

# U.S. Drought Monitor

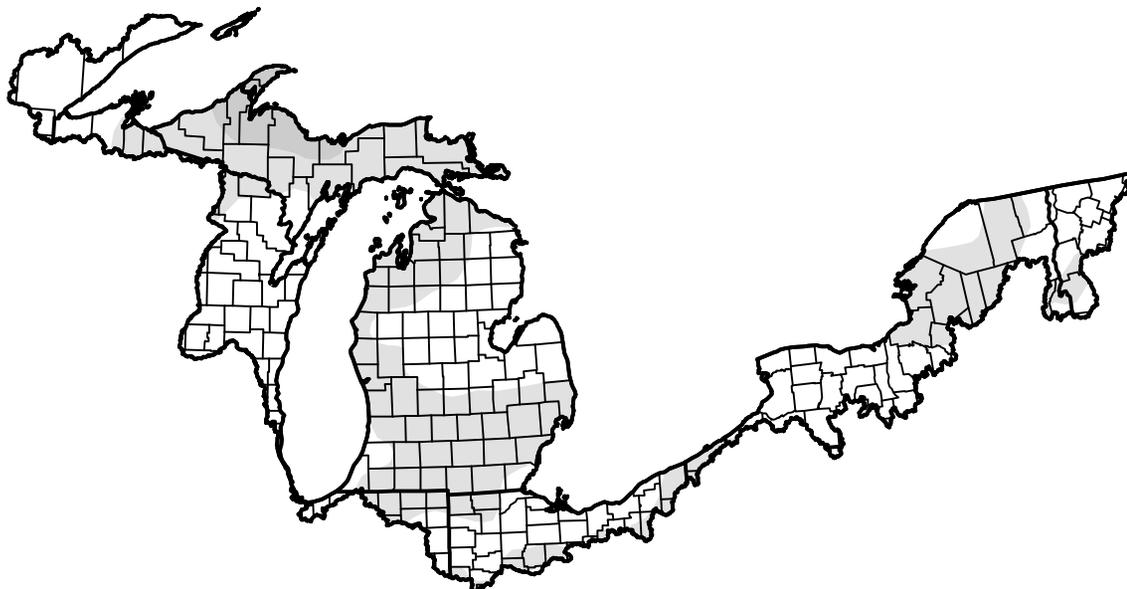
## Great Lakes Watershed

**October 20, 2015**  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	53.16	43.47	3.37	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-15-2015</i>	71.13	28.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-23-2015</i>	95.63	4.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2014</i>	90.04	9.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2015</i>	75.18	24.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-23-2014</i>	94.47	5.53	0.00	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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