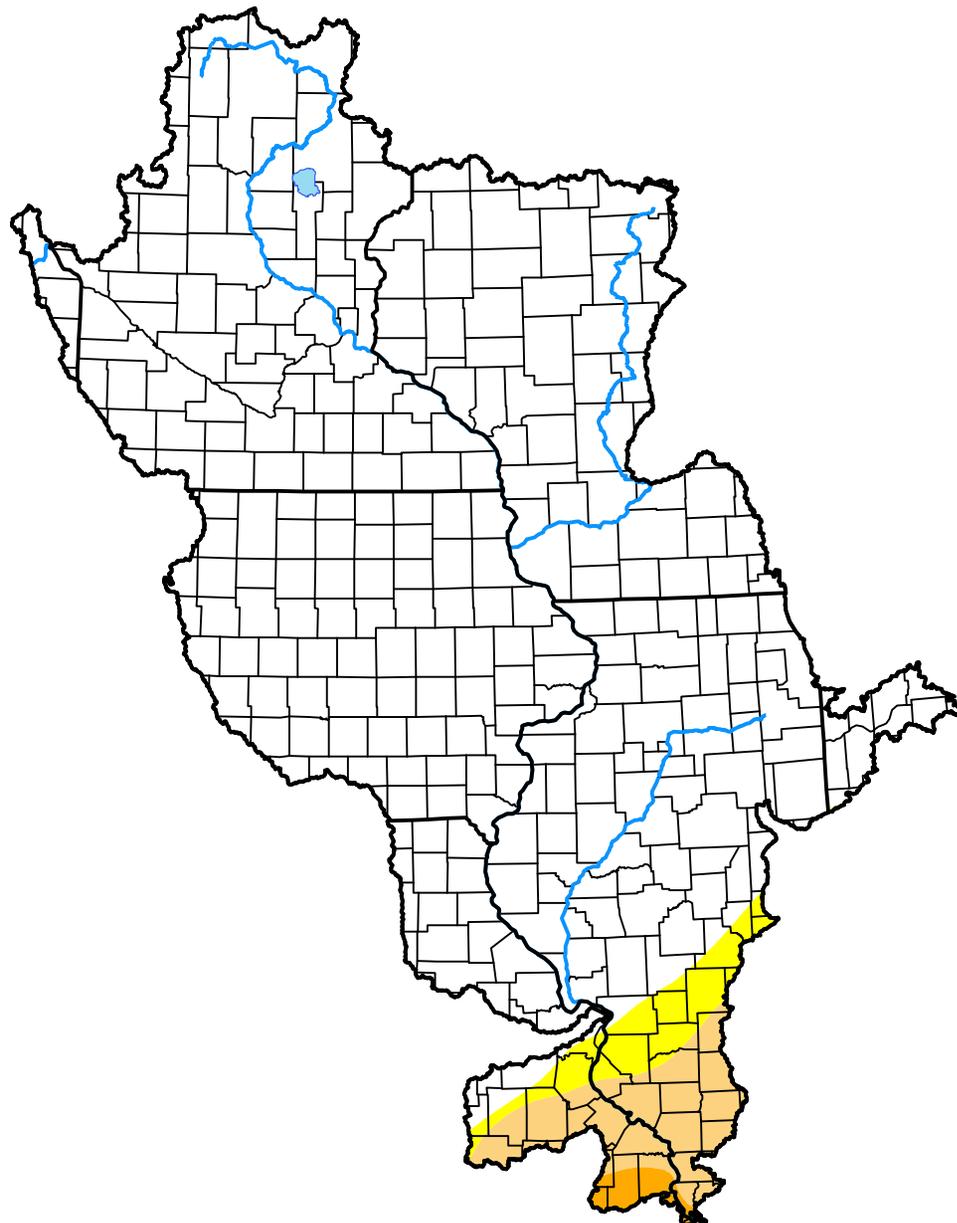


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Mississippi Watershed

May 29, 2001  
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	92.47	7.53	4.86	0.62	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-24-2001</i>	90.60	9.40	4.86	1.17	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>03-01-2001</i>	99.19	0.81	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2001</i>	89.48	10.52	2.46	0.01	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2000</i>	75.45	24.55	3.19	0.70	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>06-01-2000</i>	50.93	49.07	27.64	14.40	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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