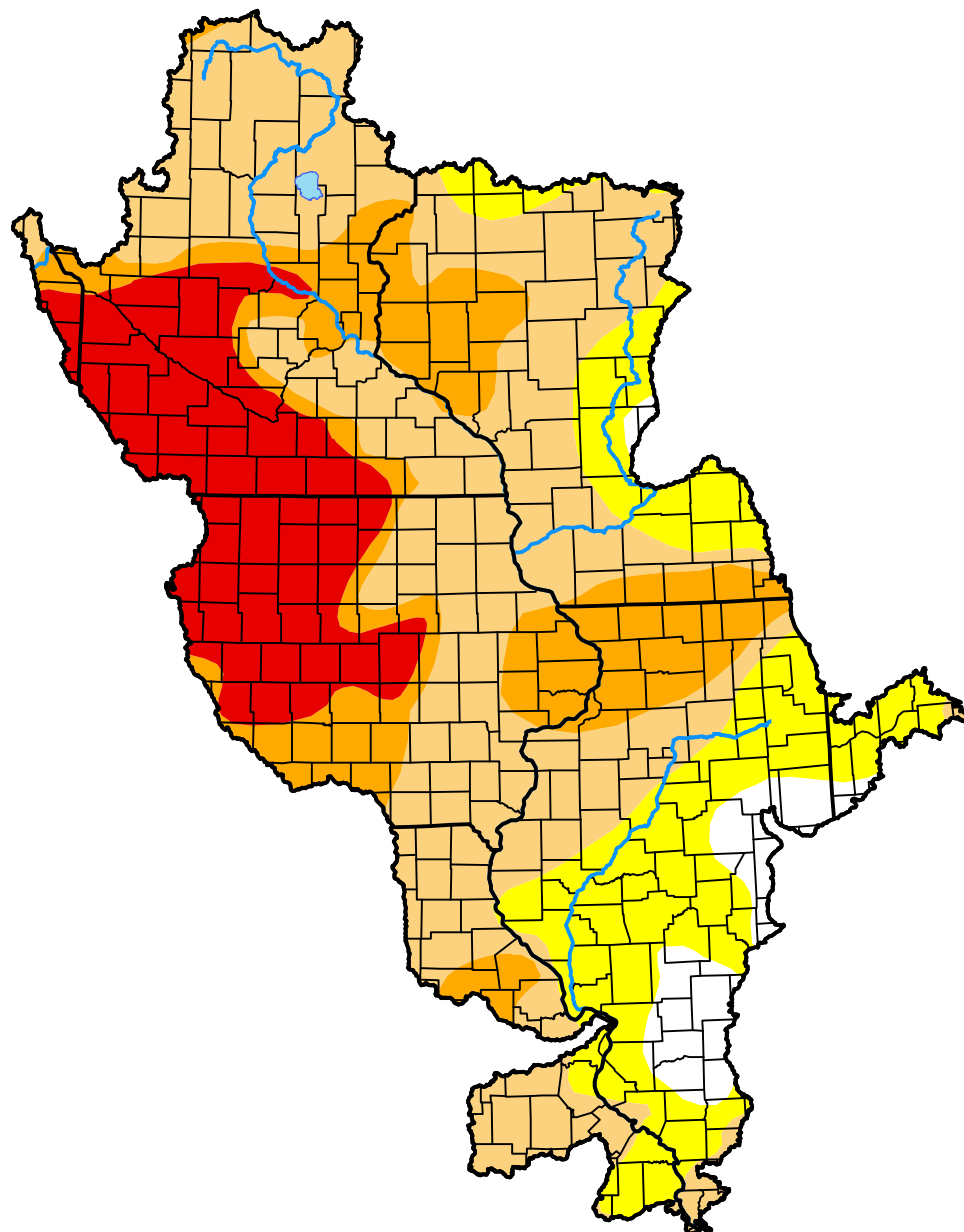


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

November 13, 2012
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	4.41	18.67	42.09	18.33	16.51	0.00
Last Week <i>11-08-2012</i>	2.47	15.32	36.70	27.46	18.05	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-16-2012</i>	23.92	5.11	8.53	22.05	39.10	1.29
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	57.95	23.45	7.42	11.18	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.01	14.82	30.62	34.49	20.06	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-17-2011</i>	44.93	34.71	9.09	11.27	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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