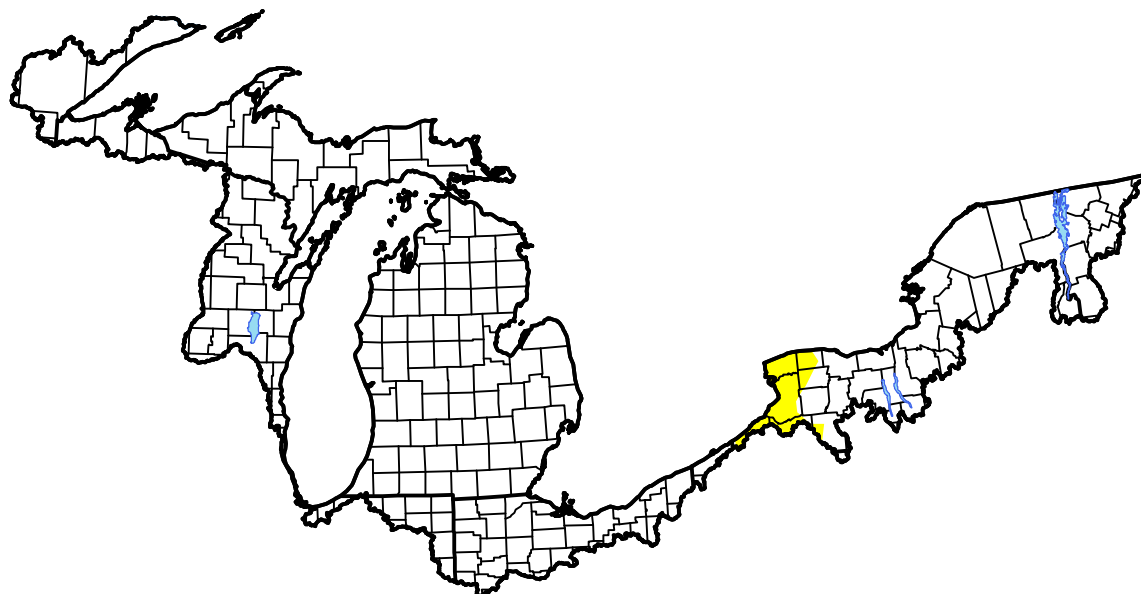
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 97.88 | 2.12  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>06-01-2006</i>              | 91.28 | 8.72  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>03-09-2006</i>           | 97.55 | 1.56  | 0.76  | 0.13  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2006</i> | 80.39 | 17.07 | 2.30  | 0.24  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2005</i>    | 38.69 | 22.29 | 19.48 | 19.50 | 0.04 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>06-09-2005</i>           | 17.62 | 65.58 | 16.80 | 0.00  | 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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