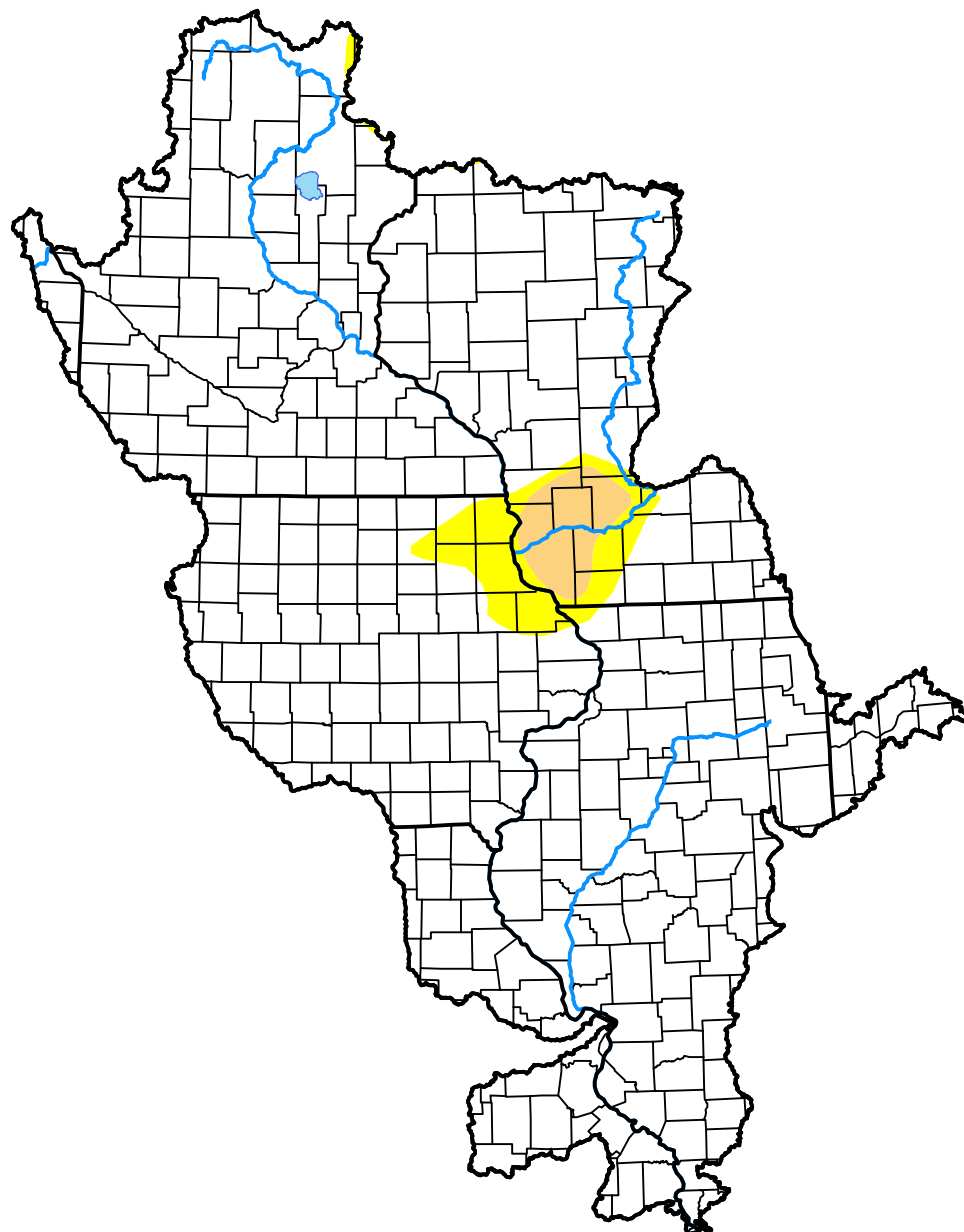


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	94.90	5.10	1.81	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-20-2015	94.36	5.64	1.93	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-28-2015	64.00	36.00	5.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2014	82.45	17.55	0.29	0.00	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 08-28-2014	87.92	12.08	0.00	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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