

U.S. Drought Monitor Missouri Watershed

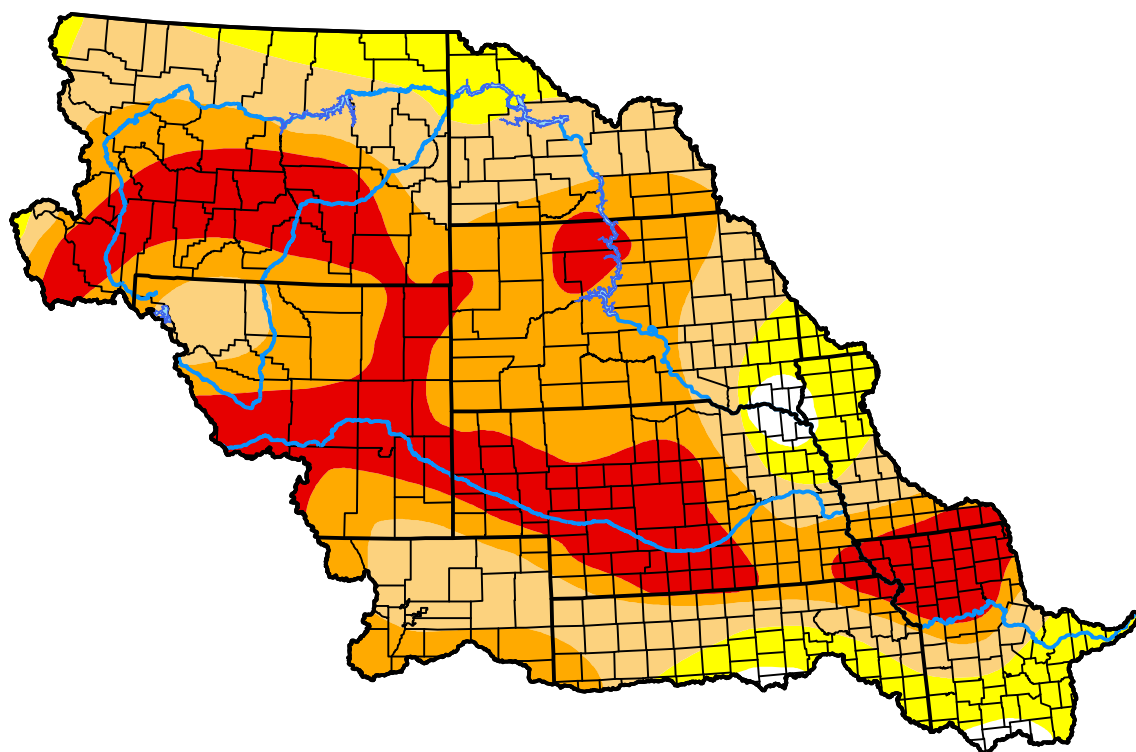
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	1.47	12.31	27.95	33.59	24.68	0.00
Last Week <i>04-10-2003</i>	3.82	11.46	26.70	32.57	25.45	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-16-2003</i>	3.04	10.50	15.53	24.22	39.08	7.63
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	4.13	12.96	17.12	26.75	38.08	0.96
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	12.37	16.34	14.42	20.28	33.13	3.46
One Year Ago <i>04-18-2002</i>	4.04	31.94	26.29	15.03	22.69	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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