

U.S. Drought Monitor

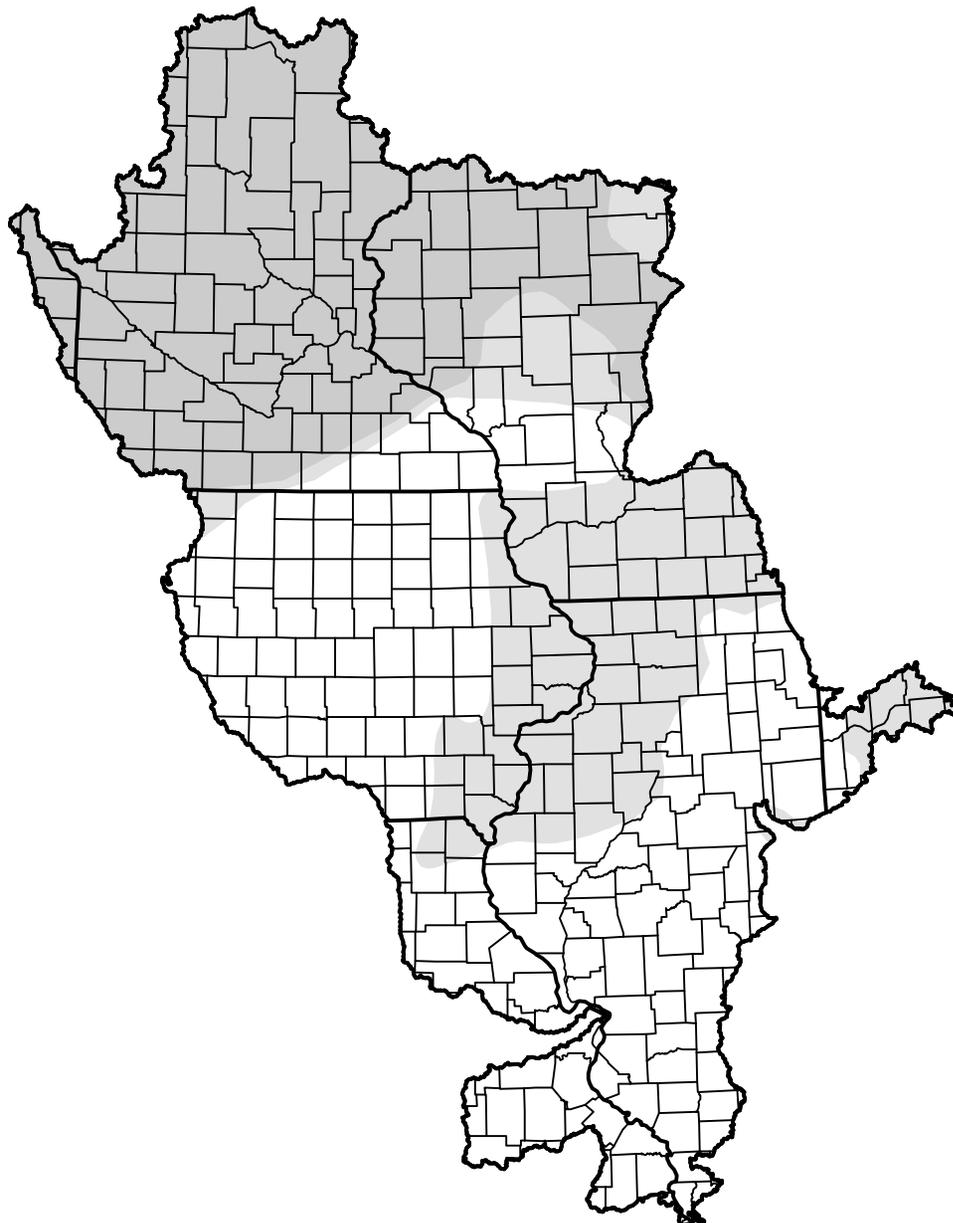
Upper Mississippi Watershed

April 21, 2015
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	45.15	22.65	32.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-16-2015</i>	39.81	27.98	32.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-22-2015</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>04-24-2014</i>	61.25	24.00	13.23	1.52	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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