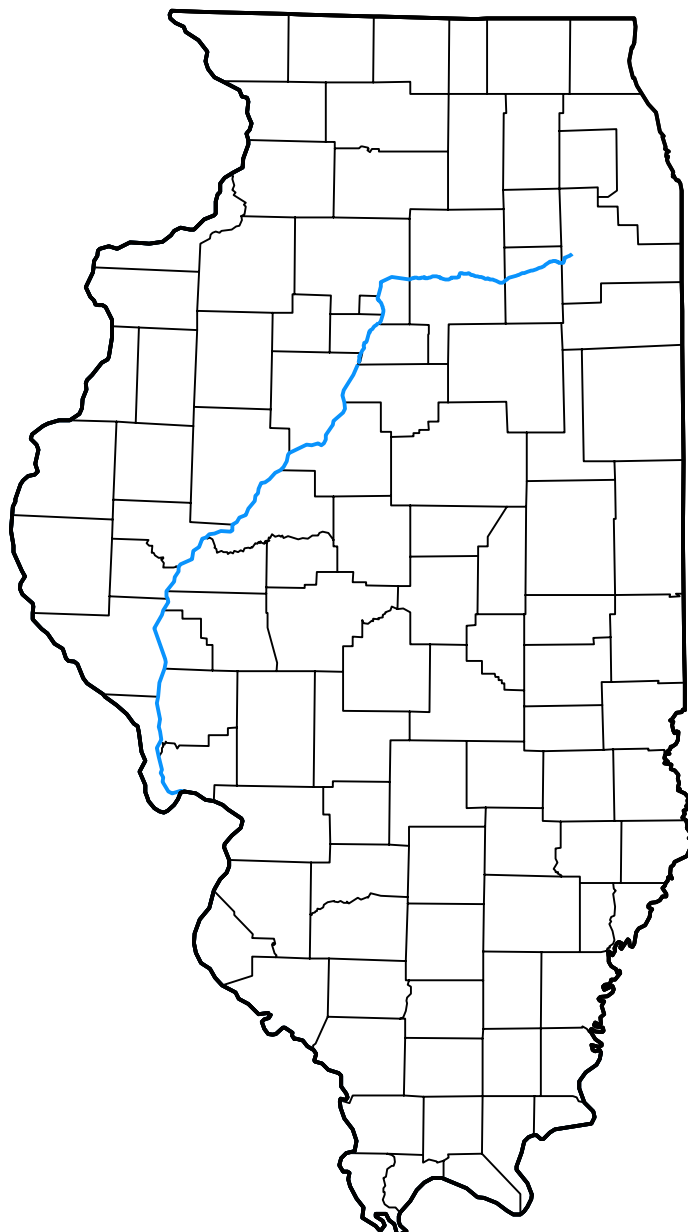


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-21-2008	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-29-2008	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2008	79.87	20.14	6.61	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2007	36.69	63.31	50.86	17.31	0.62	0.00
One Year Ago 08-30-2007	44.67	55.33	39.05	13.05	0.30	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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