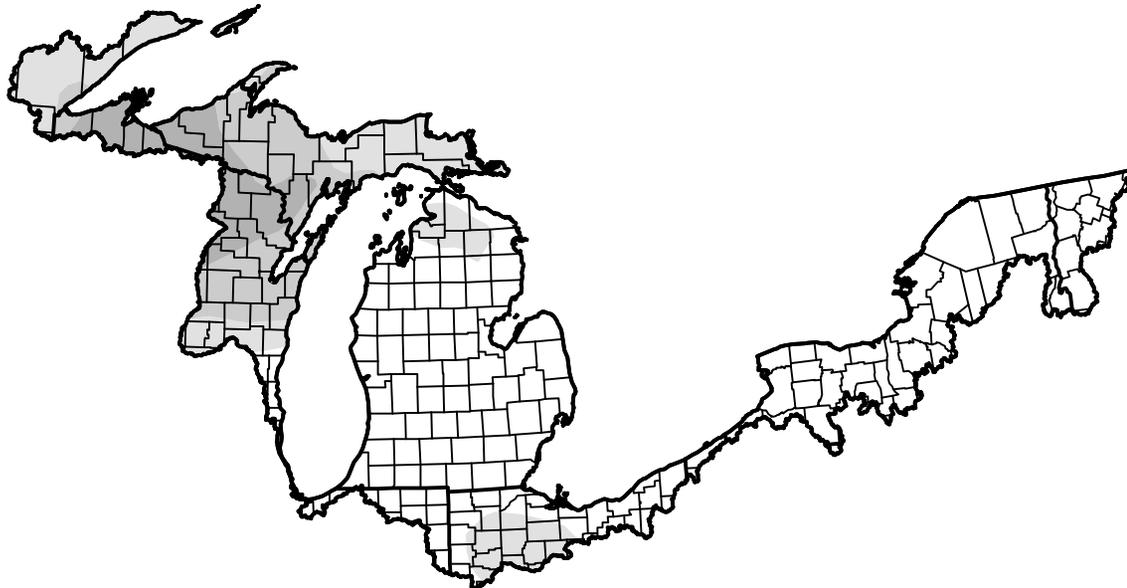


U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Lakes Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 63.65 | 36.35 | 19.47 | 8.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>07-23-2009</i> | 63.65 | 36.35 | 20.24 | 8.16 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>04-30-2009</i> | 78.23 | 21.77 | 8.22 | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i> | 74.34 | 25.66 | 15.64 | 5.53 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i> | 63.72 | 36.28 | 16.34 | 2.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>07-31-2008</i> | 96.97 | 3.03 | 0.00 | 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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