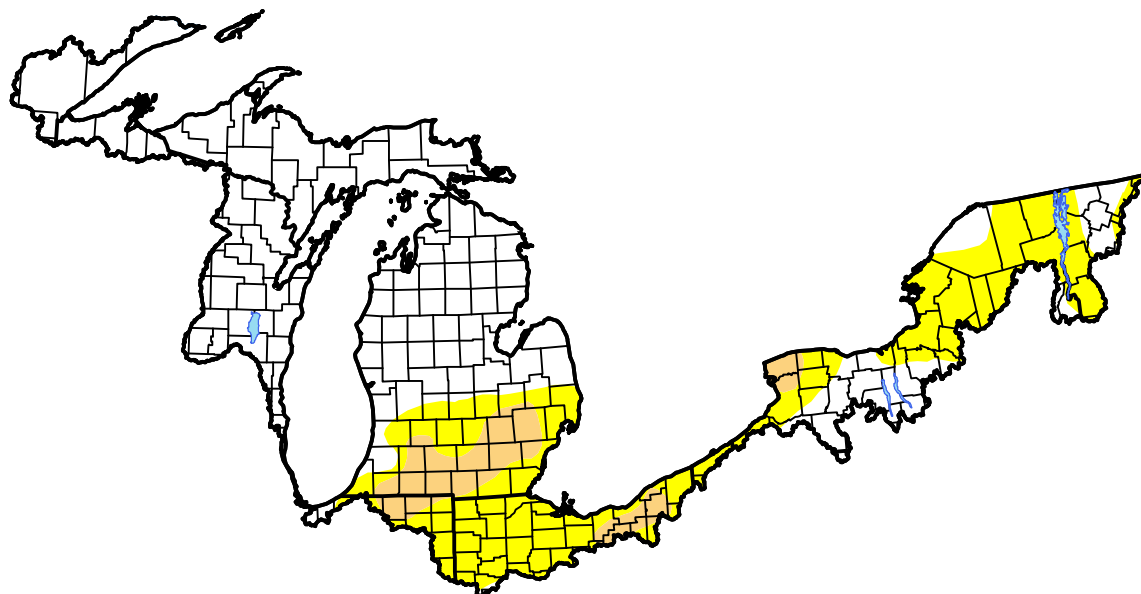


U.S. Drought Monitor Great Lakes Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	61.76	30.47	7.77	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-24-2015	61.76	30.47	7.77	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-01-2015	75.18	24.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2014	90.04	9.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-01-2015	75.18	24.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-31-2014	90.04	9.96	0.00	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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