# Environmental monitoring work in the Lake Superior basin: Indicators and Primary Data

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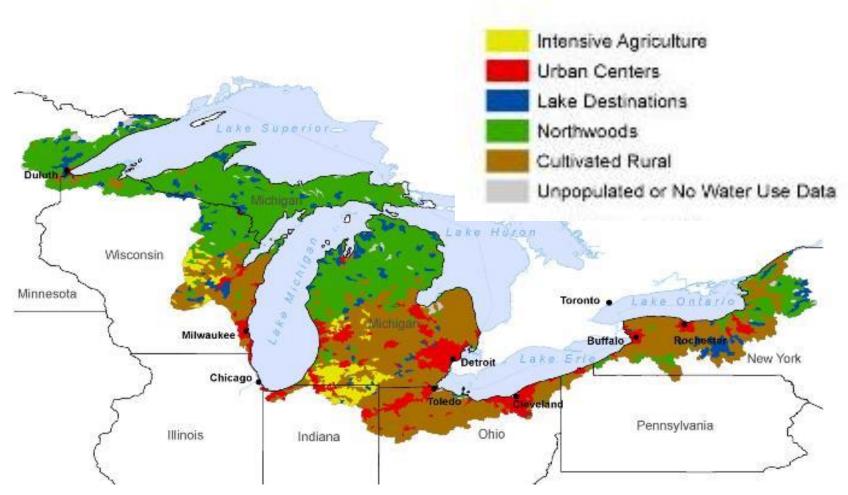
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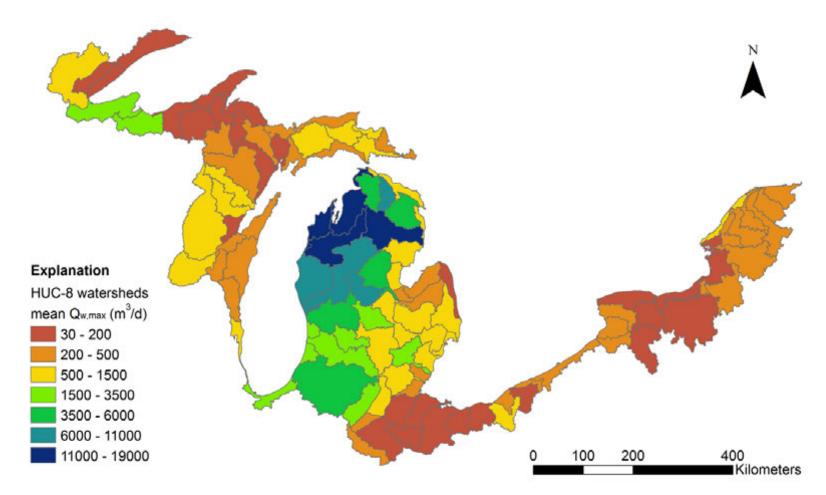
## Synthetic indicators

# Watershed classification based on 12 biophysical and social factors



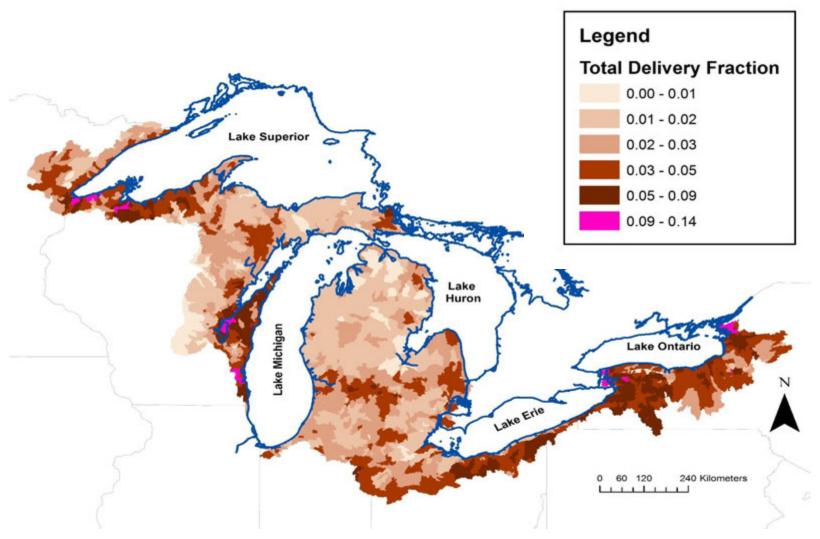
Mayer, Winkler, and Fry. 2014. *Ecological Indicators* 

Maximum allowable pumping rates based on ecological and hydrogeological constraints



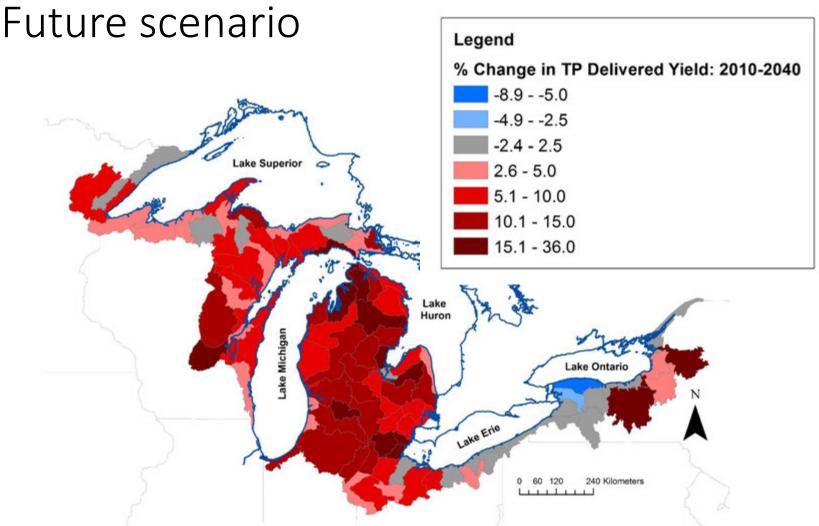
Watson, Mayer and Reeves. 2013. *Groundwater* 

### Delivery fraction for Total Phosphorous



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Delivered Phosphorous Yield: % Change 2010-2040 Urban Expansion + Biofuels





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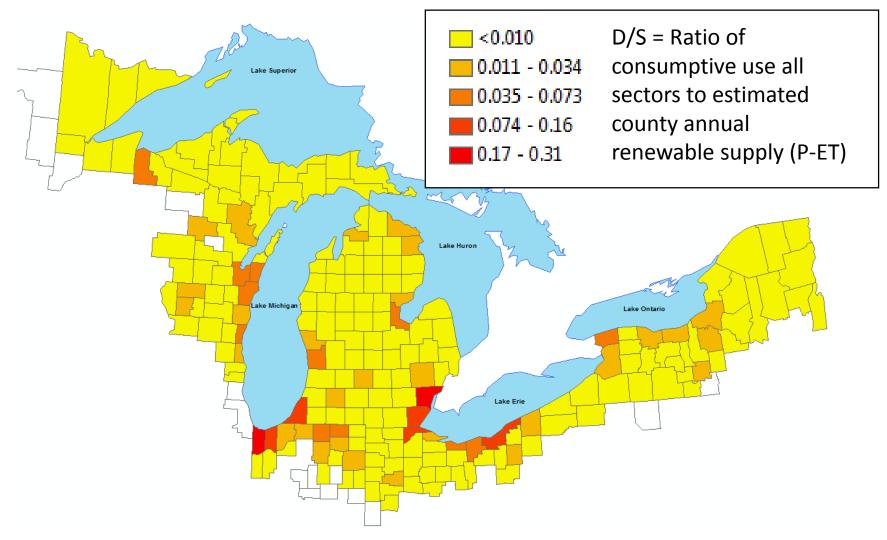
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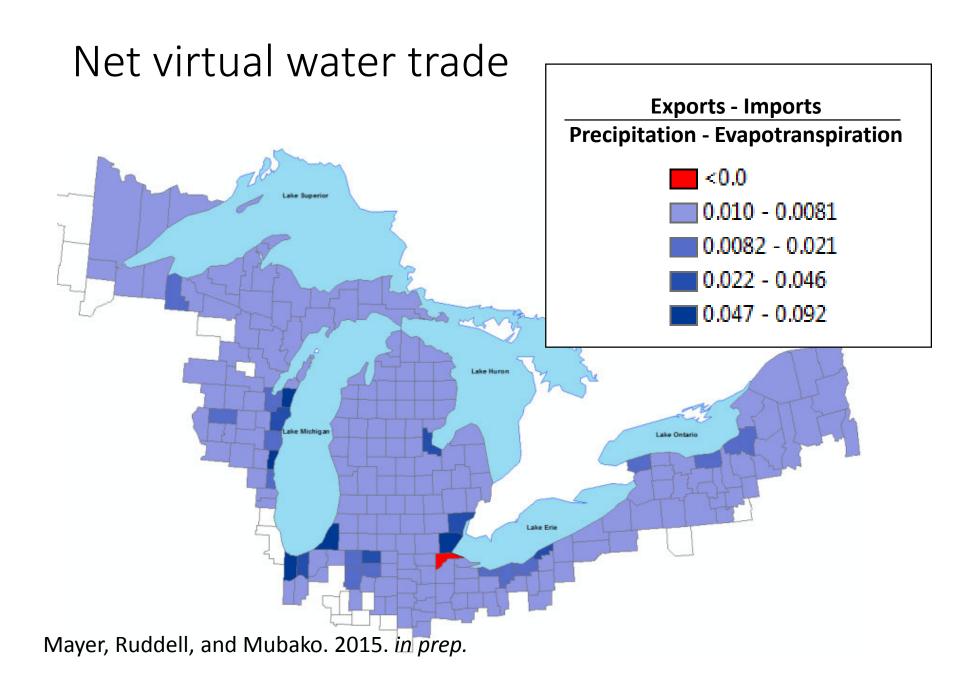
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#### Water stress



Mayer, Ruddell, and Mubako. 2015. in prep.



# Primary data

Huron Creek watershed monitoring

