

U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	18.21	81.79	48.02	17.54	0.52	0.00
Last Week 10-17-2013	18.12	81.88	49.21	17.54	0.52	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-25-2013	82.35	17.65	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2013	4.47	95.53	81.77	45.32	13.61	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-03-2013	12.80	87.20	62.28	25.10	0.52	0.00
One Year Ago 10-25-2012	1.17	98.83	89.93	53.35	24.18	0.00

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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