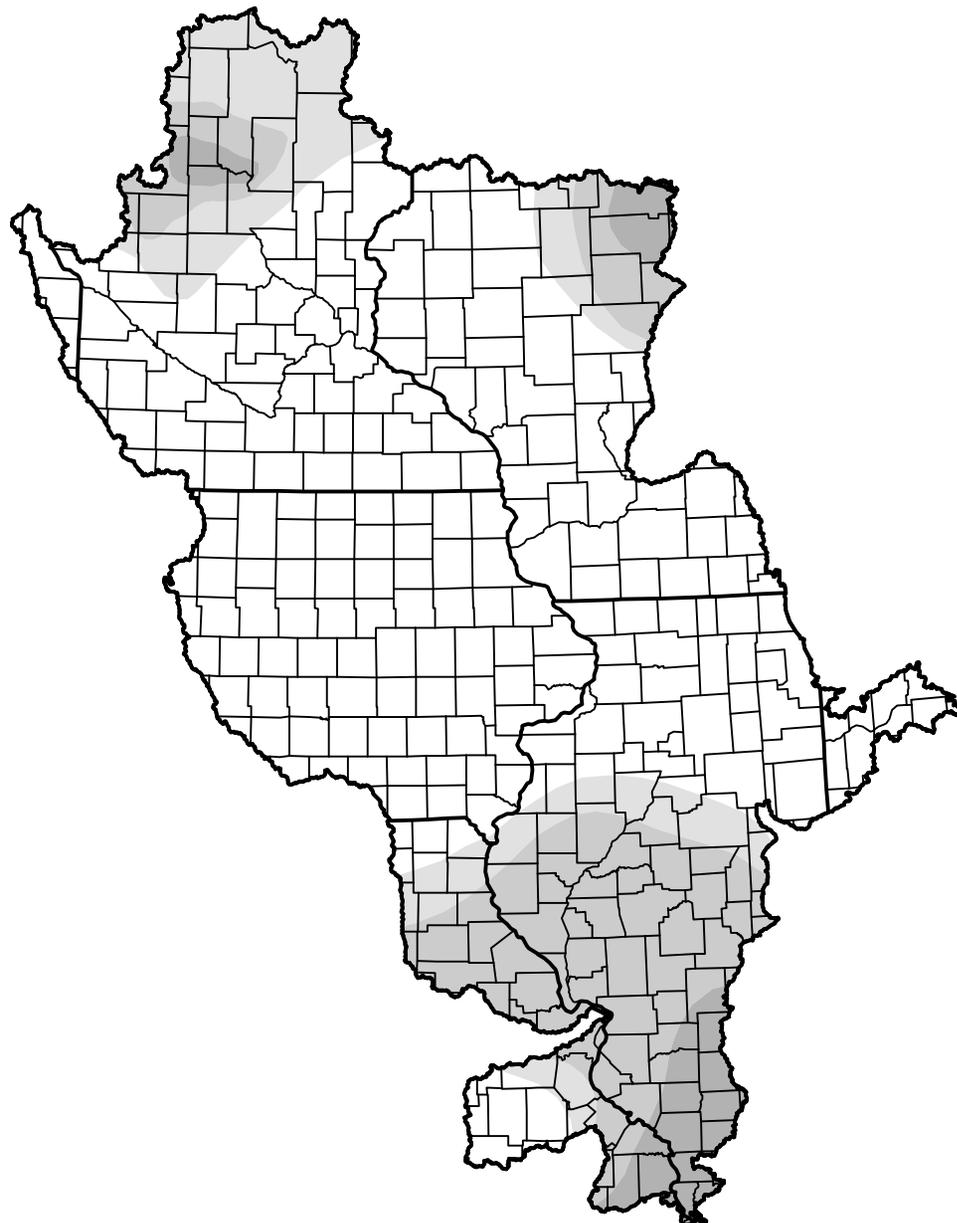


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	68.78	10.72	16.00	4.49	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-11-2007</i>	65.00	13.89	16.69	4.42	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-19-2007</i>	44.70	29.74	24.58	0.99	0.00	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>09-27-2007</i>	57.15	11.42	22.07	8.63	0.73	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-19-2006</i>	55.13	22.12	14.07	2.73	5.95	0.00

Intensity:



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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