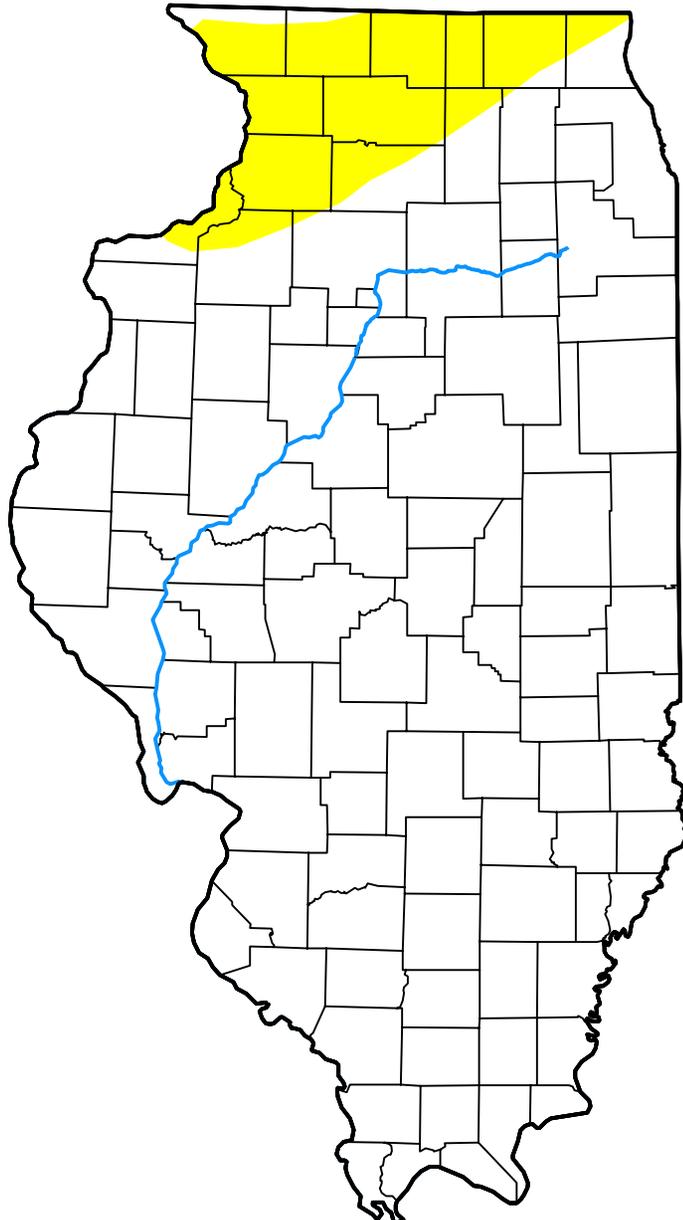


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Illinois

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	90.56	9.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	88.25	11.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-09-2003</i>	73.11	10.03	16.86	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	88.25	11.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2003</i>	72.93	10.03	17.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-09-2003</i>	39.92	23.17	36.64	0.27	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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