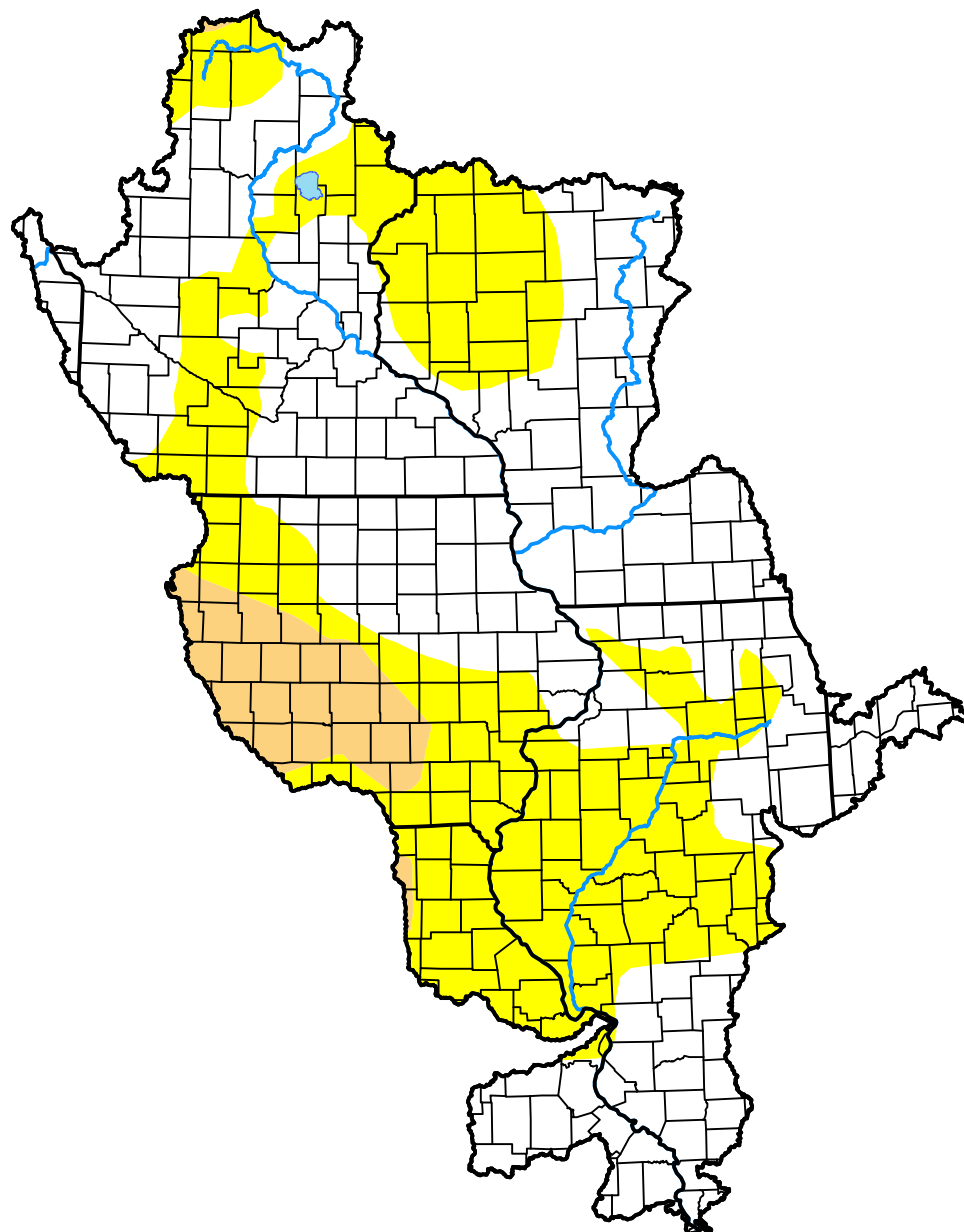


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	56.65	37.20	6.15	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-08-2013</i>	69.04	30.09	0.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-16-2013</i>	70.25	14.90	11.16	3.69	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	4.47	13.76	36.45	31.72	13.61	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.01	14.82	30.62	34.49	20.06	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-16-2012</i>	23.92	5.11	8.53	22.05	39.10	1.29

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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