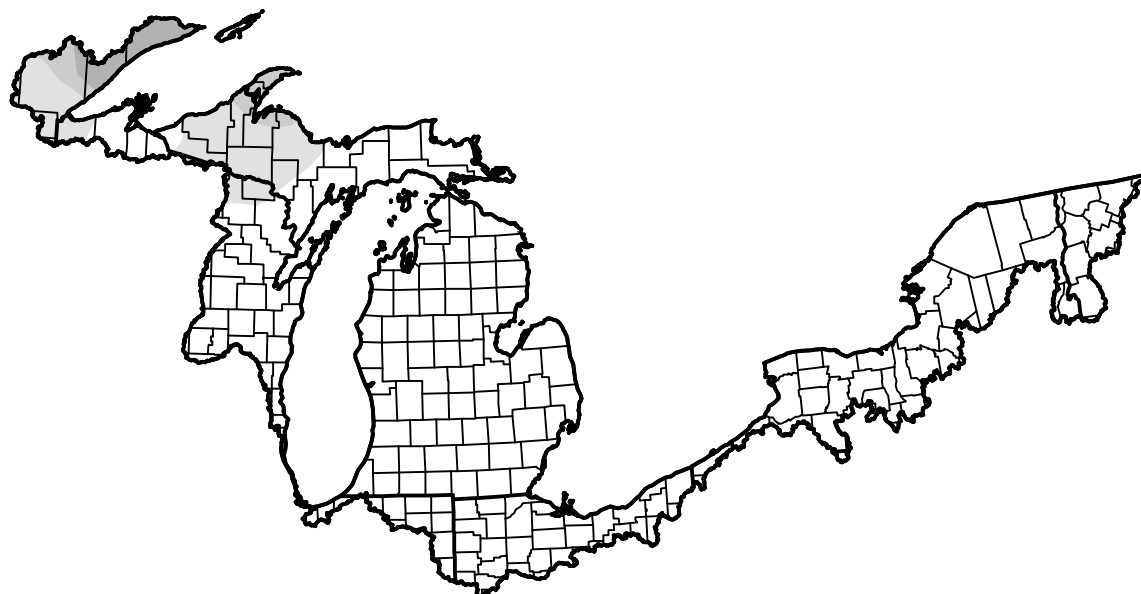


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	87.58	12.42	3.90	1.94	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-01-2011	87.58	12.42	3.90	1.94	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-08-2011	70.49	29.51	2.46	0.39	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-06-2011	90.72	9.28	1.32	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	70.97	29.03	4.85	1.67	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-09-2010	81.25	18.75	1.83	0.00	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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