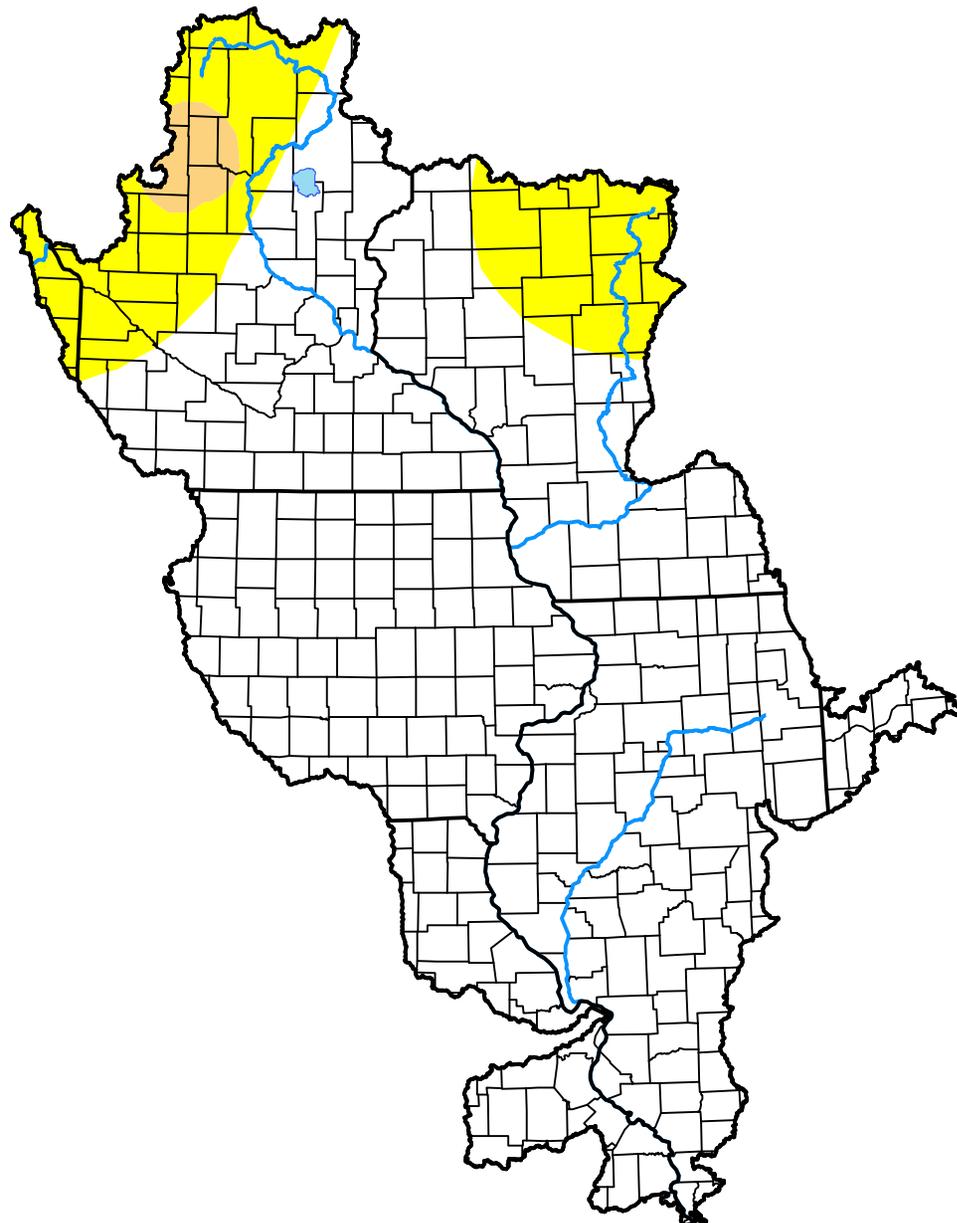


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	84.69	13.91	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-14-2008</i>	86.27	11.35	2.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-21-2007</i>	73.00	12.81	14.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	80.48	13.77	5.74	0.00	0.00	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>02-22-2007</i>	55.95	28.62	6.43	3.05	5.95	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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