

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri

**March 25, 2003**

*(Released Thursday, Mar. 27, 2003)*

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 48.98 | 12.79 | 9.94  | 11.62 | 16.67 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>03-20-2003</i>              | 48.44 | 12.69 | 10.33 | 12.25 | 16.28 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>12-26-2002</i>           | 21.73 | 23.71 | 27.84 | 26.71 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2003</i> | 23.39 | 24.37 | 21.92 | 21.67 | 8.65  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 19.42 | 44.79 | 15.38 | 20.40 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>03-28-2002</i>           | 97.49 | 2.51  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

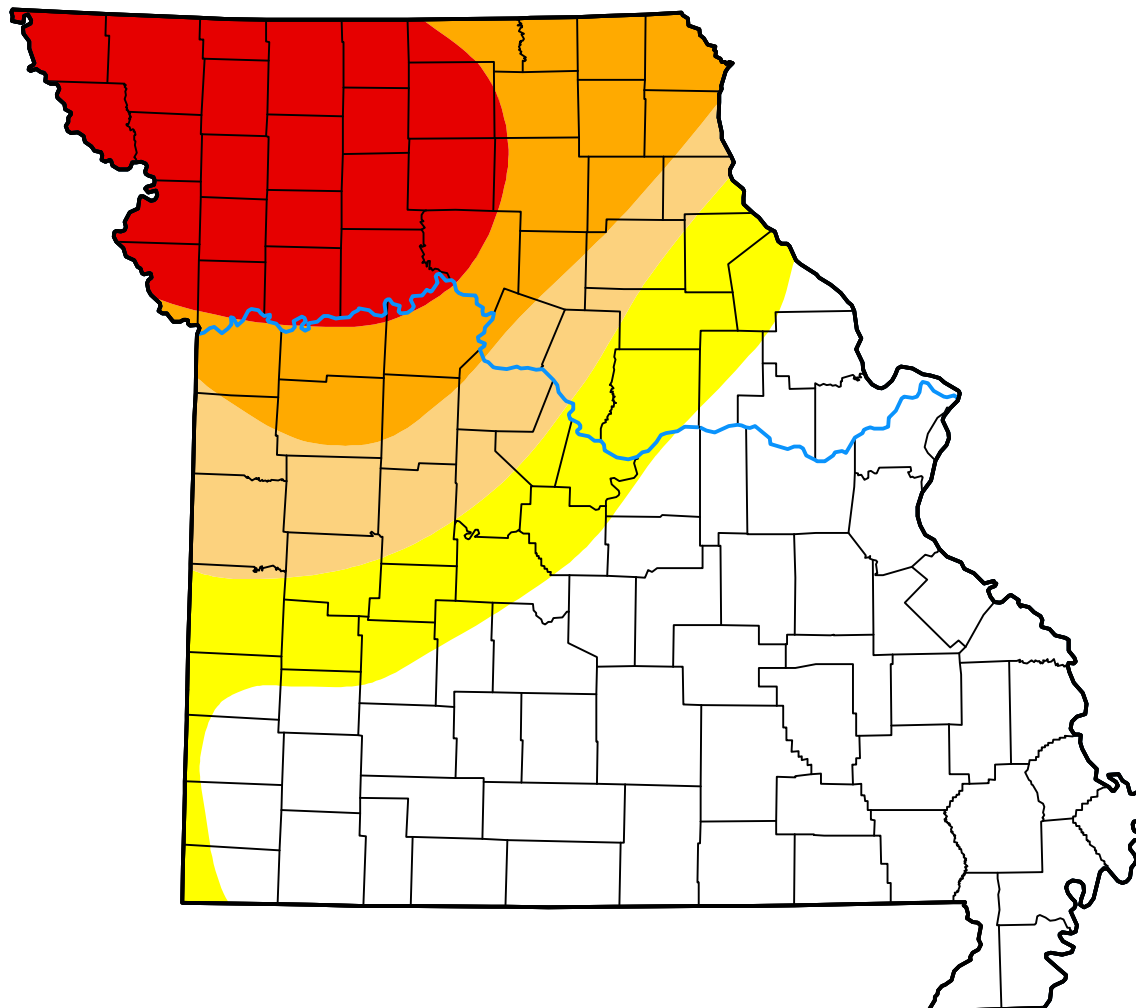
### Intensity:

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