

U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	64.32	26.03	9.65	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-20-2006</i>	64.65	23.92	11.43	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-26-2006</i>	47.96	17.40	16.34	9.18	9.12	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	46.57	20.97	14.85	9.72	7.88	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	45.50	16.59	18.66	13.43	5.81	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-28-2005</i>	87.11	12.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

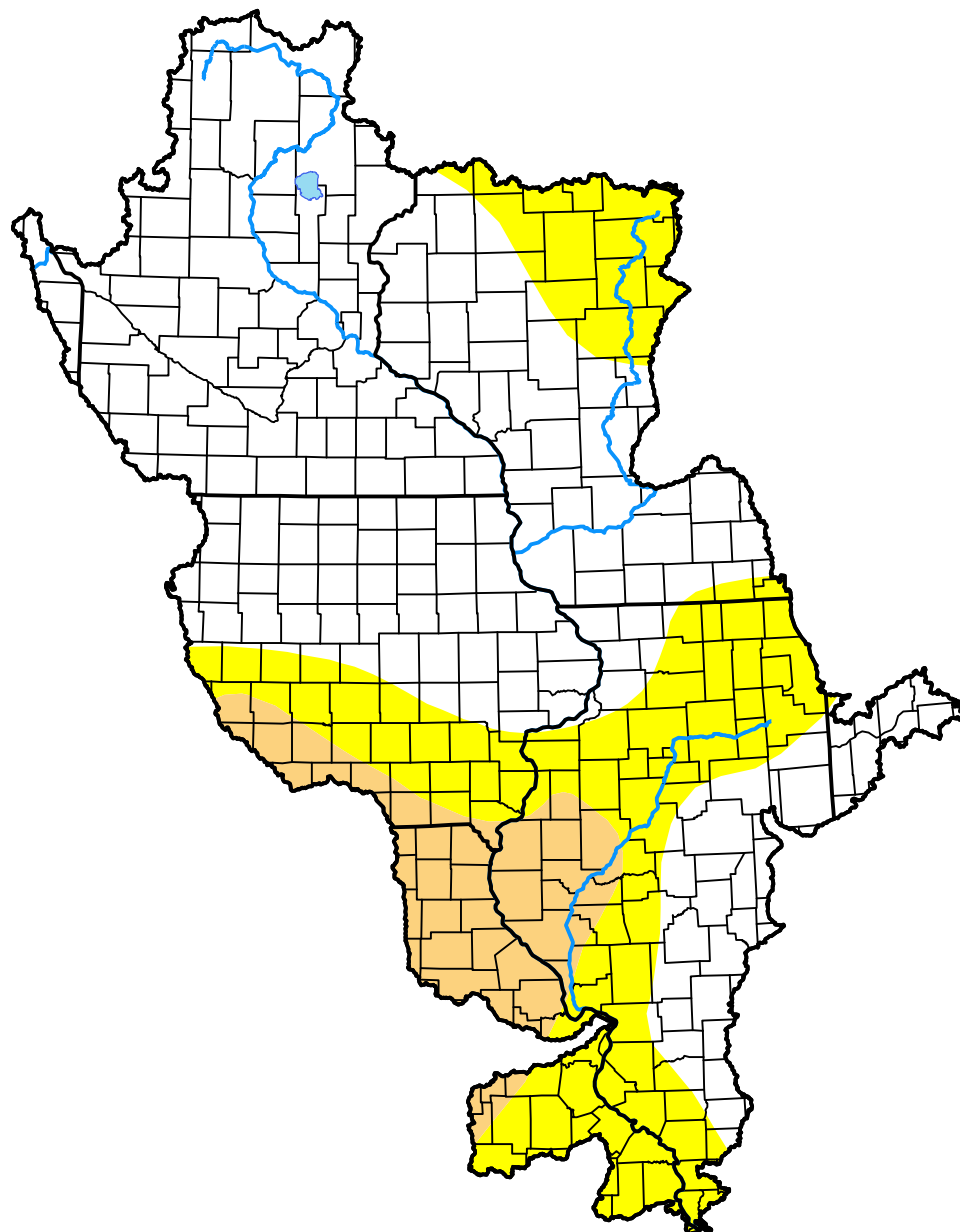
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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