

U.S. Drought Monitor

Illinois

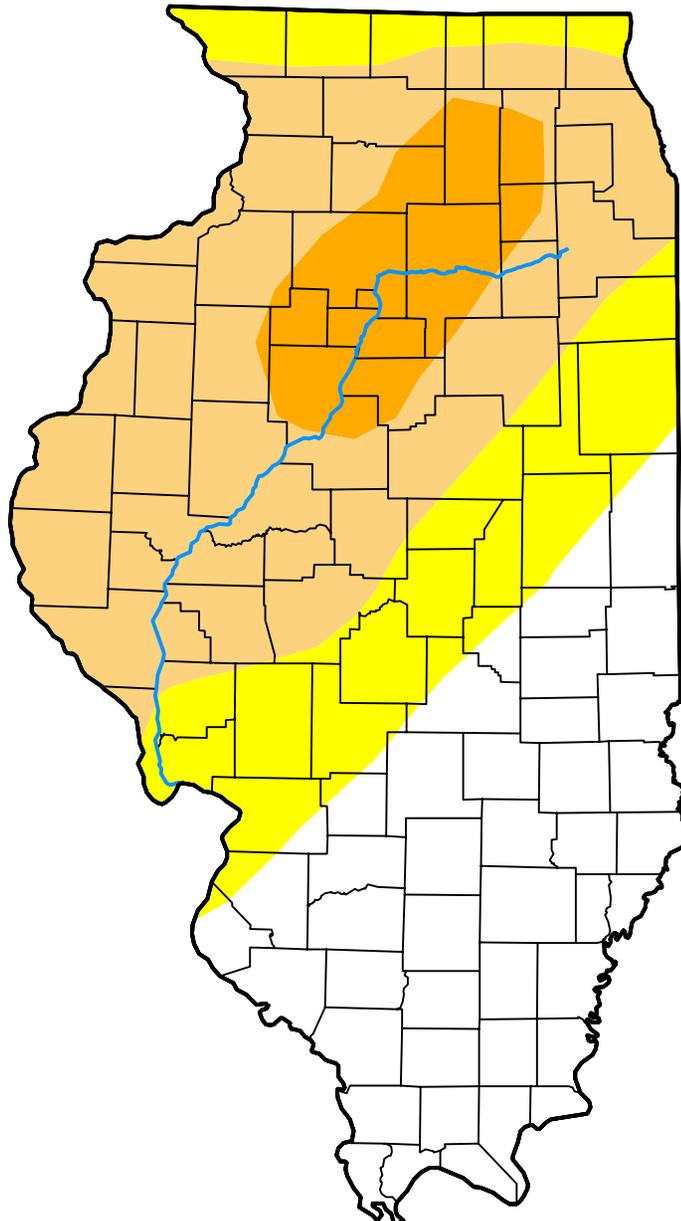
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 33.10 | 20.28 | 36.96 | 9.66 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>03-30-2006</i> | 35.84 | 12.42 | 13.22 | 38.51 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>01-05-2006</i> | 34.16 | 12.37 | 19.66 | 15.31 | 18.50 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i> | 34.16 | 12.37 | 19.66 | 15.31 | 18.50 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i> | 21.16 | 24.69 | 23.23 | 15.16 | 15.76 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>04-07-2005</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 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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