

# U.S. Drought Monitor Michigan

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 86.10 | 13.90 | 9.57  | 3.17  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-08-2009</i>              | 71.92 | 28.08 | 12.07 | 8.13  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-16-2009</i>           | 69.43 | 30.57 | 18.30 | 3.59  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-01-2009</i> | 75.30 | 24.70 | 17.01 | 3.94  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2009</i>    | 69.91 | 30.09 | 15.75 | 11.54 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-16-2008</i>           | 73.54 | 26.46 | 16.39 | 3.76  | 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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