

# U.S. Drought Monitor

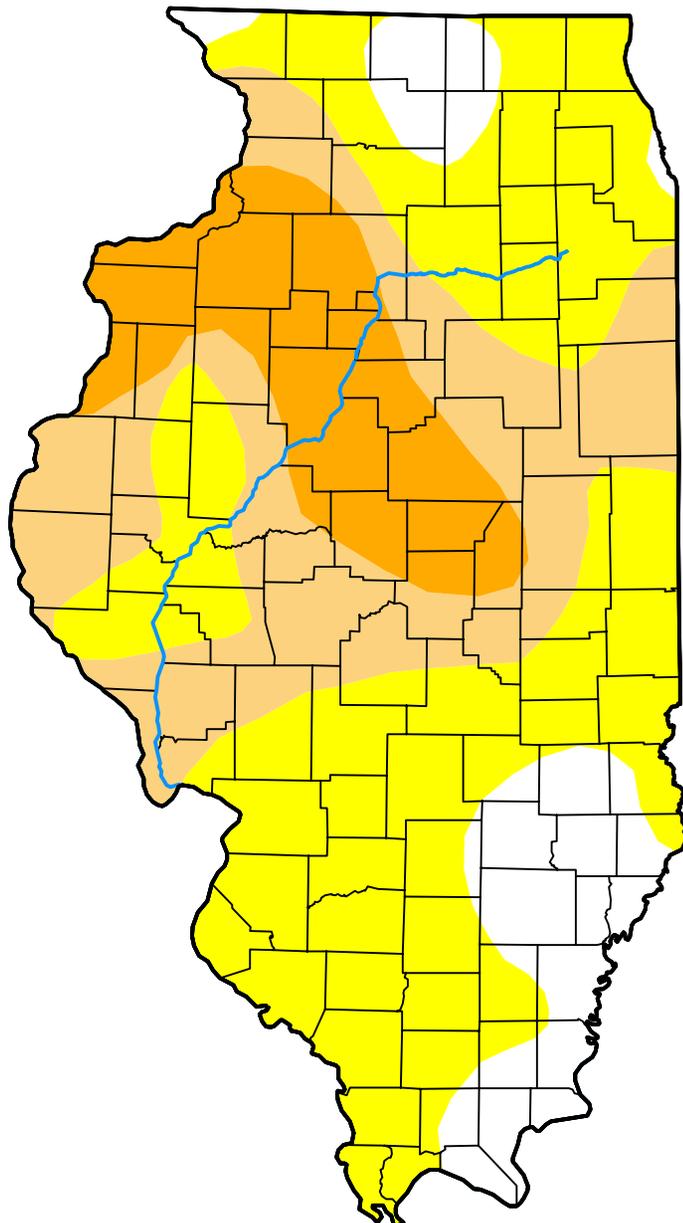
## Illinois

**September 24, 2013**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None   | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|--|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 12.59  | 46.75 | 25.71 | 14.95 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-19-2013</i>              | 19.33  | 38.98 | 31.76 | 9.93  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-27-2013</i>           | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2013</i> | 22.36  | 37.63 | 31.11 | 8.90  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2012</i>    | 0.00   | 17.63 | 42.31 | 33.39 | 6.67 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-27-2012</i>           | 0.00   | 17.63 | 42.31 | 33.39 | 6.67 | 0.00 |



***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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