

U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	53.99	13.61	21.57	10.82	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-11-2013</i>	42.86	7.07	16.64	23.28	10.15	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-17-2013</i>	4.86	14.55	35.25	31.74	13.61	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	4.47	13.76	36.45	31.72	13.61	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>04-19-2012</i>	42.23	28.37	18.44	10.97	0.00	0.00

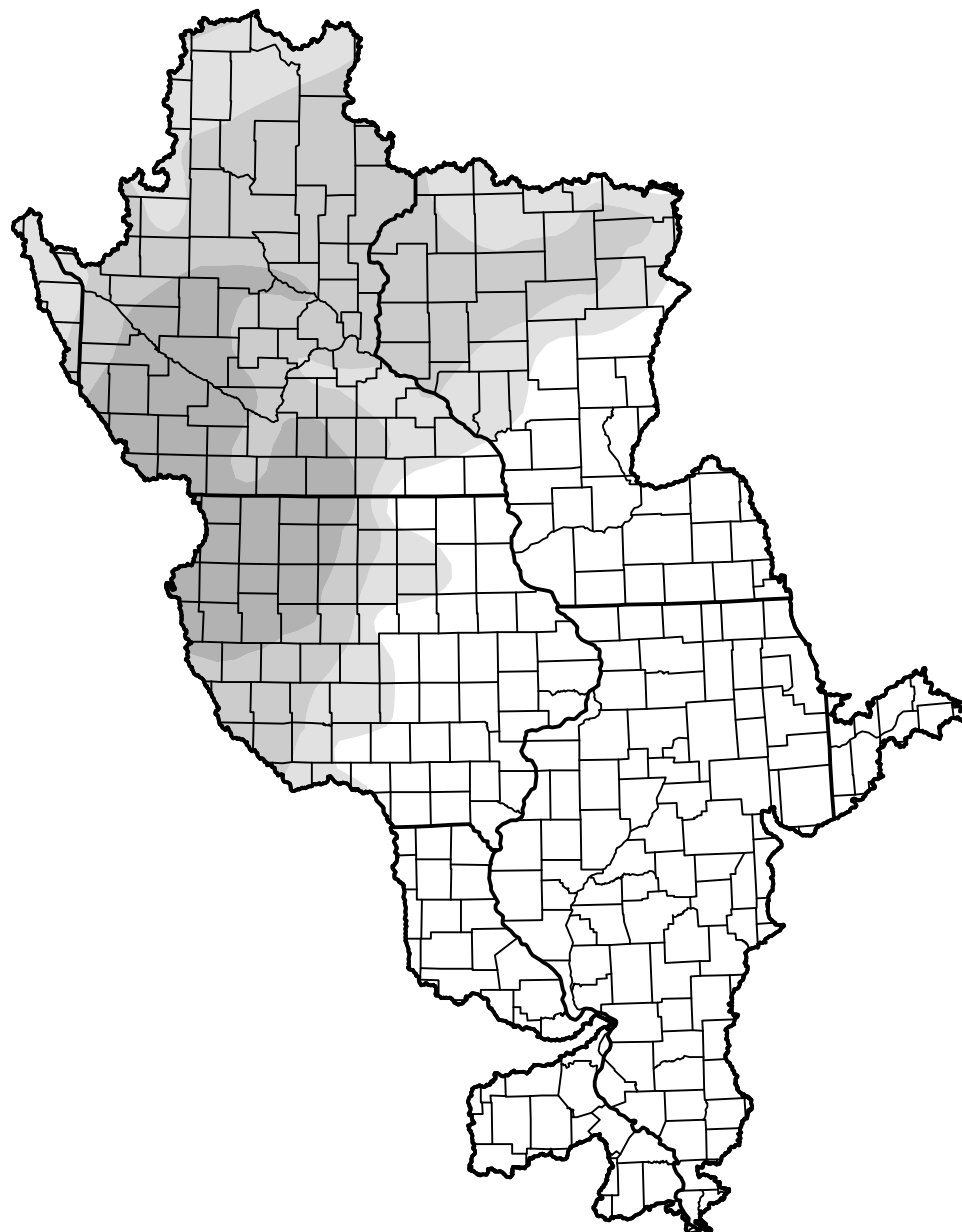
Intensity:

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

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