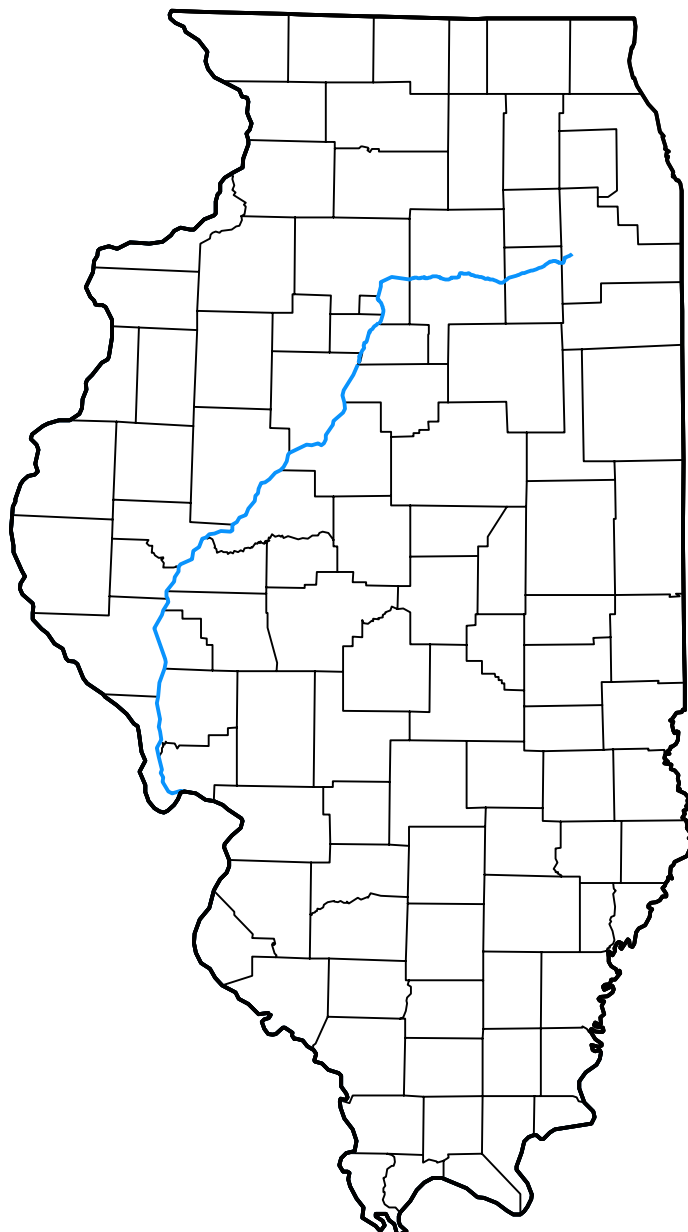


U.S. Drought Monitor Illinois



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-15-2011	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-22-2011	20.57	38.28	13.43	27.72	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-06-2011	93.09	6.87	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	45.76	23.48	16.08	14.68	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-23-2010	79.40	20.55	0.04	0.00	0.00	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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