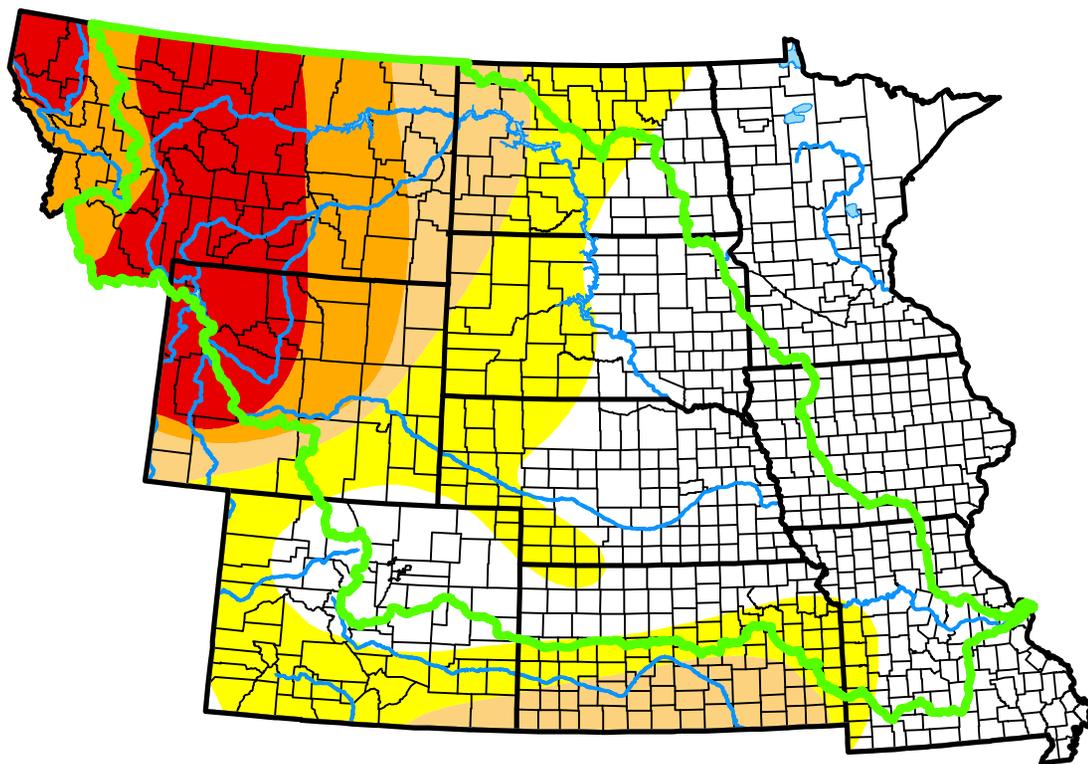


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	40.84	59.16	37.23	28.31	15.91	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-04-2001</i>	41.08	58.92	37.23	28.31	15.91	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-11-2001</i>	38.40	61.60	28.85	24.34	13.62	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	48.36	51.64	21.38	9.55	0.45	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	56.93	43.07	28.34	24.34	13.62	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-12-2000</i>	43.76	56.24	23.77	8.70	0.47	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

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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