

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Mississippi Watershed

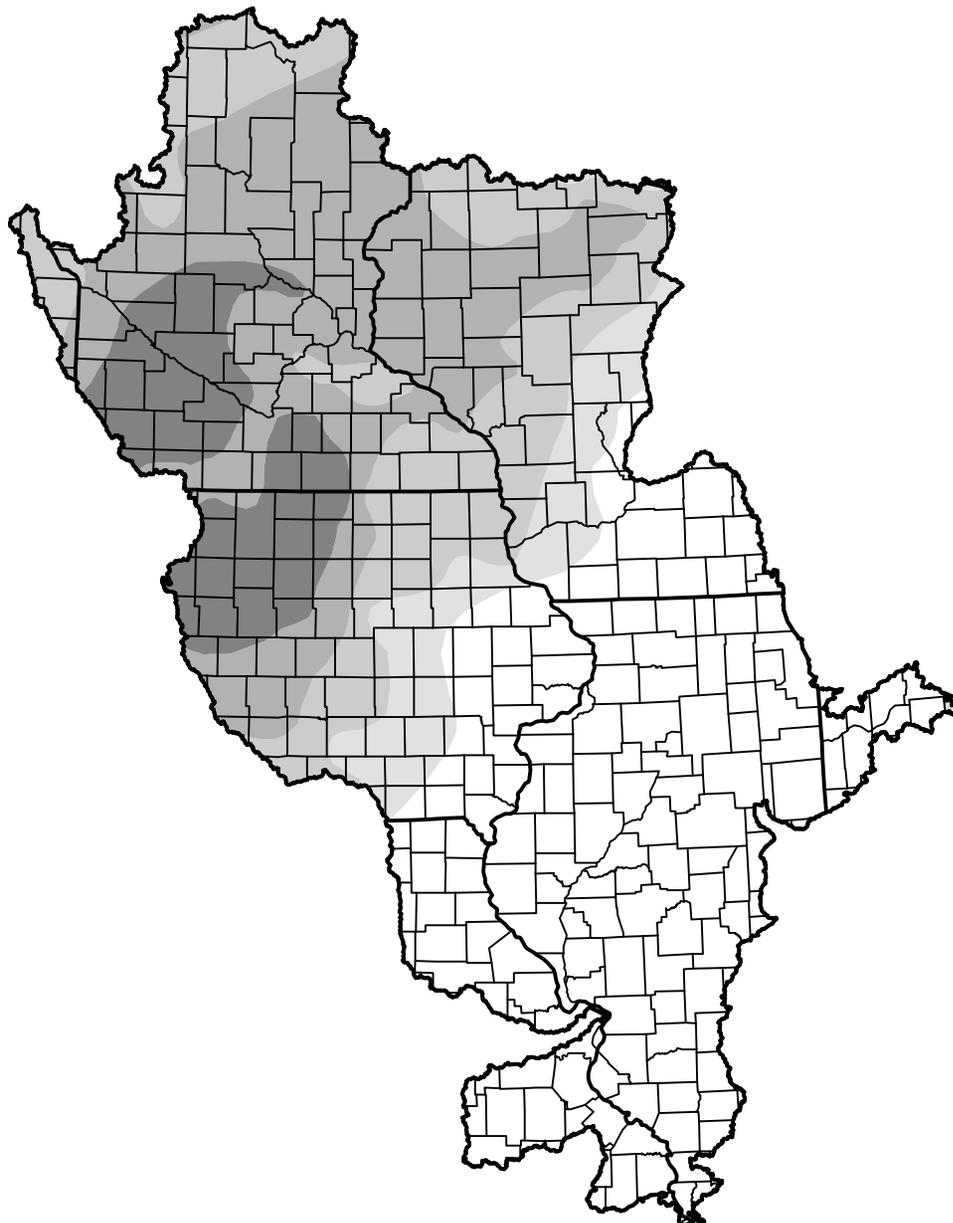
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	42.86	7.07	16.64	23.28	10.15	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-04-2013</i>	33.02	15.41	17.01	24.42	10.15	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-10-2013</i>	4.49	13.60	36.59	31.72	13.61	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2013</i>	4.47	13.76	36.45	31.72	13.61	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.01	14.82	30.62	34.49	20.06	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-12-2012</i>	41.10	26.22	21.11	11.57	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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