

U.S. Drought Monitor

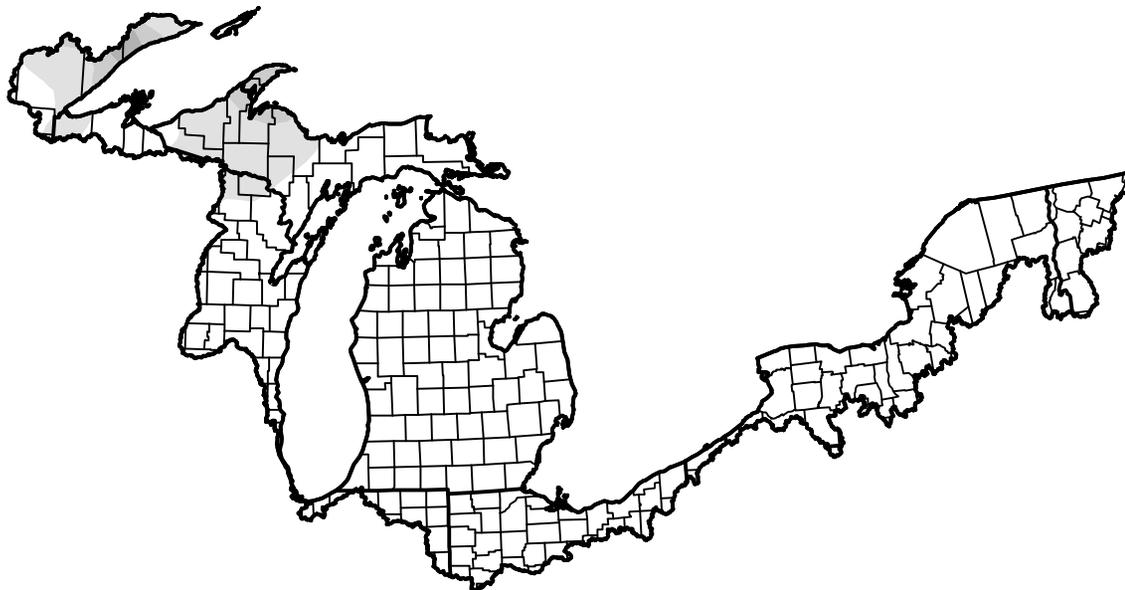
Great Lakes Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 88.73 | 11.27 | 2.29 | 0.36 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>10-13-2011</i> | 81.79 | 18.21 | 3.13 | 0.72 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>07-21-2011</i> | 85.63 | 14.37 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i> | 90.72 | 9.28 | 1.32 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i> | 70.97 | 29.03 | 4.85 | 1.67 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>10-21-2010</i> | 77.16 | 22.84 | 2.87 | 1.19 | 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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