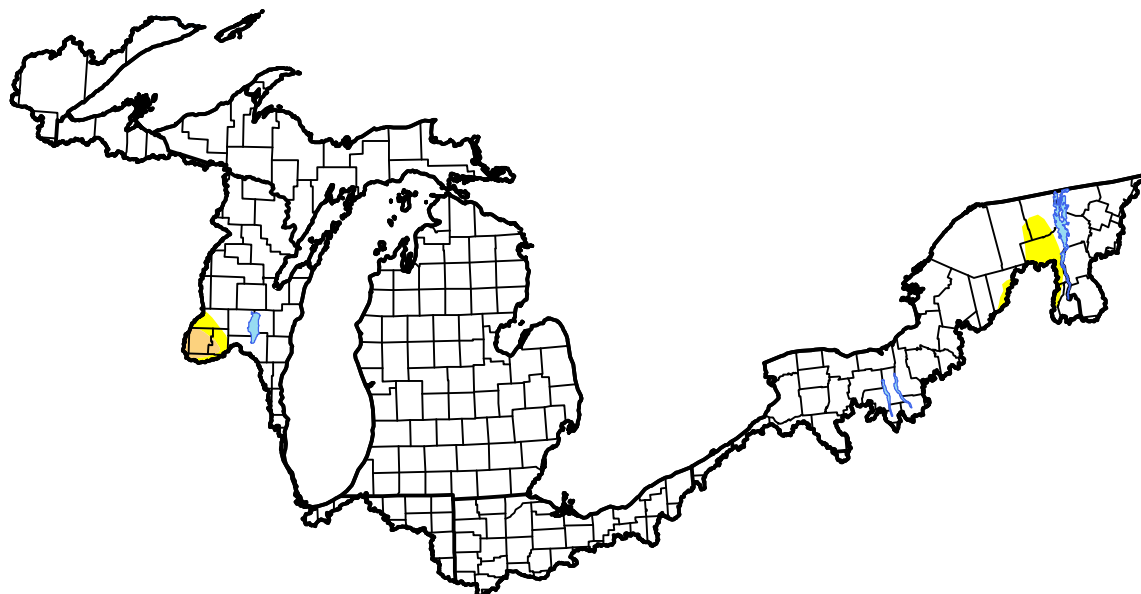


U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Lakes Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	97.66	2.34	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-19-2013	90.87	9.13	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-26-2013	82.99	17.01	0.92	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2013	60.10	39.90	11.76	2.70	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-03-2013	66.11	33.89	0.93	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-27-2012	56.39	43.61	11.76	2.79	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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