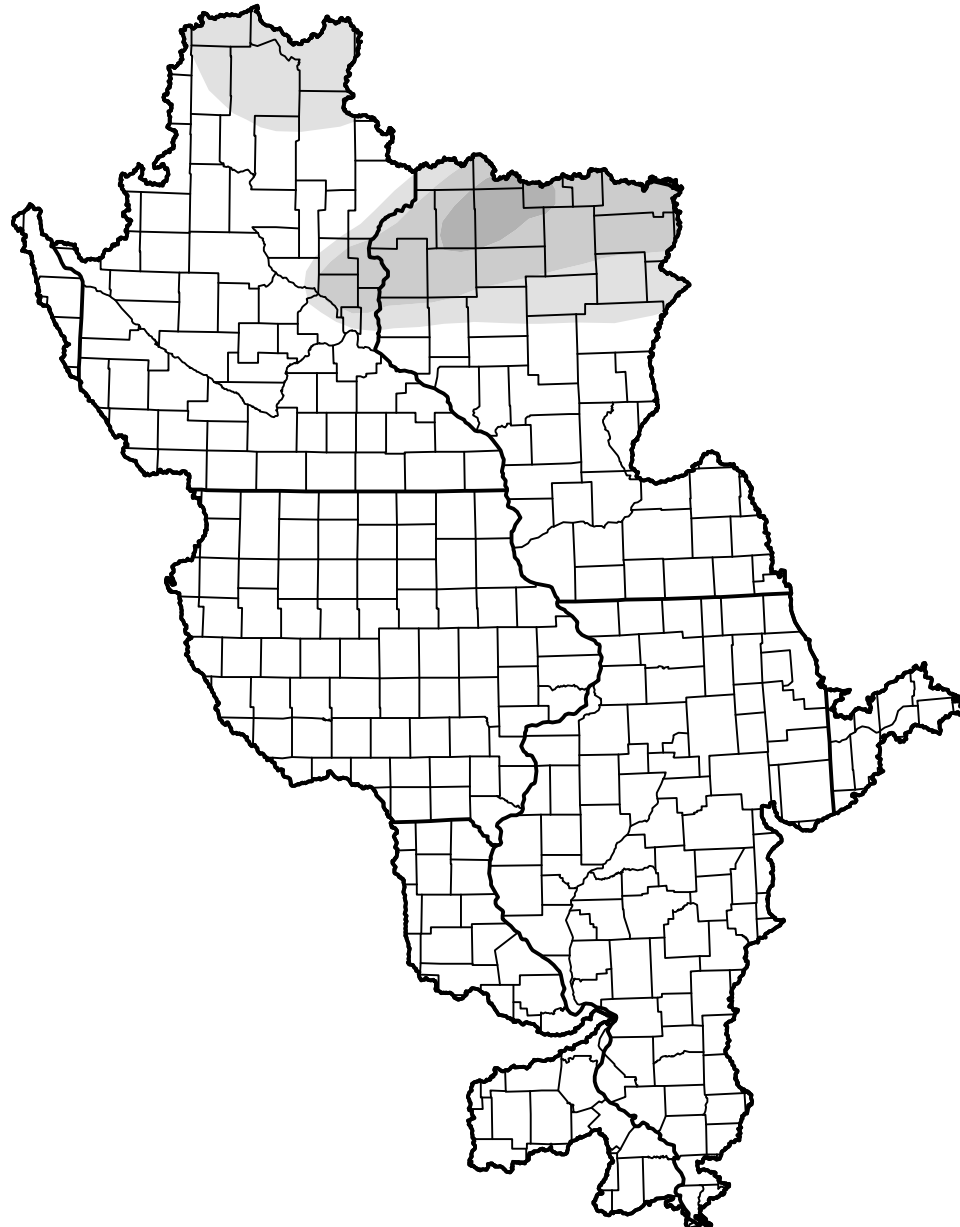


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 87.39 | 12.61 | 6.18 | 1.08 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>03-04-2010</i> | 87.39 | 12.61 | 6.18 | 1.08 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-10-2009</i> | 85.60 | 14.40 | 6.55 | 1.97 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2009</i> | 85.60 | 14.40 | 6.55 | 1.97 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i> | 56.44 | 43.56 | 25.02 | 11.23 | 3.33 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-12-2009</i> | 76.13 | 23.87 | 17.06 | 5.65 | 0.00 | 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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