

U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	95.88	4.12	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-24-2002	92.74	7.26	0.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 08-01-2002	67.62	32.38	5.33	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2002	98.78	1.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-03-2002	82.11	17.89	2.37	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 11-01-2001	86.69	13.31	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

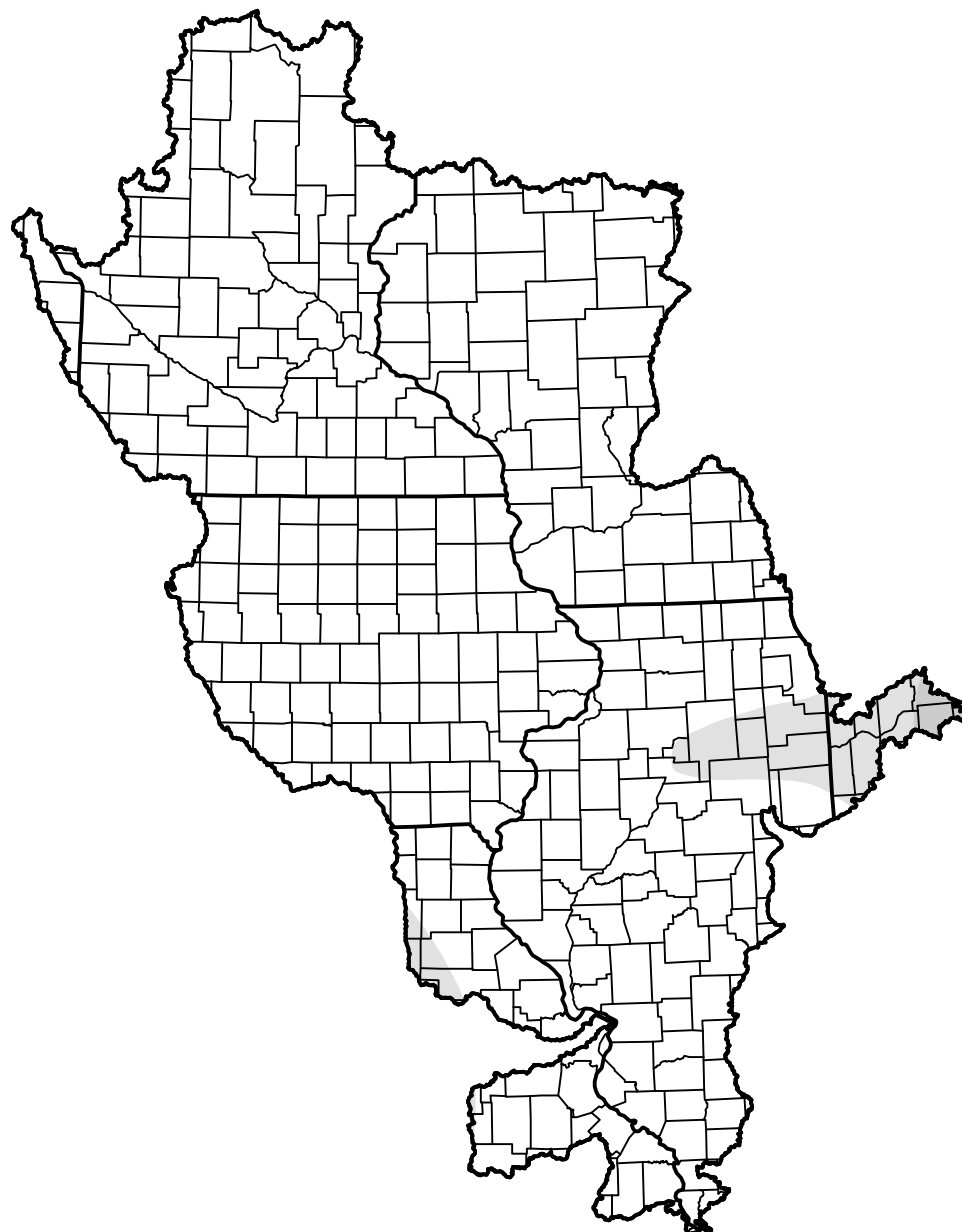
Intensity:

 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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