

# U.S. Drought Monitor

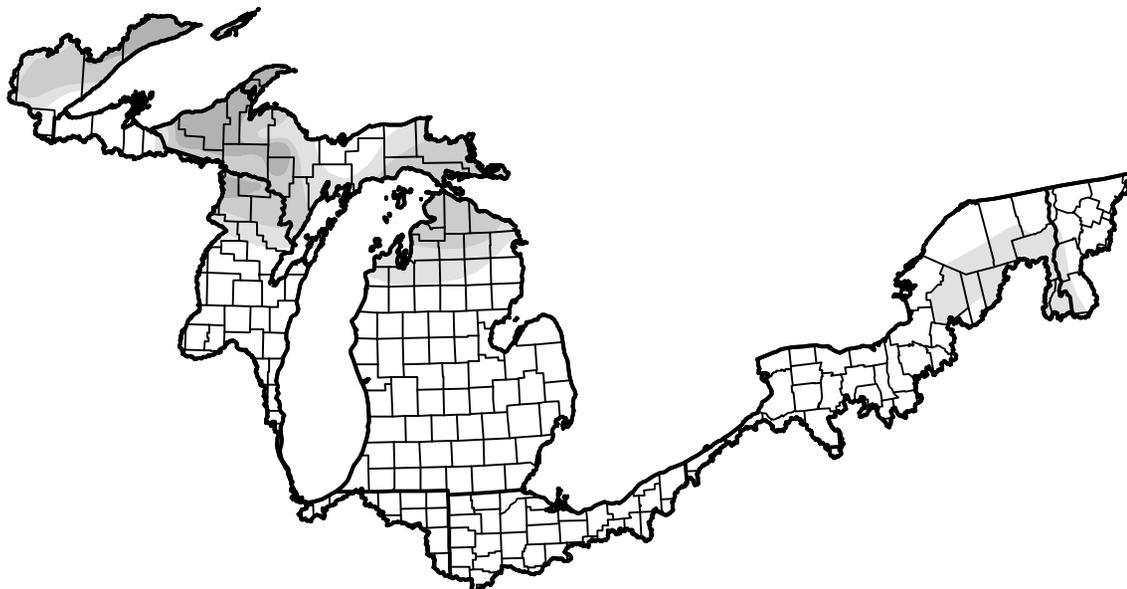
## Great Lakes Watershed

**August 17, 2010**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	70.41	29.59	16.09	5.09	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-12-2010</i>	75.51	24.49	16.09	5.09	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-20-2010</i>	60.44	39.56	26.20	14.69	0.64	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2009</i>	86.90	13.10	3.91	0.19	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2009</i>	61.59	38.41	19.38	10.53	0.01	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-20-2009</i>	58.96	41.04	19.38	7.99	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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