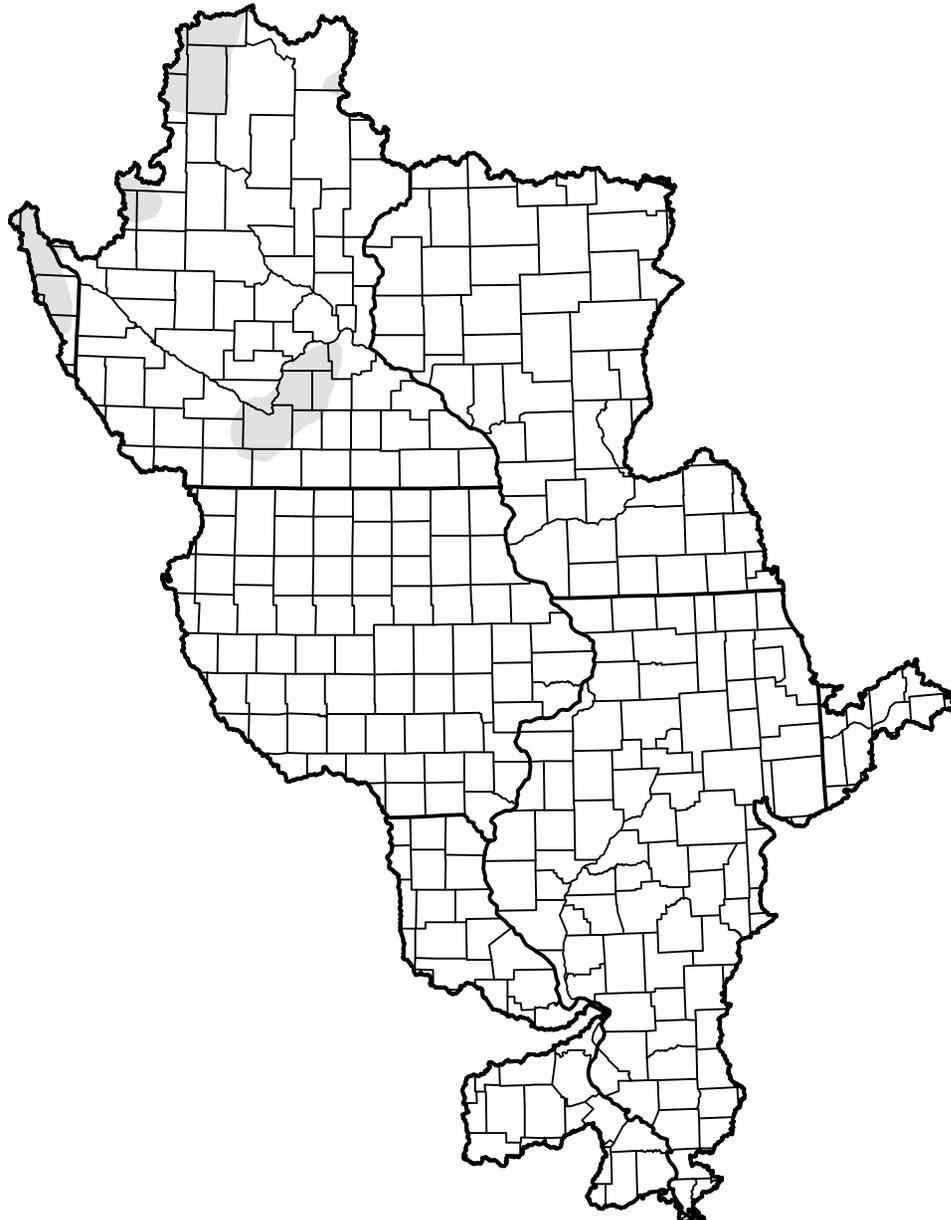


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	96.41	3.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-16-2014</i>	98.31	1.69	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-24-2014</i>	99.76	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2014</i>	35.58	64.42	36.86	7.48	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i>	95.45	4.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-24-2013</i>	18.21	81.79	48.02	17.54	0.52	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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