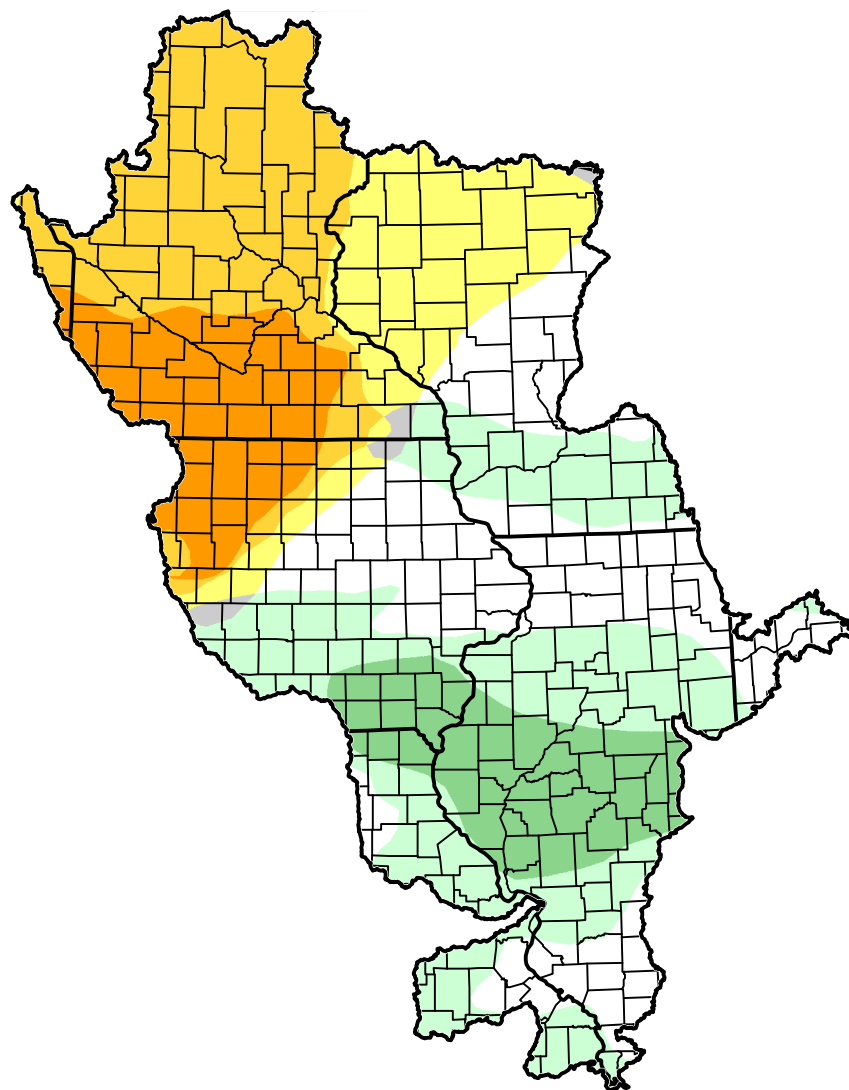


U.S. Drought Monitor Class Change - Upper Mississippi Watershed 6 Months



January 24, 2012
compared to
August 9, 2011

- 5 Class Degradation
- 4 Class Degradation
- 3 Class Degradation
- 2 Class Degradation
- 1 Class Degradation
- No Change
- 1 Class Improvement
- 2 Class Improvement
- 3 Class Improvement
- 4 Class Improvement
- 5 Class Improvement