

U.S. Drought Monitor

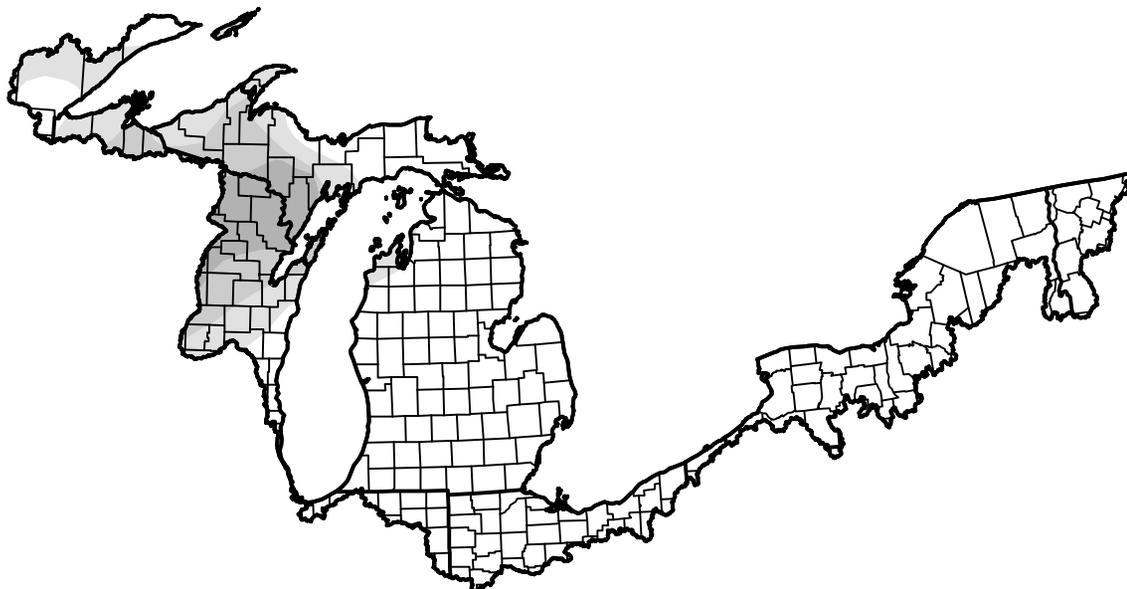
Great Lakes Watershed

February 3, 2009
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 76.46 | 10.97 | 7.04 | 5.53 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>01-29-2009</i> | 76.43 | 11.01 | 7.04 | 5.53 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>11-06-2008</i> | 68.30 | 12.03 | 14.58 | 5.09 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i> | 74.34 | 10.02 | 10.11 | 5.53 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i> | 63.72 | 19.94 | 14.31 | 2.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>02-07-2008</i> | 78.39 | 19.60 | 2.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 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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