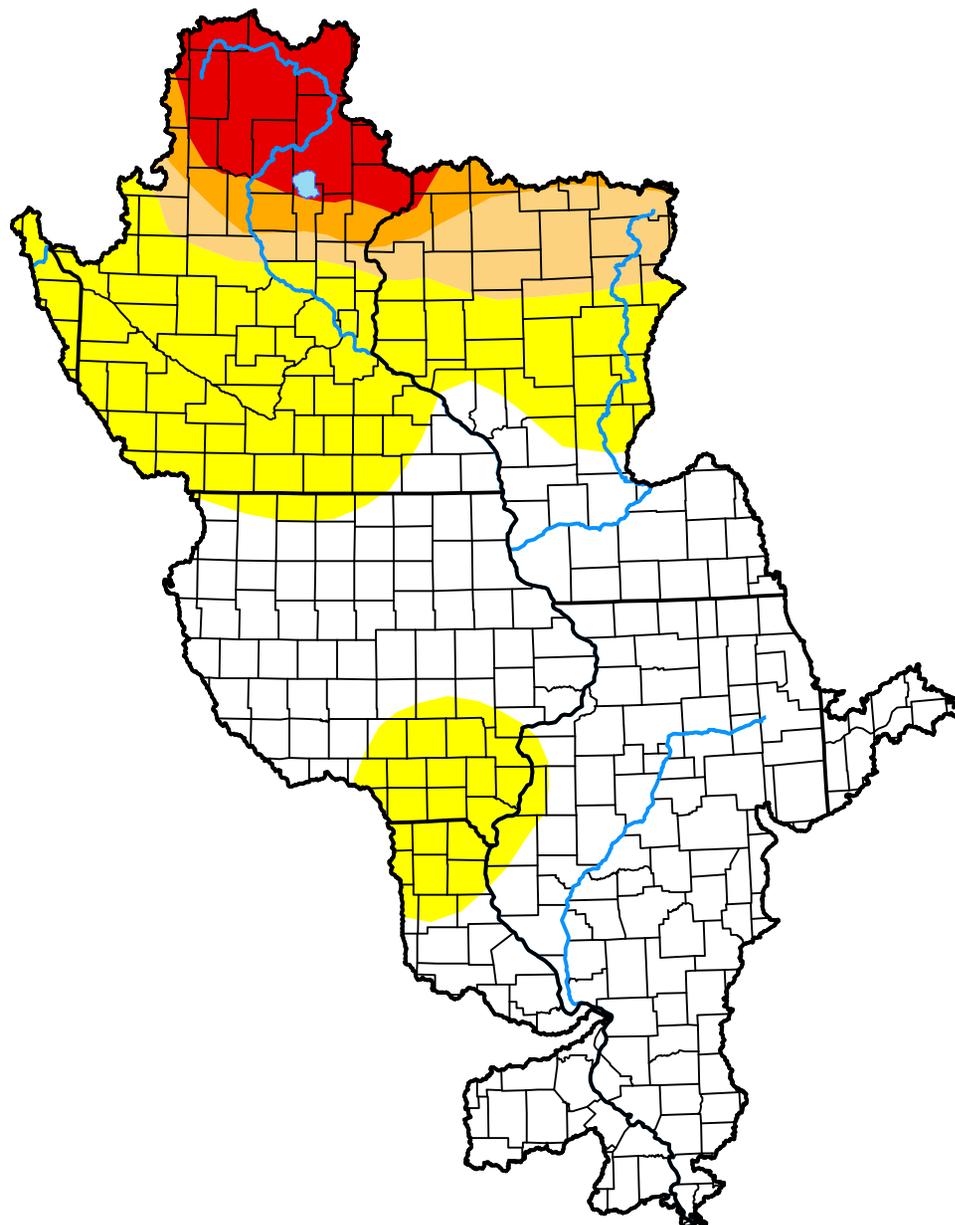


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

February 20, 2007
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 55.95 | 44.05 | 15.42 | 9.00 | 5.95 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>02-15-2007</i> | 55.95 | 44.05 | 15.42 | 9.00 | 5.95 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>11-22-2006</i> | 51.29 | 48.71 | 19.69 | 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>02-23-2006</i> | 56.94 | 43.06 | 32.64 | 14.42 | 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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