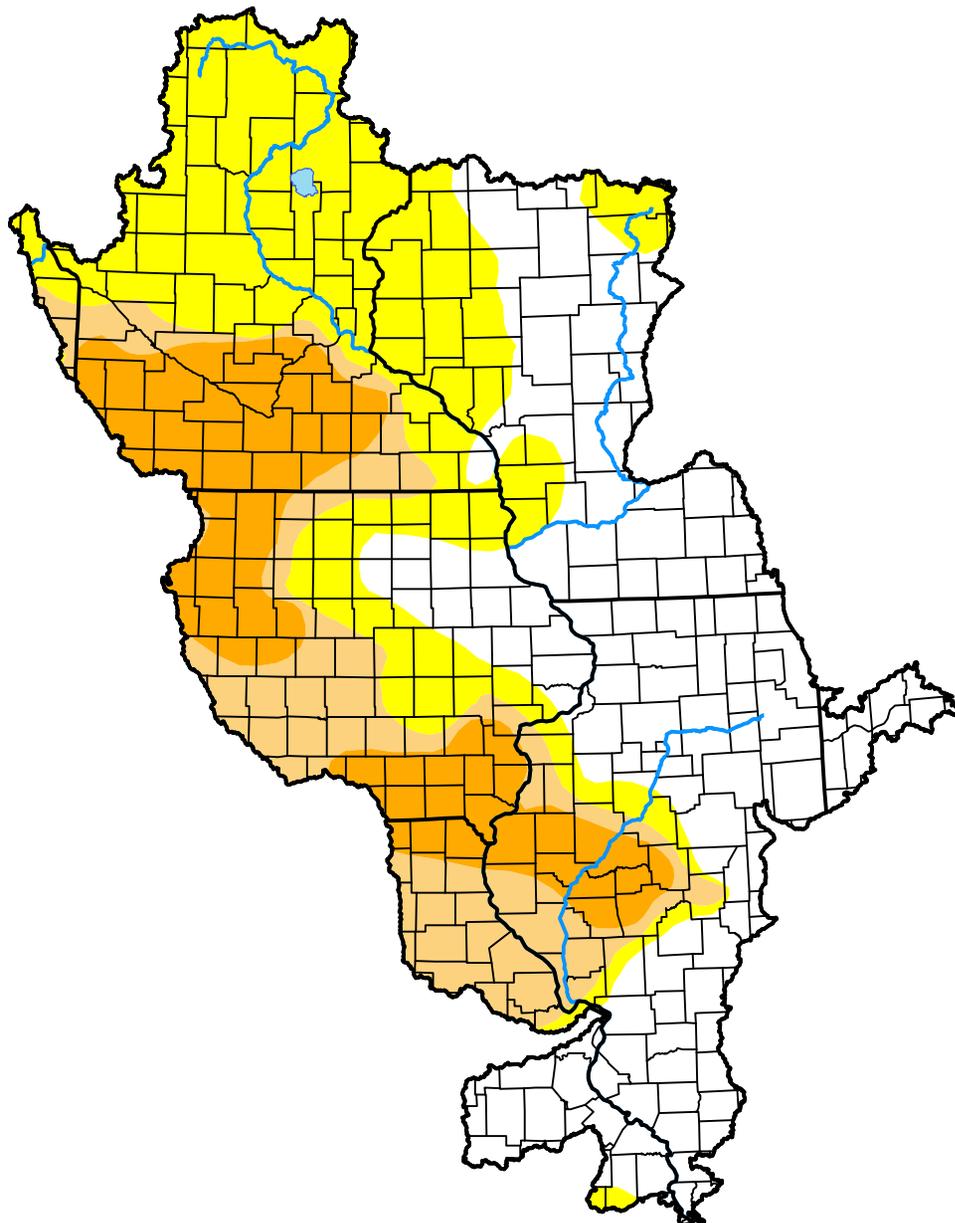


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Mississippi Watershed

**November 1, 2011**  
 (Released Thursday, Nov. 3, 2011)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 38.96 | 61.04 | 30.91 | 16.43 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-27-2011</i>              | 48.79 | 51.21 | 30.03 | 14.96 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-04-2011</i>           | 65.39 | 34.61 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-06-2011</i> | 98.39 | 1.61  | 0.03  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2011</i>    | 48.81 | 51.19 | 21.74 | 7.91  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>11-04-2010</i>           | 93.21 | 6.79  | 2.31  | 0.01  | 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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