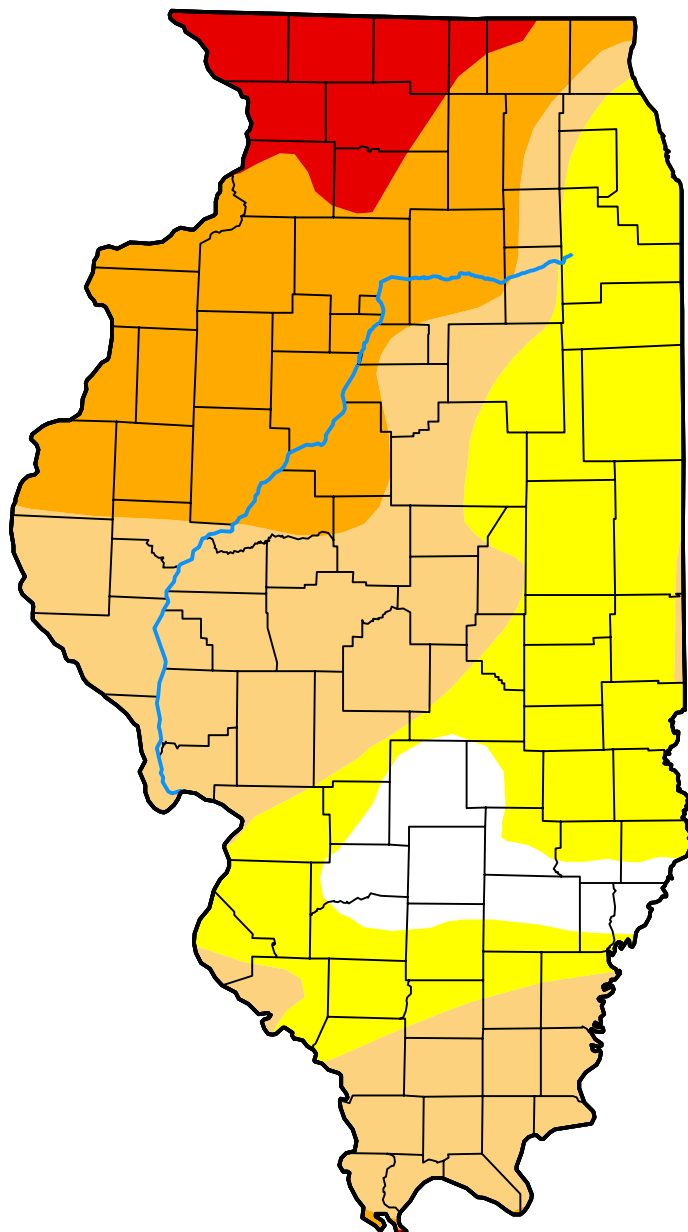


U.S. Drought Monitor Illinois



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	6.66	30.77	32.49	23.43	6.65	0.00
Last Week 10-04-2012	3.11	30.27	35.04	24.93	6.65	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-12-2012	0.00	0.00	33.72	58.14	7.45	0.68
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2012	0.00	17.63	42.31	33.39	6.67	0.00
One Year Ago 10-13-2011	56.28	13.12	15.91	14.68	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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