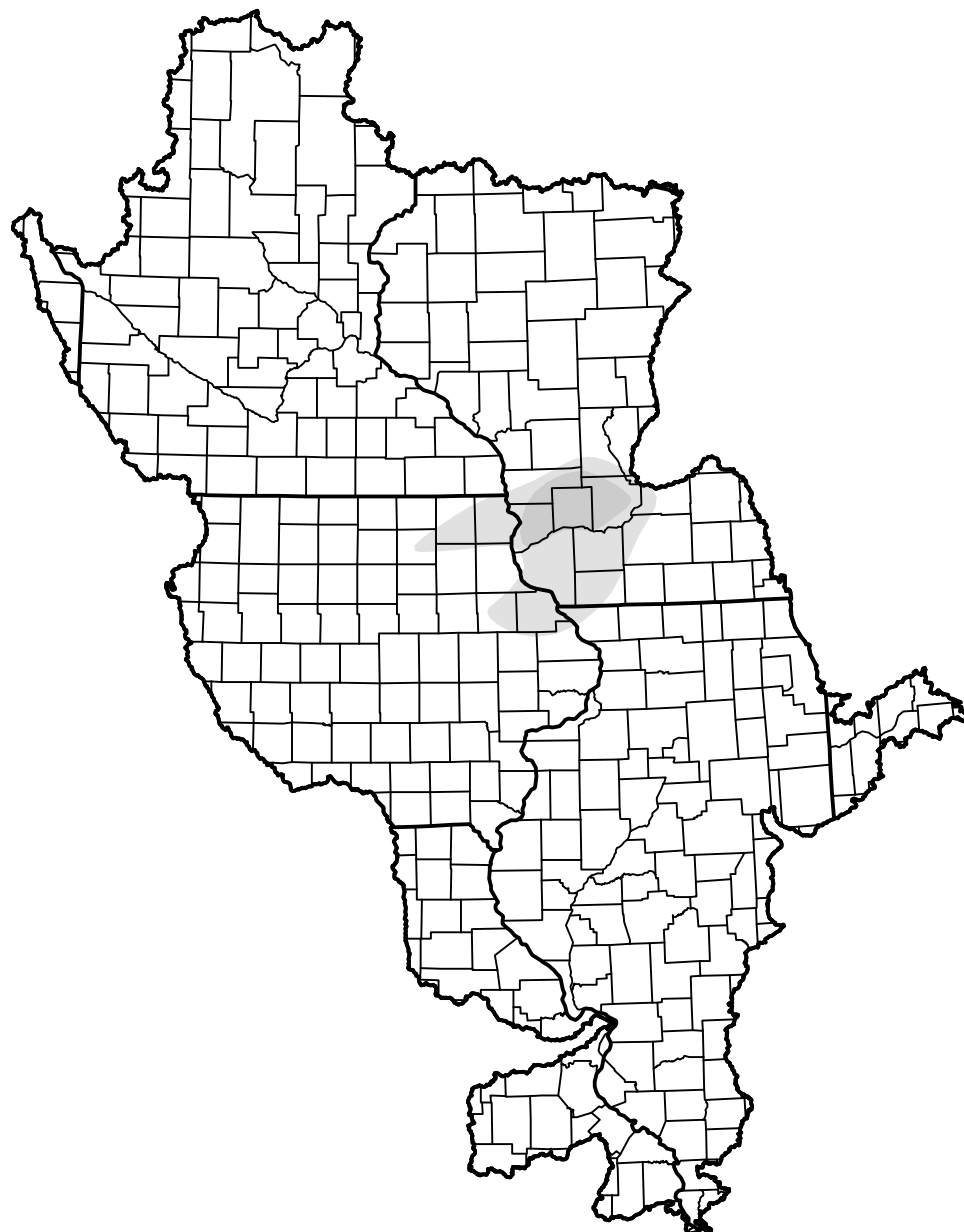


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	95.60	3.38	1.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-27-2015</i>	94.90	3.30	1.81	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-04-2015</i>	85.73	14.13	0.14	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>09-04-2014</i>	95.63	4.37	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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