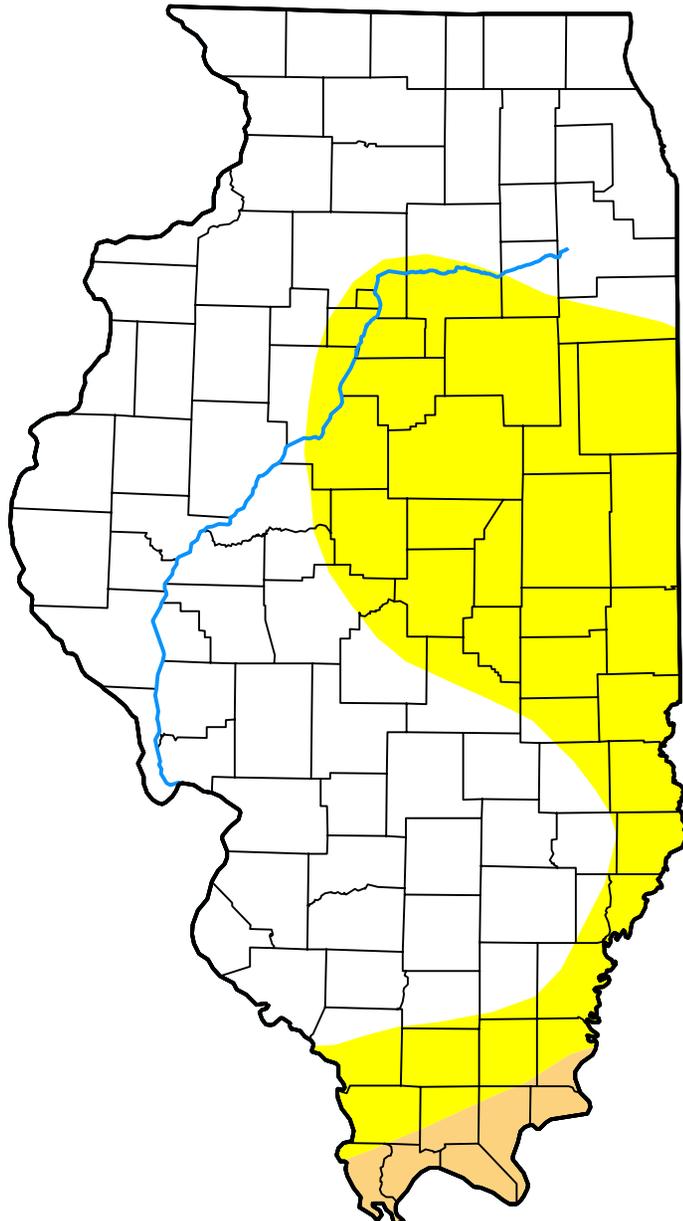


U.S. Drought Monitor

Illinois

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 64.42 | 35.58 | 2.68 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>08-26-2010</i> | 89.37 | 10.63 | 2.68 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>06-03-2010</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2009</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i> | 98.60 | 1.40 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>09-03-2009</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 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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