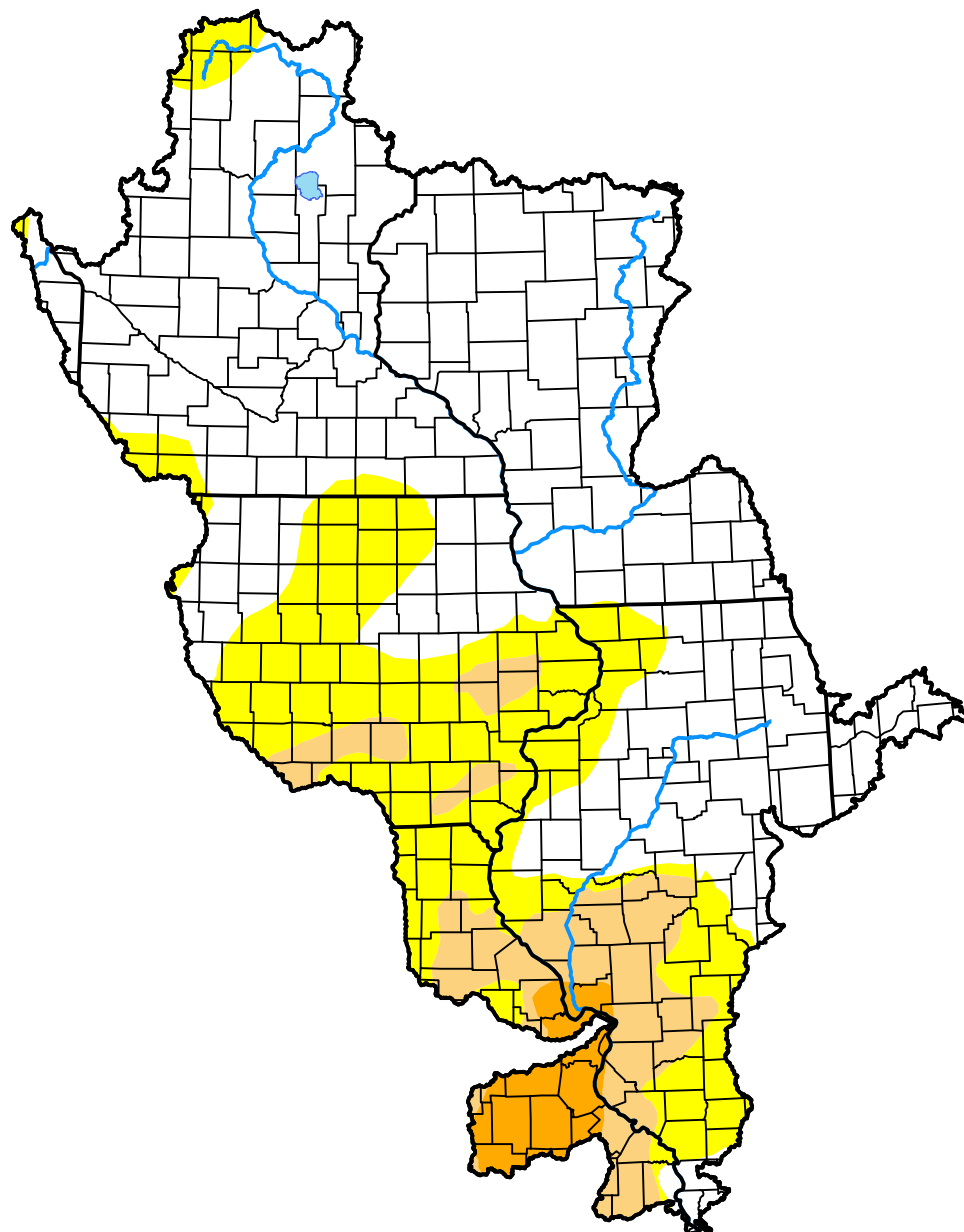


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	64.82	35.18	12.09	3.06	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-21-2017</i>	64.23	35.77	11.39	3.07	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-28-2017</i>	43.96	56.04	14.44	1.40	0.49	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	80.09	19.91	4.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	43.96	56.04	14.44	1.40	0.49	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-29-2016</i>	80.09	19.91	0.11	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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