

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri

**October 22, 2002**

*(Released Thursday, Oct. 24, 2002)*

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 35.55 | 64.45 | 48.47 | 12.49 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-17-2002</i>              | 14.55 | 85.45 | 47.75 | 12.52 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-25-2002</i>           | 74.27 | 25.73 | 8.86  | 2.34  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2002</i> | 74.22 | 25.78 | 0.32  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 19.42 | 80.58 | 35.78 | 20.40 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-25-2001</i>           | 92.42 | 7.58  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

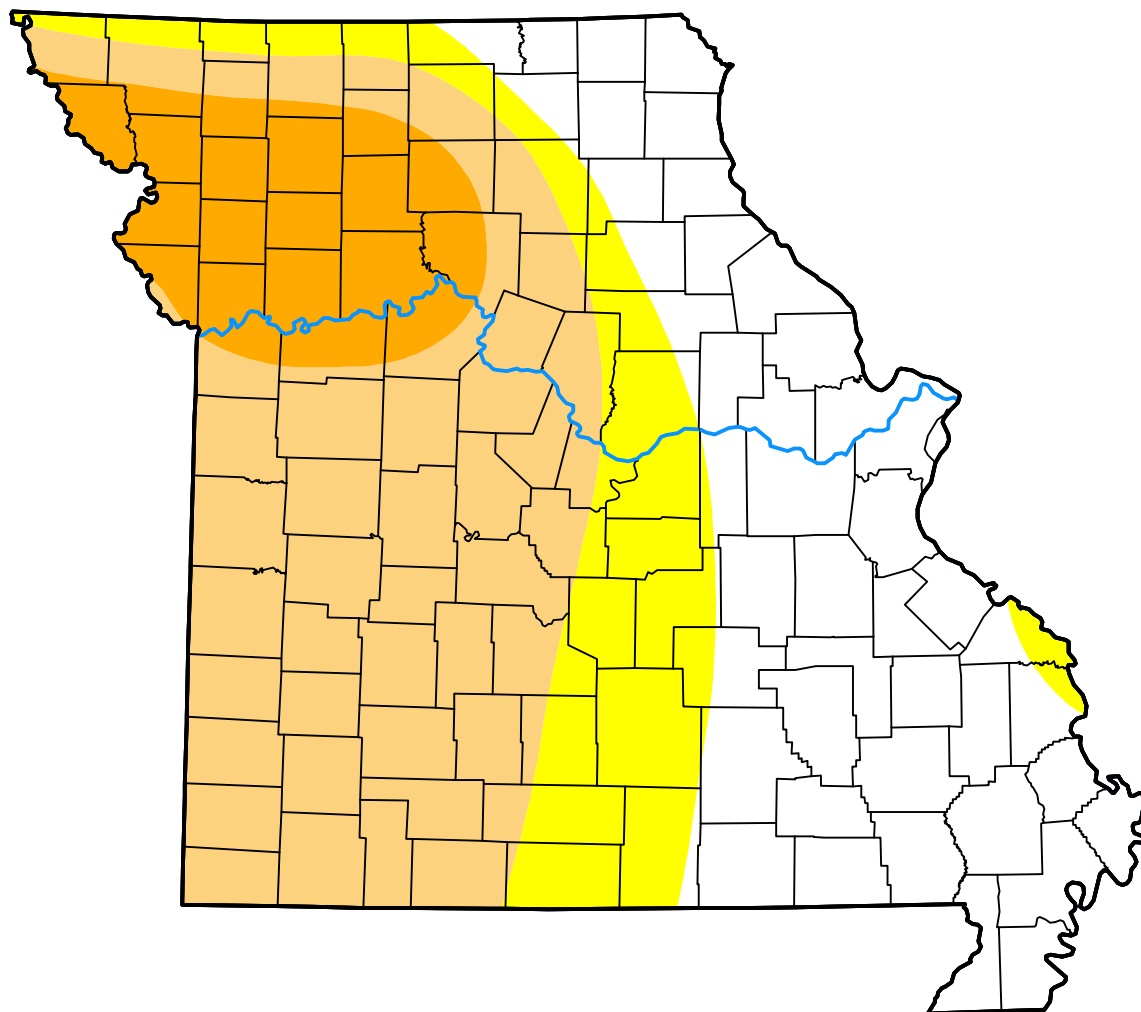
### Intensity:

|                                                                                                           |                                                                                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  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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