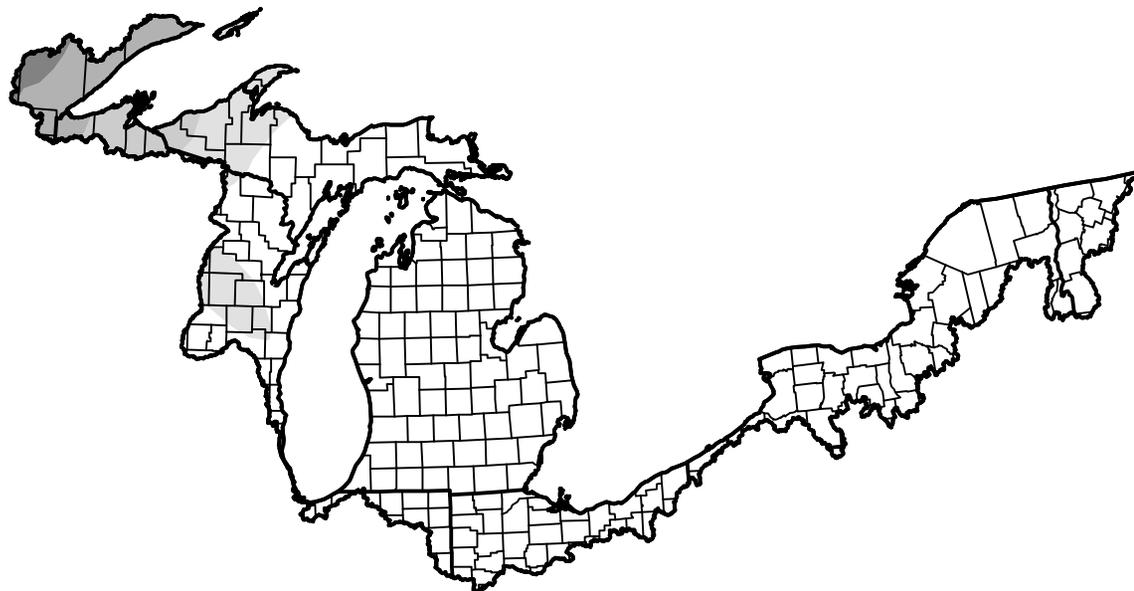


U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Lakes Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	85.15	14.85	7.92	5.36	0.93	0.00
Last Week <i>09-07-2006</i>	87.90	12.10	7.92	5.36	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-15-2006</i>	88.44	11.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	80.39	19.61	2.54	0.24	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	38.69	61.31	39.02	19.54	0.04	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-15-2005</i>	35.22	64.78	44.92	22.93	0.32	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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