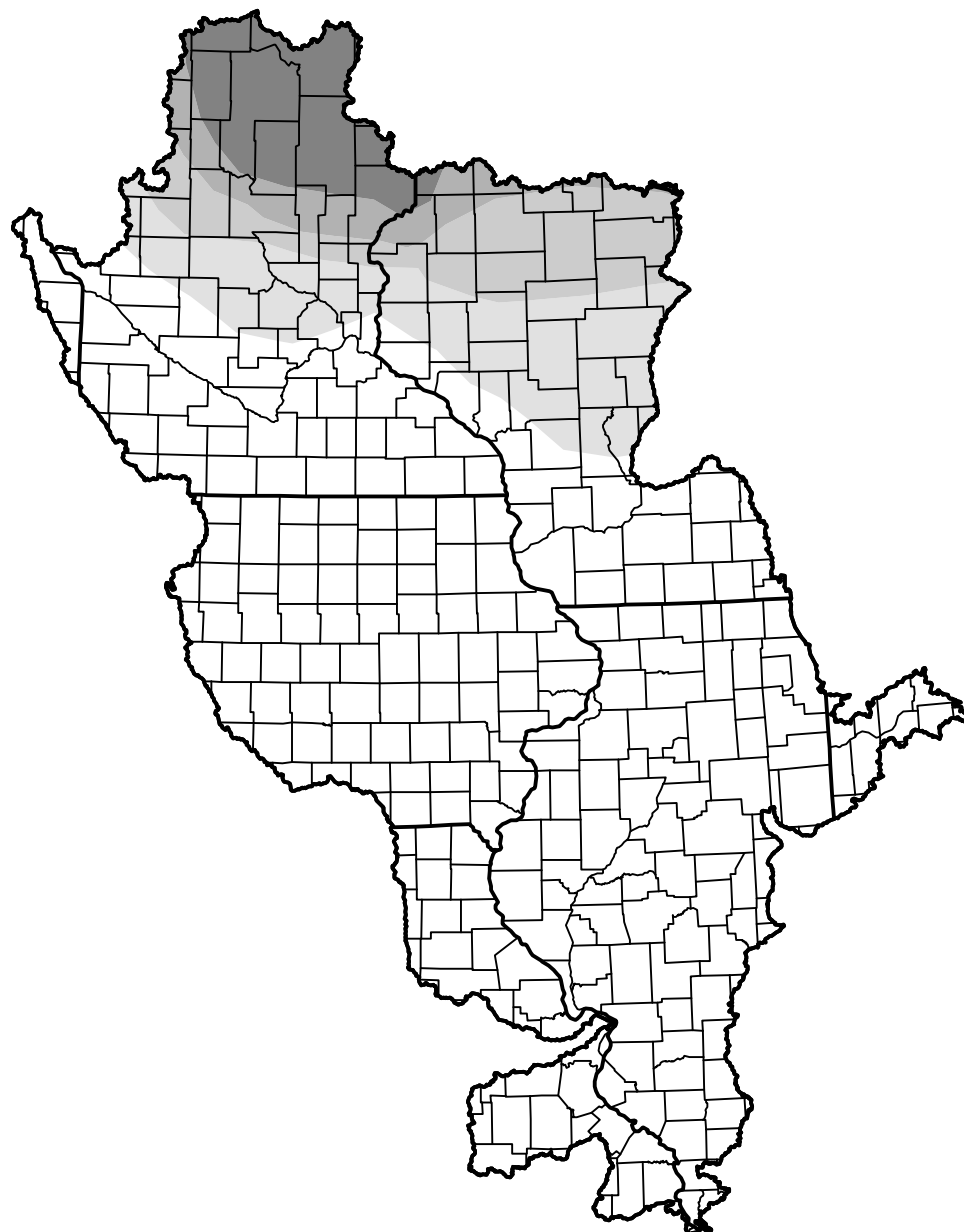


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	75.19	9.91	6.43	3.06	5.41	0.00
Last Week <i>02-22-2007</i>	55.95	28.62	6.43	3.05	5.95	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-30-2006</i>	51.19	29.07	11.06	2.73	5.95	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	49.32	33.78	7.90	3.05	5.95	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	60.18	21.34	9.80	1.95	6.73	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-02-2006</i>	49.05	14.75	13.72	22.48	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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