

U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	39.81	27.98	32.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-09-2015</i>	34.66	31.07	34.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-15-2015</i>	82.48	17.24	0.29	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	82.45	17.26	0.29	0.00	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>04-17-2014</i>	62.22	23.03	13.23	1.52	0.00	0.00

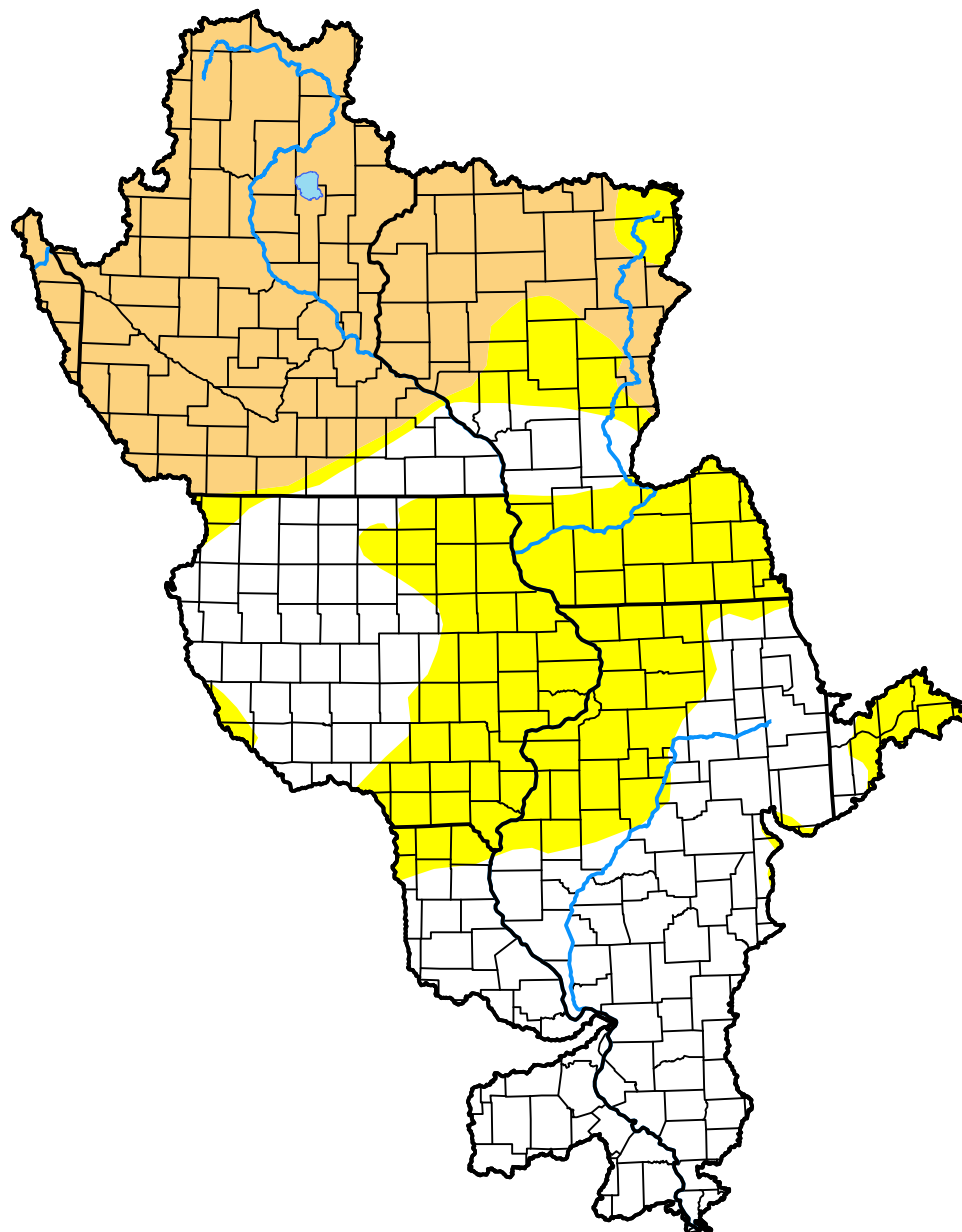
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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