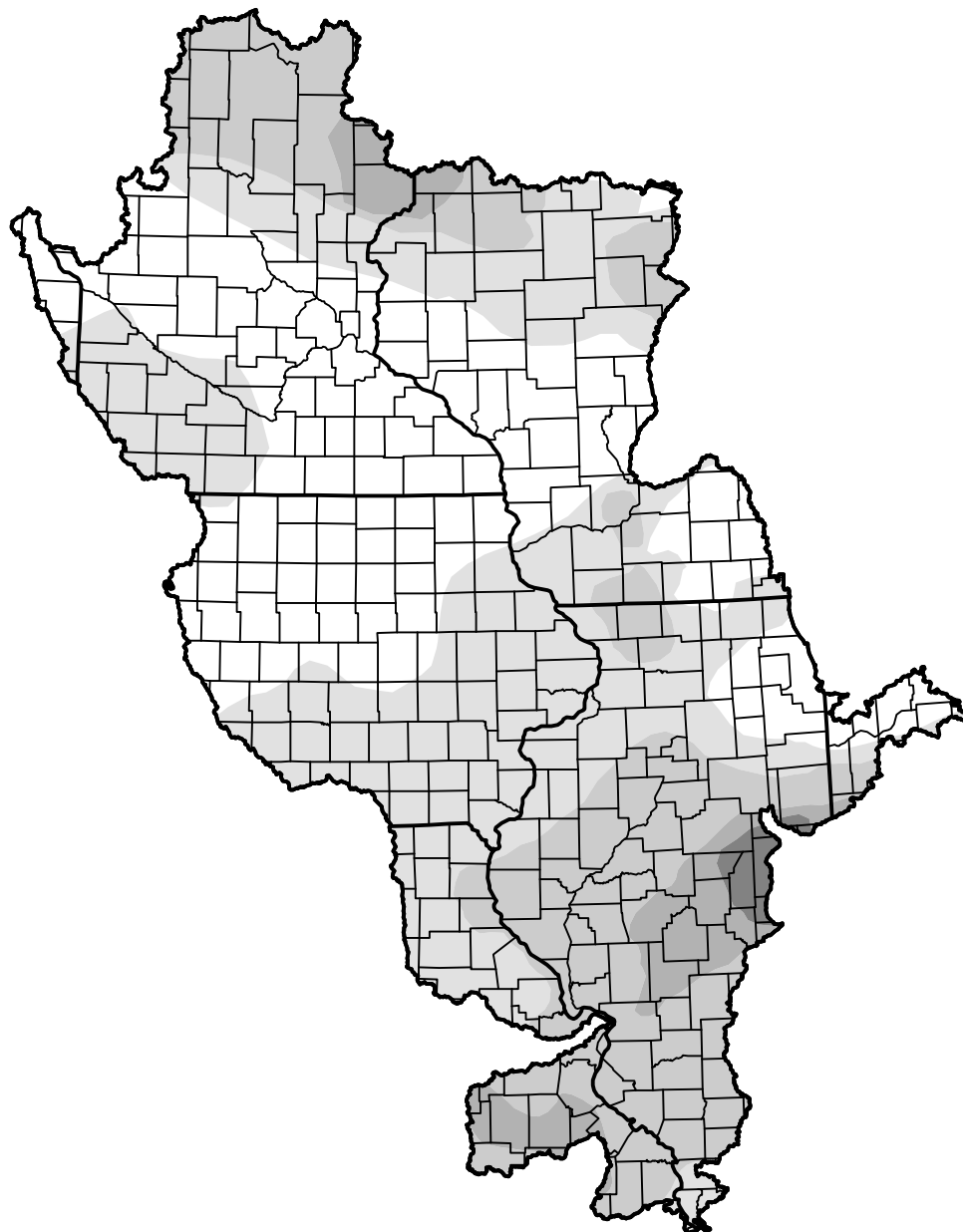


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Mississippi Watershed

February 3, 2026
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	35.49	34.42	23.85	5.40	0.84	0.00
Last Week <i>01-27-2026</i>	36.19	35.00	22.57	5.40	0.84	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-04-2025</i>	27.12	33.03	26.62	12.83	0.40	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2026</i>	21.51	39.12	32.23	6.30	0.84	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2025</i>	48.39	28.16	15.25	8.20	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-04-2025</i>	23.45	35.47	38.43	2.65	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



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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