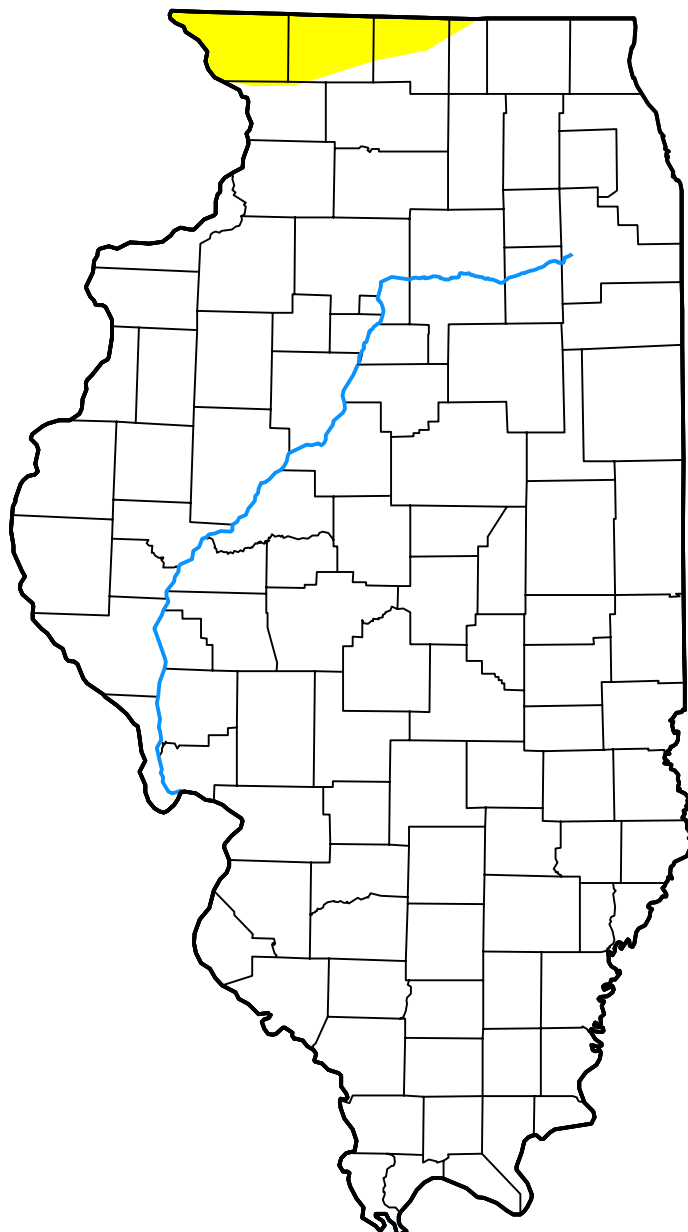


U.S. Drought Monitor Illinois



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	97.48	2.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-19-2015</i>	97.60	2.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-24-2014</i>	99.86	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	99.86	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i>	99.83	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-27-2014</i>	73.62	26.38	2.57	0.00	0.00	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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