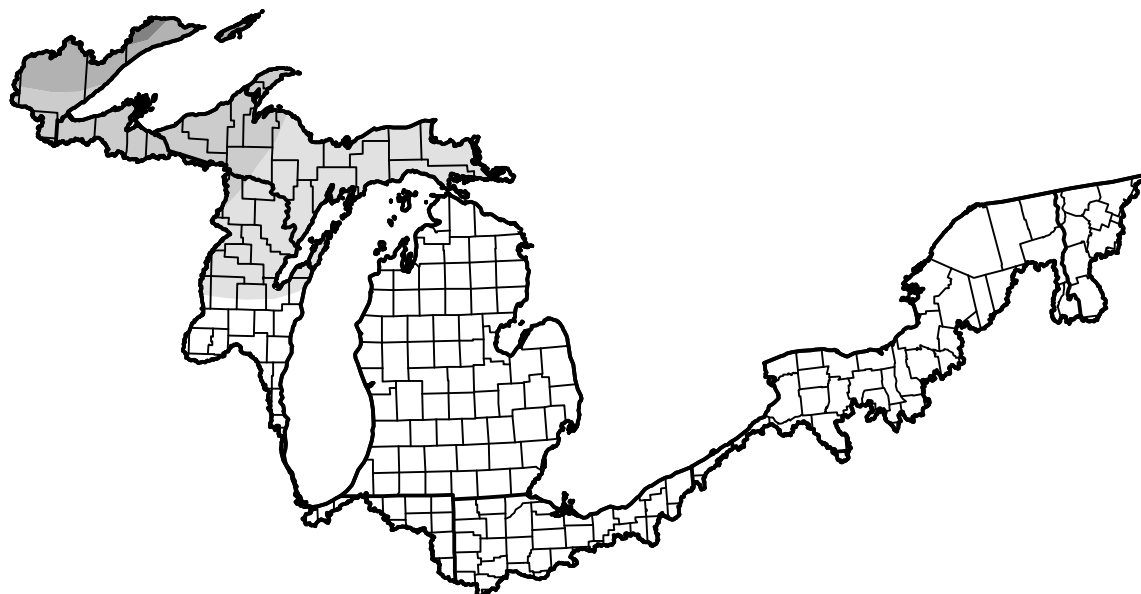


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Lakes Watershed

**May 8, 2007**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 73.26 | 14.44 | 8.64  | 3.28 | 0.38 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-03-2007</i>              | 77.83 | 15.09 | 3.42  | 3.28 | 0.38 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-08-2007</i>           | 72.08 | 7.72  | 5.69  | 9.21 | 5.31 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2007</i> | 69.31 | 10.49 | 5.69  | 9.21 | 5.31 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2006</i>    | 77.08 | 14.99 | 1.61  | 1.02 | 5.31 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-11-2006</i>           | 62.95 | 22.84 | 14.20 | 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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