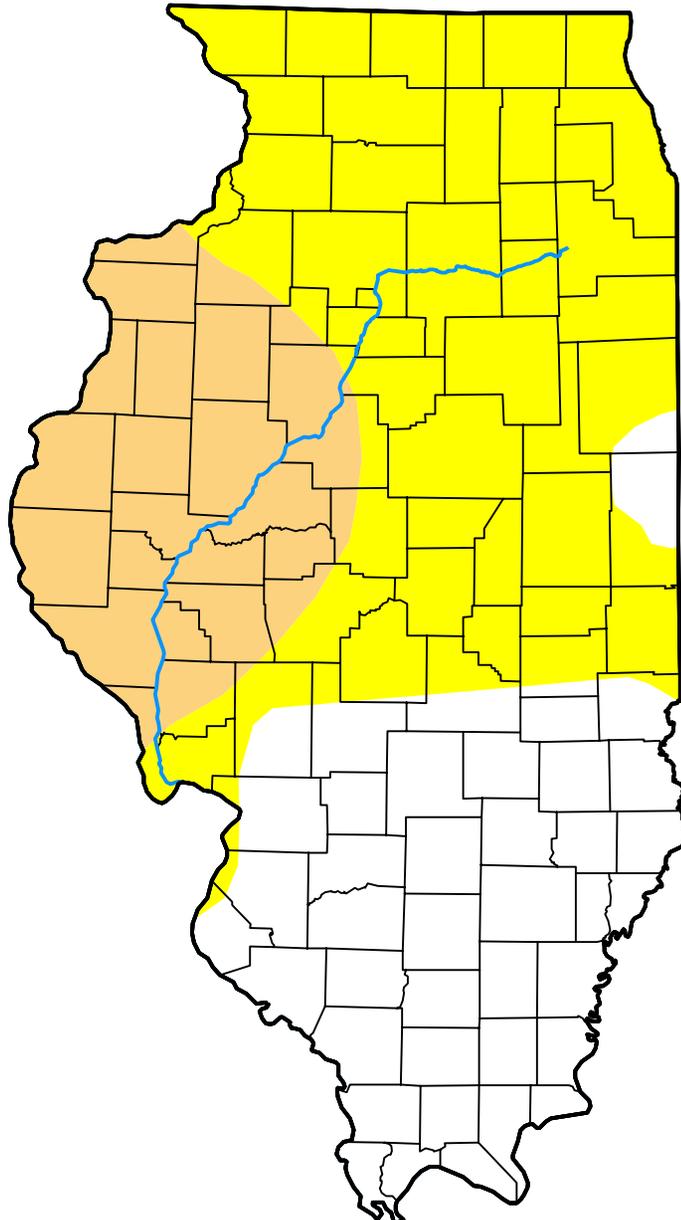


# U.S. Drought Monitor Illinois

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	31.95	47.21	20.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-22-2013</i>	37.20	62.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-30-2013</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2013</i>	22.36	37.63	31.11	8.90	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.00	17.63	42.31	33.39	6.67	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-30-2012</i>	0.00	1.20	4.68	24.56	61.73	7.82

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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