

# 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
<b>Current</b>	96.25	3.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 10-20-2016	96.51	3.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 07-28-2016	90.71	9.29	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 12-31-2015	98.60	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-29-2016	99.18	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 10-29-2015	63.97	36.03	14.13	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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