

# ***The Mississippi River***



**America's Heartland**  
Upper Mississippi

**Wilderness Rivers**

**Old South**  
Lower Mississippi





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***The Mississippi River is divided  
into:***

- ◆ The Upper Mississippi
- ◆ The Middle Mississippi
- ◆ The Lower Mississippi

# *The Upper Mississippi*



## ***The Upper Mississippi is divided into:***

- ◆ The headwaters, from the source to Saint Anthony Falls in Minneapolis, Minnesota
- ◆ A navigable channel, formed by a series of man-made lakes between Minneapolis and St. Louis, Missouri

# *The Coon Rapids Dam*



# *The Middle Mississippi*





# *The Lower Mississippi*



# *Watershed*

The Mississippi River has the world's fourth largest *drainage basin* («watershed» or «catchment»)

# *Watershed map*

