

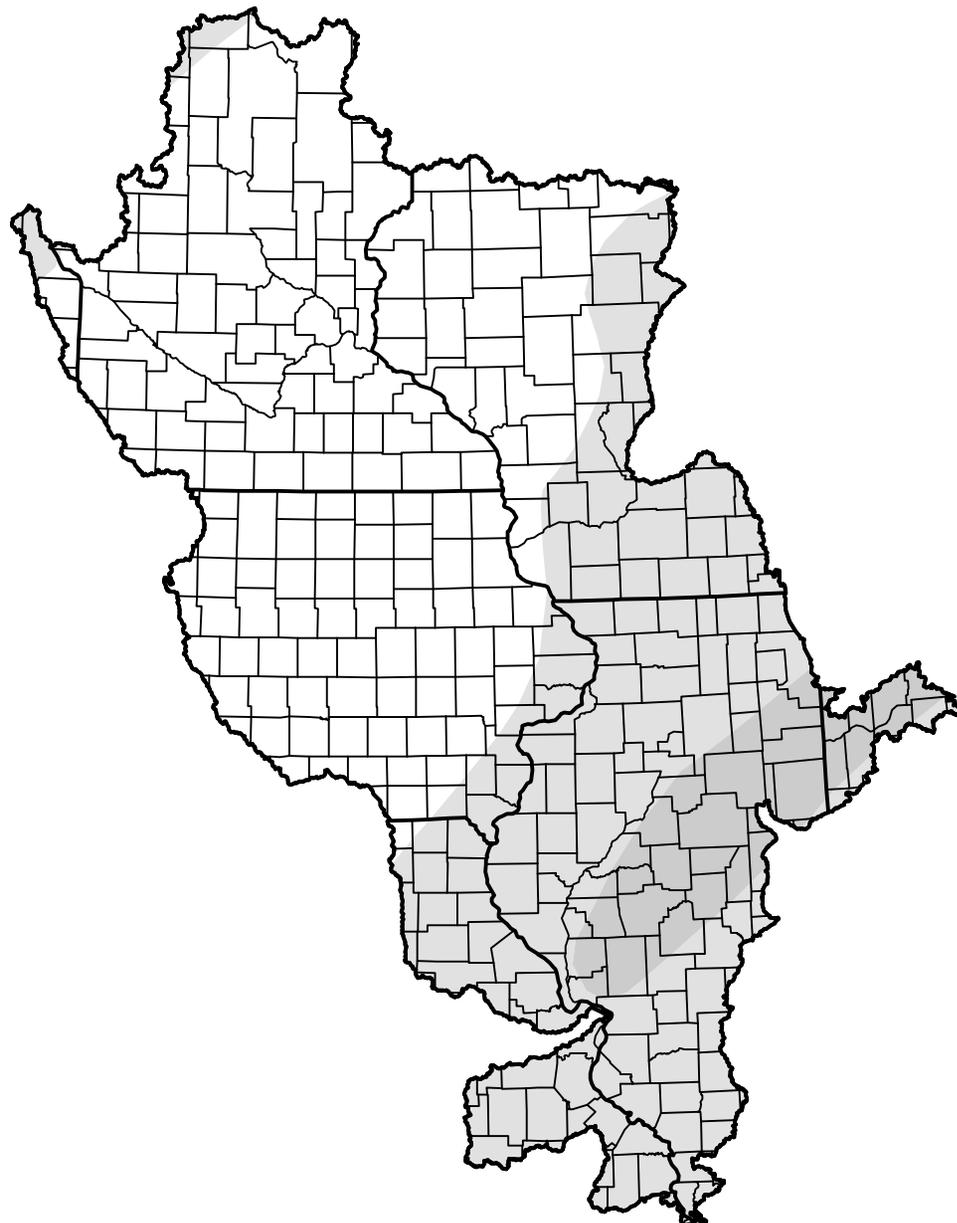
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	55.44	36.20	8.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-19-2005</i>	72.06	27.67	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-24-2005</i>	86.85	13.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	79.71	20.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	79.92	19.87	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-27-2004</i>	78.88	9.39	10.27	1.45	0.00	0.00

**Intensity:**



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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