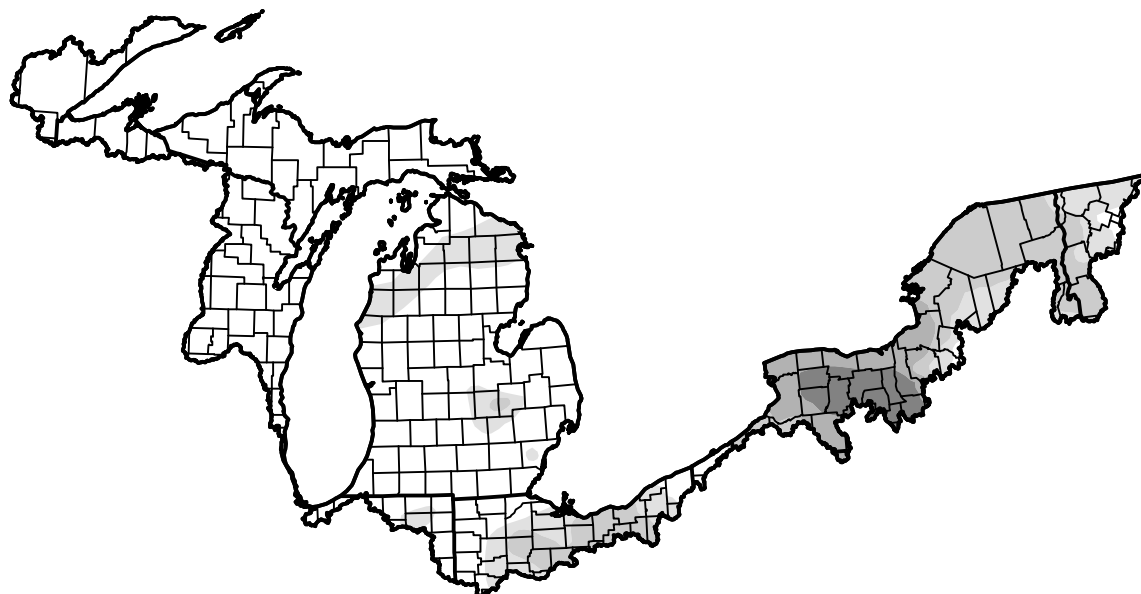


# U.S. Drought Monitor Great Lakes Watershed

**September 20, 2016**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 66.06 | 33.94 | 21.22 | 8.05  | 3.39  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-15-2016</i>              | 64.57 | 35.43 | 21.33 | 8.05  | 3.39  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-23-2016</i>           | 60.61 | 39.39 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2015</i> | 61.76 | 38.24 | 7.77  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2015</i>    | 75.18 | 24.82 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-24-2015</i>           | 74.38 | 25.62 | 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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