

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Lakes Watershed

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	83.01	12.65	4.05	0.29	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-22-2009</i>	75.29	14.43	7.31	2.97	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-30-2009</i>	63.65	16.88	11.44	8.03	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	74.34	10.02	10.11	5.53	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2009</i>	61.59	19.03	8.85	10.52	0.01	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-30-2008</i>	68.30	12.03	14.58	5.09	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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