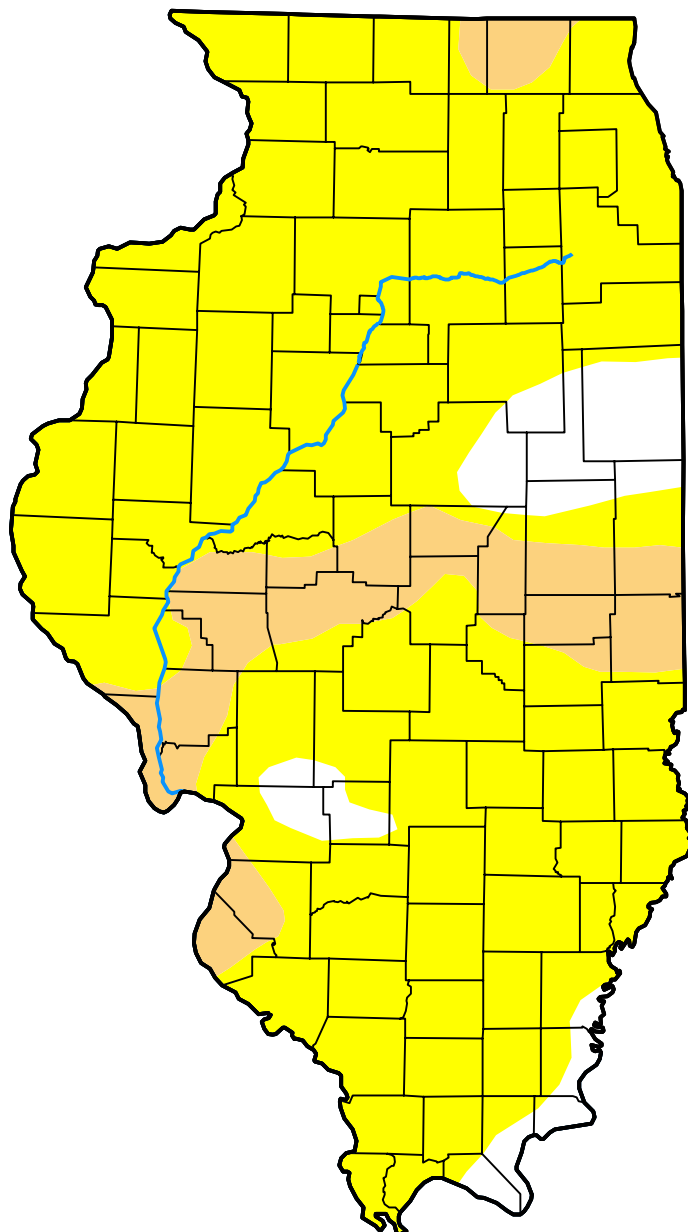


# U.S. Drought Monitor Illinois



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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 7.40  | 79.76 | 12.84 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>09-21-2017              | 8.65  | 80.12 | 11.23 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>06-29-2017           | 86.53 | 13.47 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-05-2017 | 65.10 | 28.40 | 6.50  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>09-29-2016    | 99.99 | 0.01  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>09-29-2016           | 99.99 | 0.01  | 0.00  | 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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