

U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	98.31	1.69	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-09-2014	94.57	5.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-17-2014	99.76	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2014	35.58	27.56	29.39	7.48	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2014	95.45	4.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 10-17-2013	18.12	32.67	31.67	17.02	0.52	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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