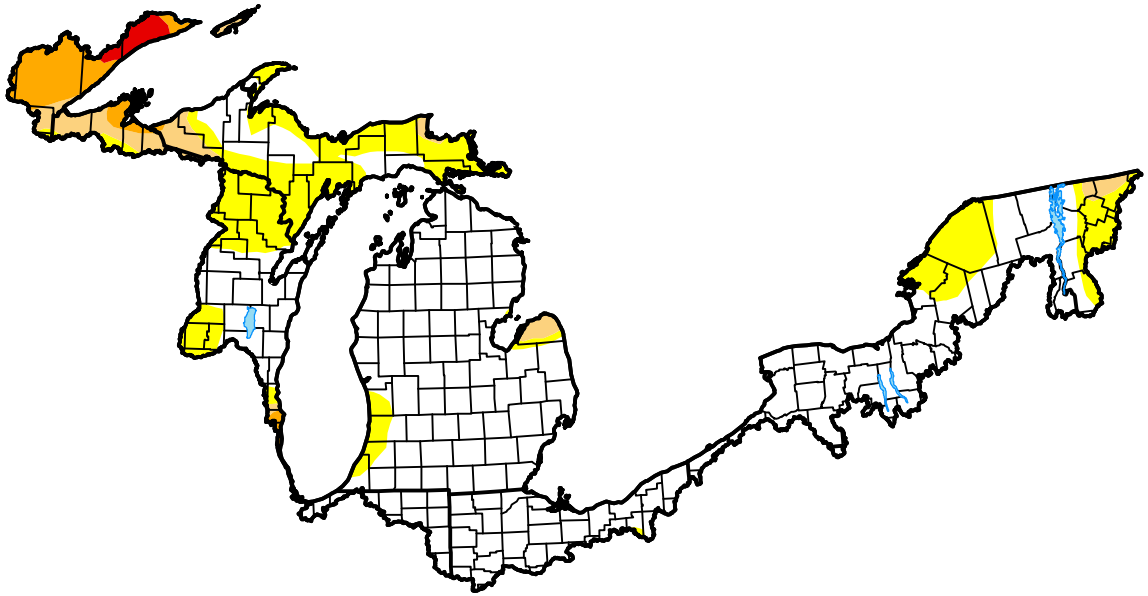
U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Lakes Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	70.11	20.38	4.32	4.21	0.99	0.00
Last Week *10-19-2021*	72.26	18.75	3.79	4.21	0.99	0.00
3 Months Ago *07-27-2021*	74.74	13.59	8.11	3.57	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *12-29-2020*	65.75	28.87	5.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-28-2021*	77.36	13.32	4.02	2.05	3.26	0.00
One Year Ago *10-27-2020*	62.67	22.46	13.54	1.34	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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