

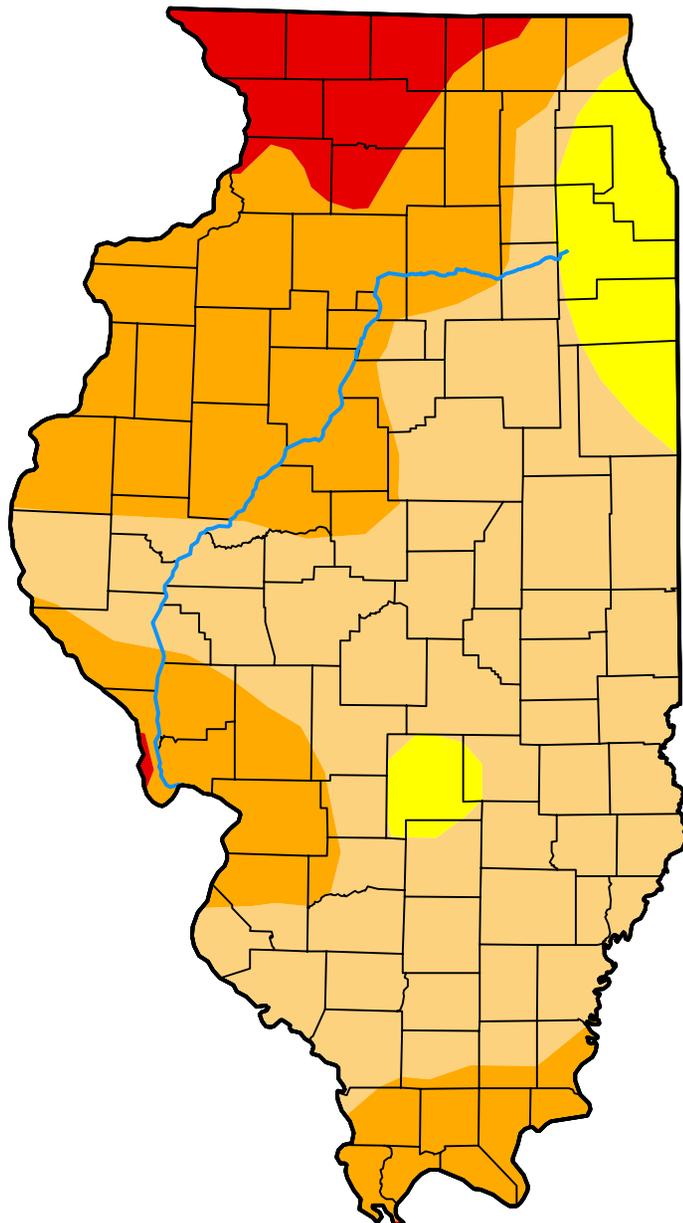
# U.S. Drought Monitor Illinois

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	7.34	51.39	34.60	6.67	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-13-2012</i>	0.00	5.94	47.26	40.13	6.66	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-21-2012</i>	0.00	30.20	41.96	20.05	7.78	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	45.76	23.48	16.08	14.68	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-22-2011</i>	20.57	38.28	13.43	27.72	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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