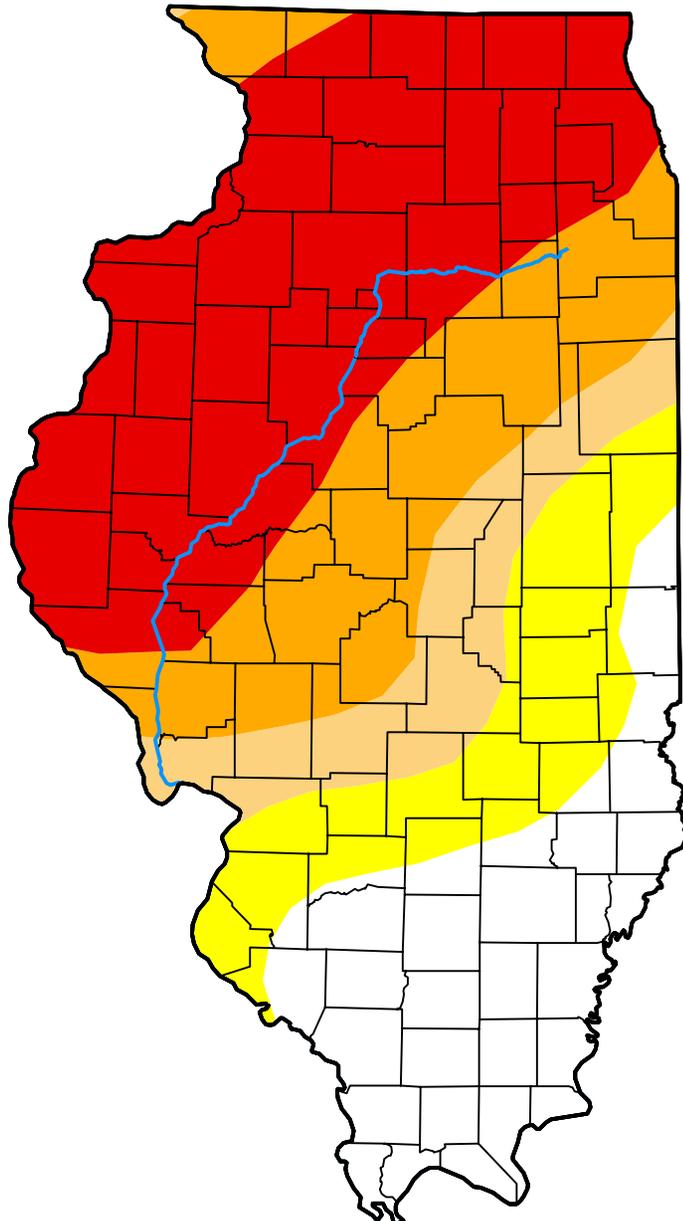


# U.S. Drought Monitor Illinois

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	20.60	79.40	65.84	56.06	36.73	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-01-2005</i>	23.45	76.55	60.04	47.34	23.39	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-09-2005</i>	0.00	100.00	68.07	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	79.95	20.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-09-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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