

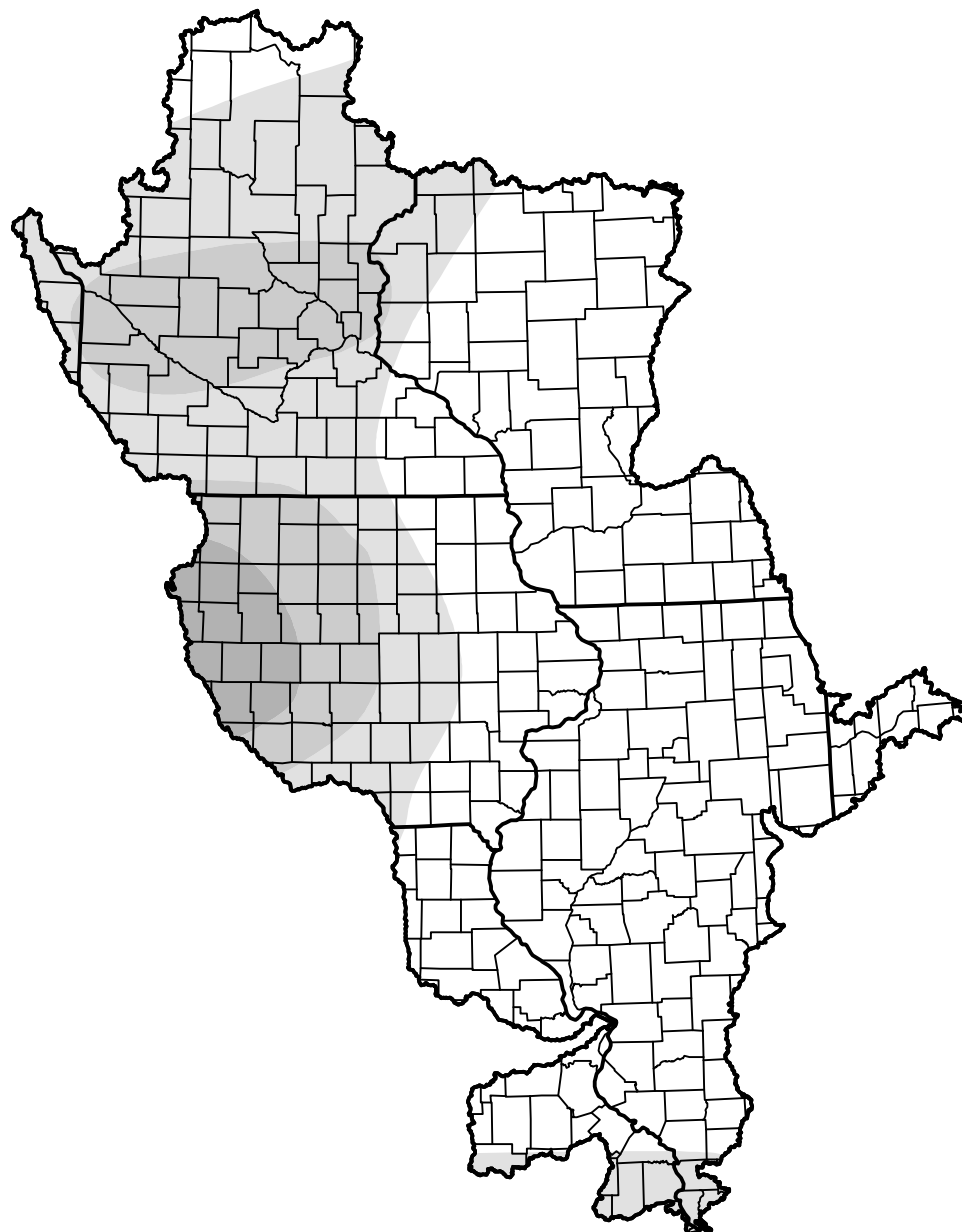
U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	61.21	22.78	12.75	3.26	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-12-2000</i>	68.06	22.04	9.21	0.70	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-20-2000</i>	94.11	4.36	1.53	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2000</i>	13.52	43.31	38.66	4.51	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	75.45	21.36	2.50	0.70	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago	-	-	-	-	-	-

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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