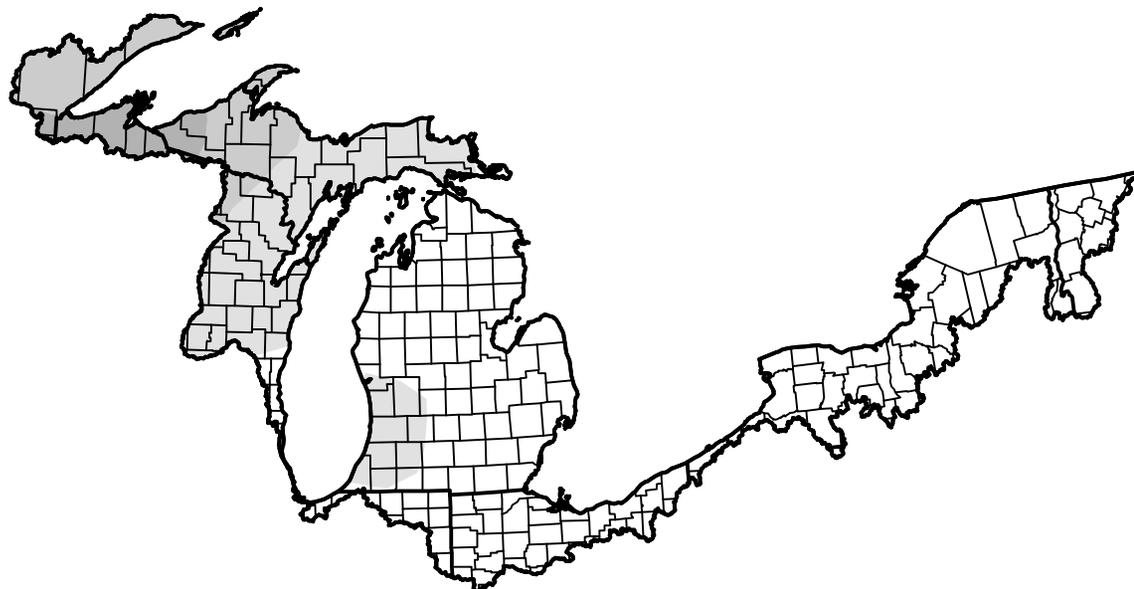


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Lakes Watershed

**July 18, 2006**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	65.23	20.96	10.01	3.80	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-13-2006</i>	67.48	23.11	6.88	2.54	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-20-2006</i>	83.91	16.04	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2006</i>	80.39	17.07	2.30	0.24	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	38.69	22.29	19.48	19.50	0.04	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-21-2005</i>	29.65	29.23	19.05	21.74	0.33	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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