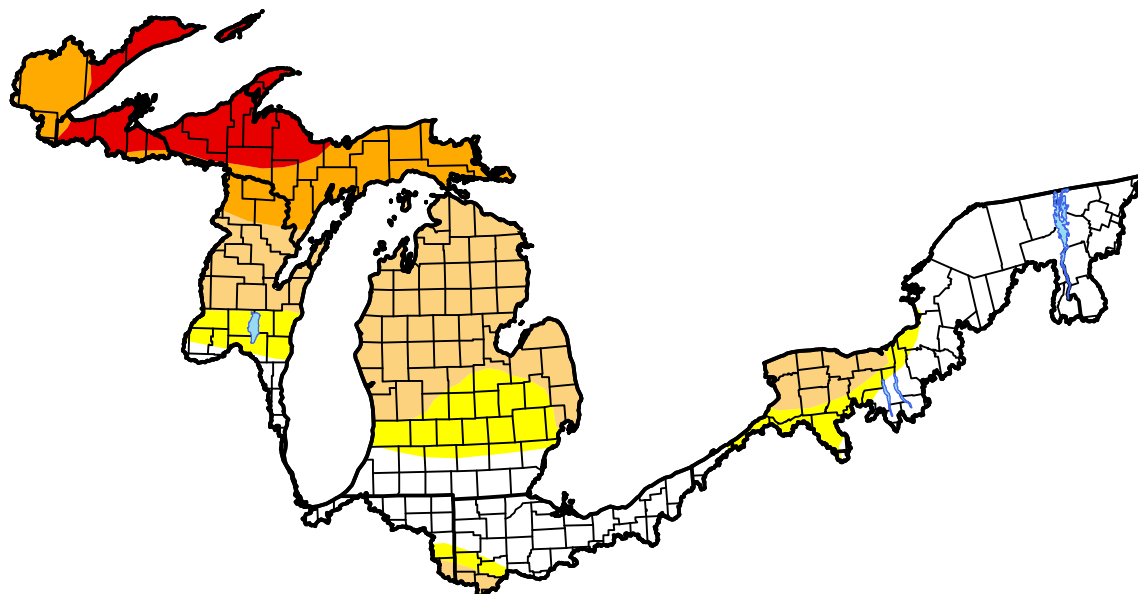


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	34.06	65.94	51.98	22.08	9.33	0.00
Last Week <i>08-16-2007</i>	20.14	79.86	61.68	22.58	9.33	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-24-2007</i>	71.60	28.40	16.17	10.37	0.35	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	69.31	30.69	20.21	14.52	5.31	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	77.08	22.92	7.93	6.33	5.31	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-24-2006</i>	82.28	17.72	8.14	0.06	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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