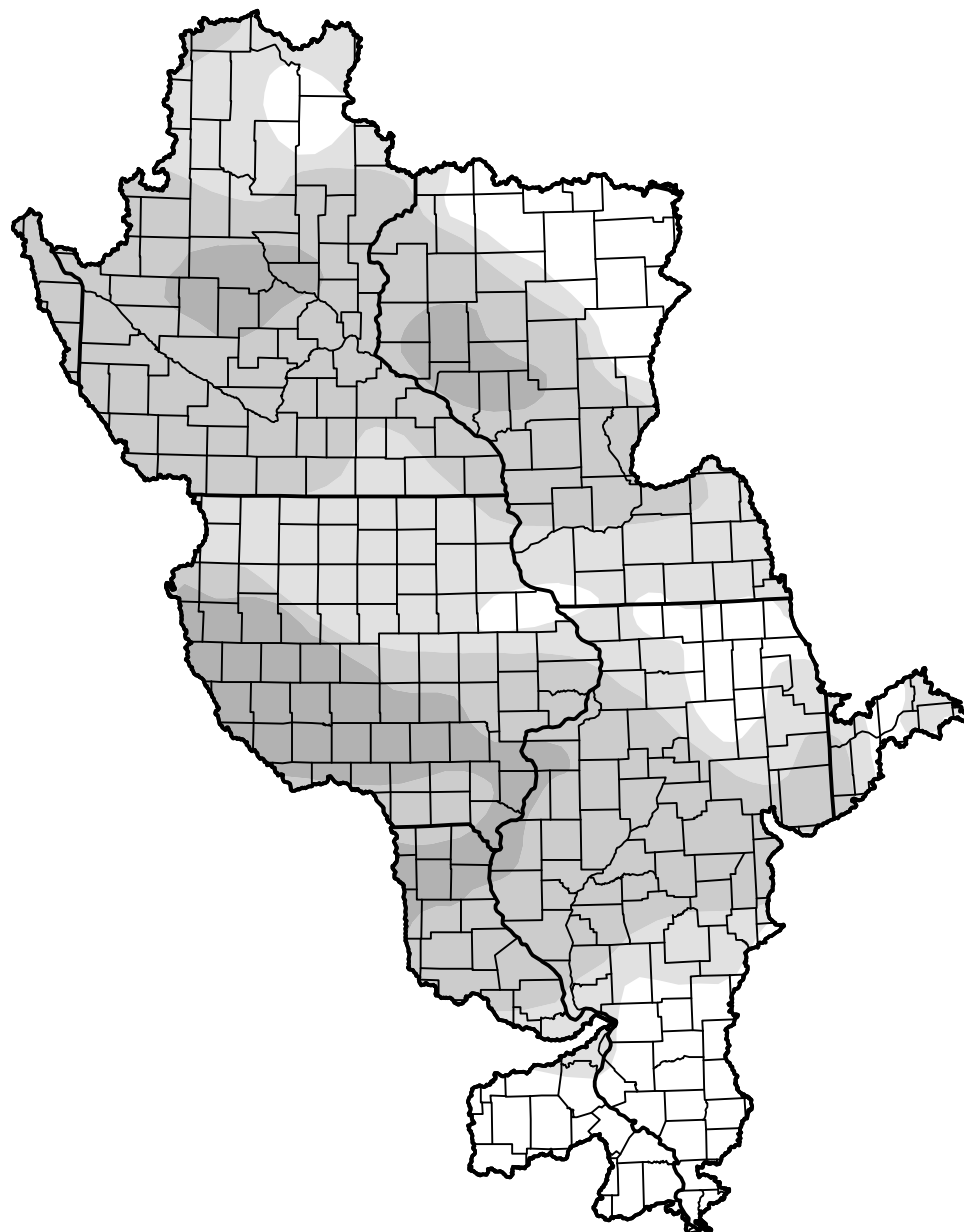


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Mississippi Watershed

**September 3, 2013**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 5, 2013)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 17.69 | 25.89 | 43.23 | 13.18 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-29-2013</i>              | 12.67 | 41.31 | 41.41 | 4.61  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-06-2013</i>           | 87.81 | 6.08  | 4.71  | 1.40  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2013</i> | 4.47  | 13.76 | 36.45 | 31.72 | 13.61 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2012</i>    | 0.01  | 14.82 | 30.62 | 34.49 | 20.06 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-06-2012</i>           | 10.03 | 19.09 | 17.40 | 35.61 | 17.88 | 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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