

U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	60.71	11.86	16.93	10.50	0.00	0.00
Last Week 04-22-2004	55.80	17.46	16.24	10.50	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-29-2004	44.31	8.53	27.08	11.71	8.37	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2003	39.39	11.37	25.77	13.13	10.33	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2003	23.81	5.92	42.26	26.11	1.89	0.00
One Year Ago 05-01-2003	26.74	30.72	18.88	23.66	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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