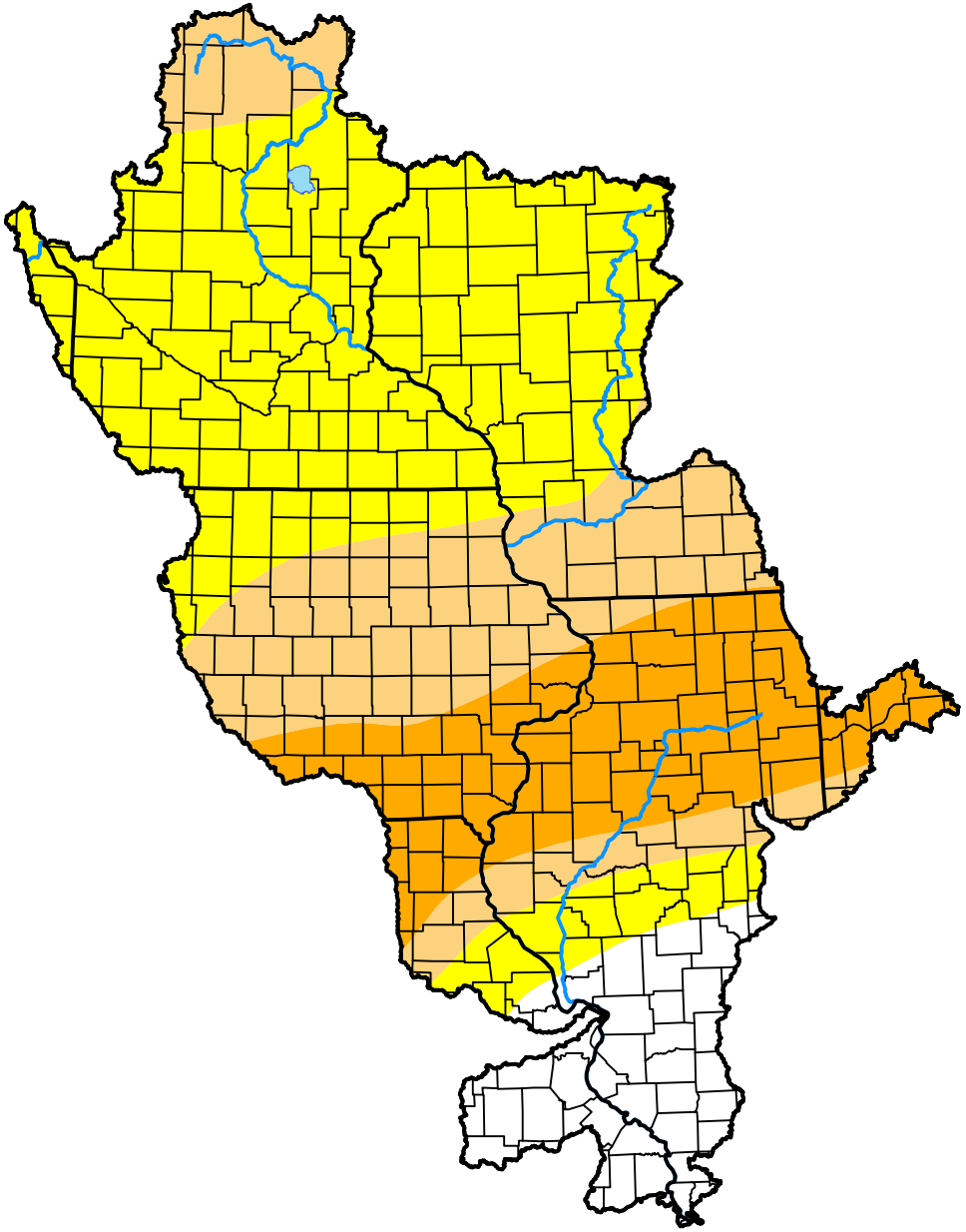
U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	10.36	46.10	24.53	19.01	0.00	0.00
Last Week *03-06-2003*	10.73	45.87	24.53	18.87	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago *12-12-2002*	62.49	22.55	14.96	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-02-2003*	56.99	23.34	18.39	1.29	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *10-03-2002*	82.11	15.52	2.37	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago *03-14-2002*	82.46	17.54	0.00	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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