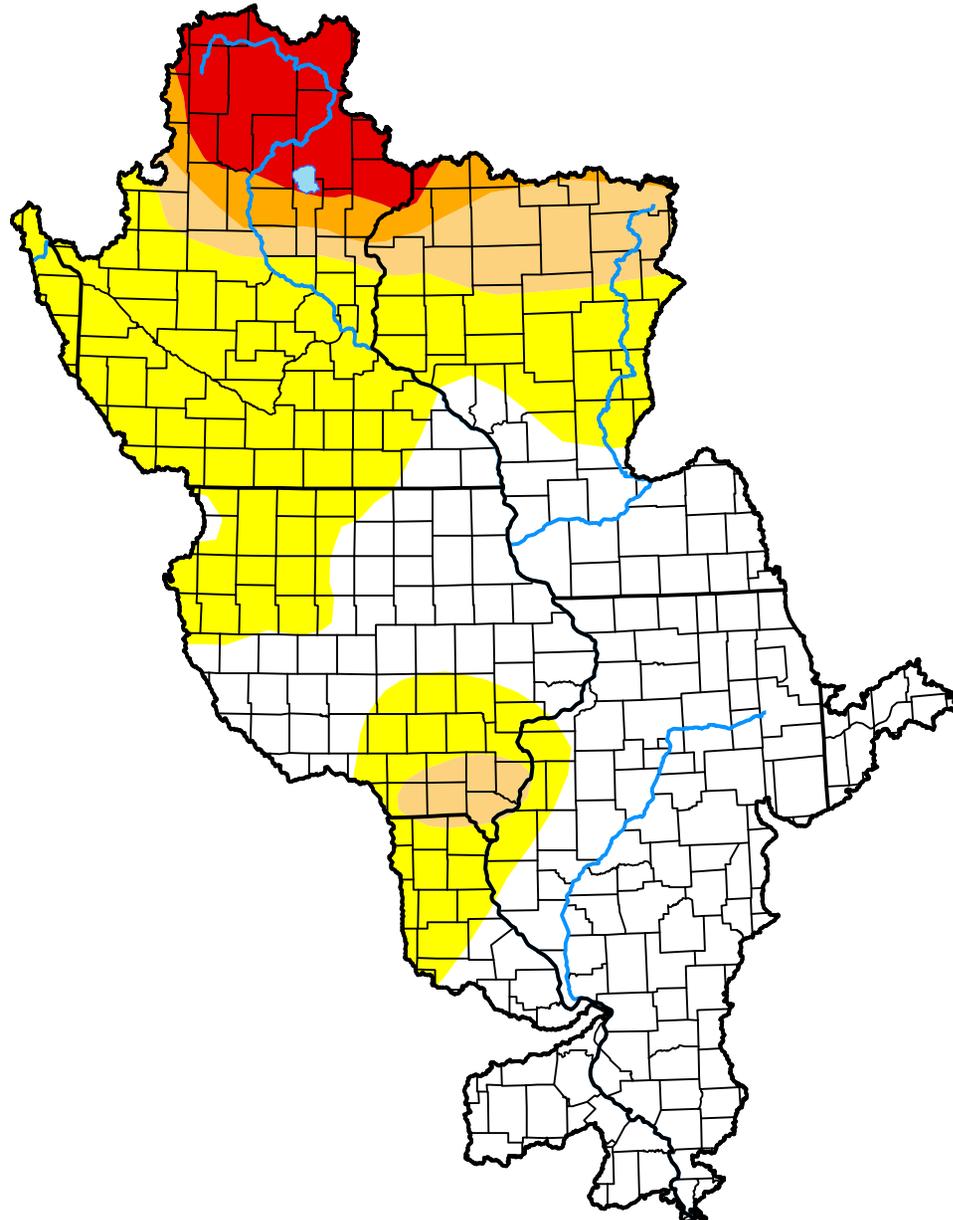


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	49.99	50.01	16.90	9.00	5.95	0.00
Last Week <i>01-11-2007</i>	49.06	50.94	16.90	9.00	5.95	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-19-2006</i>	55.13	44.87	22.75	8.68	5.95	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	49.32	50.68	16.90	9.00	5.95	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	60.18	39.82	18.48	8.68	6.73	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-19-2006</i>	47.96	52.04	34.64	18.30	9.12	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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