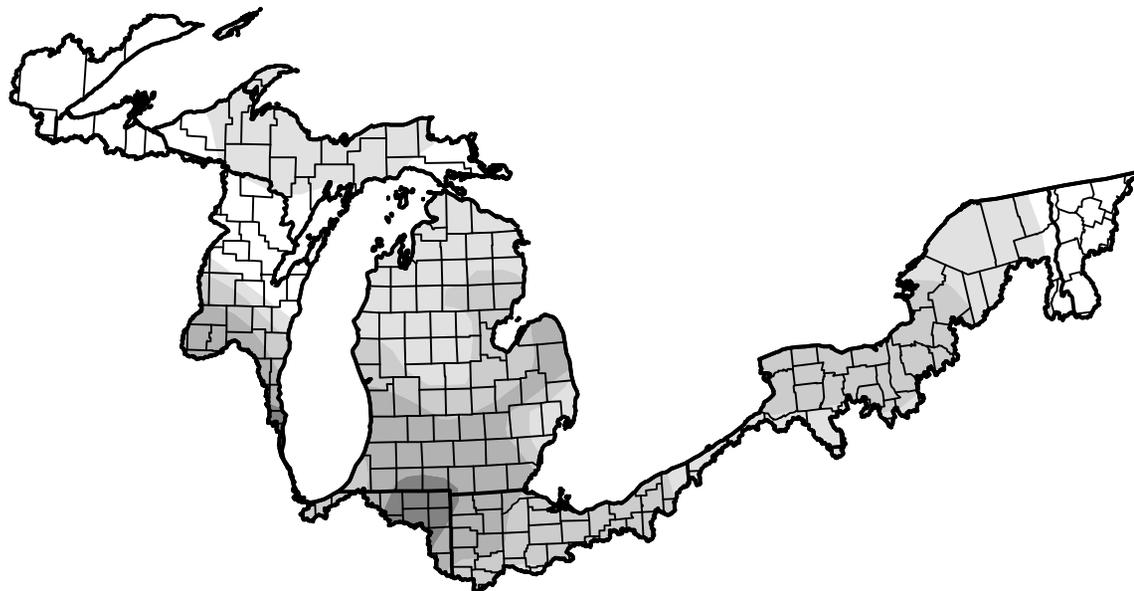


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Great Lakes Watershed

**August 7, 2012**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 9, 2012)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	22.47	32.46	26.59	15.96	2.52	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-02-2012</i>	22.47	32.35	25.82	16.99	2.37	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-10-2012</i>	74.01	22.01	3.78	0.20	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	83.69	12.23	2.14	1.94	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	70.97	24.19	3.18	1.67	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-11-2011</i>	57.29	31.21	11.50	0.00	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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