

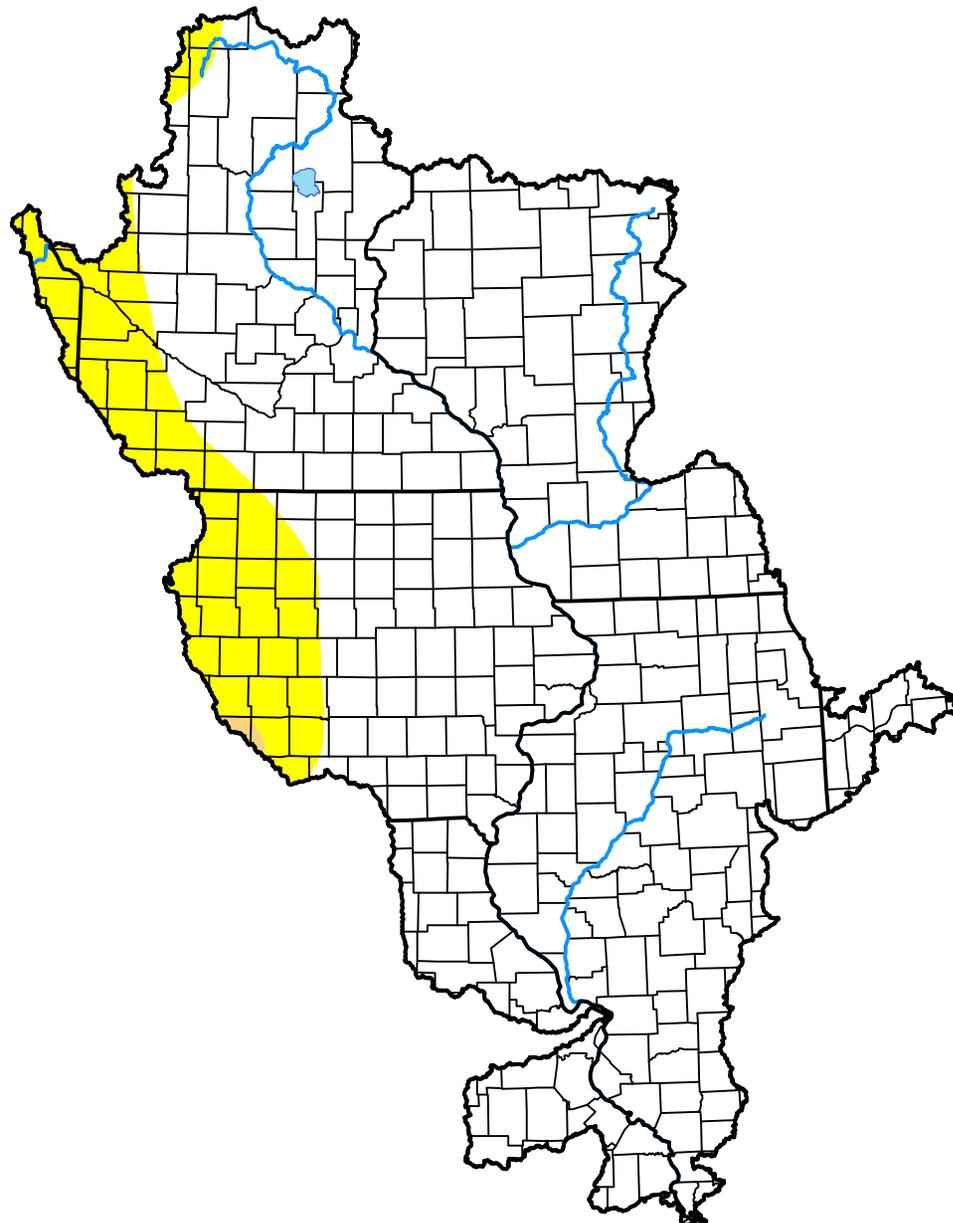
U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|--------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| Current | 88.55 | 11.29 | 0.15 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>04-25-2002</i> | 85.47 | 10.46 | 4.07 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>01-31-2002</i> | 78.49 | 21.51 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i> | 98.78 | 1.22 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>05-03-2001</i> | 90.86 | 5.66 | 3.48 | 0.00 | 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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