

U.S. Drought Monitor

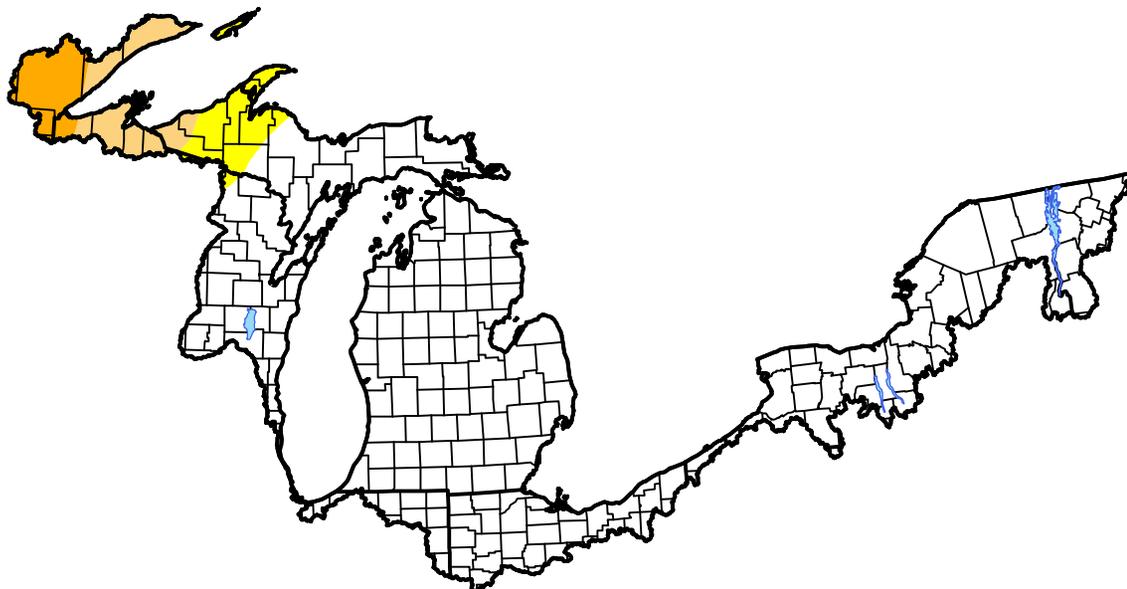
Great Lakes Watershed

August 29, 2006
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	87.90	4.18	4.34	3.58	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-24-2006</i>	82.28	9.58	8.09	0.06	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-01-2006</i>	91.28	8.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	80.39	17.07	2.30	0.24	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	38.69	22.29	19.48	19.50	0.04	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-01-2005</i>	38.37	30.91	25.12	5.61	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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