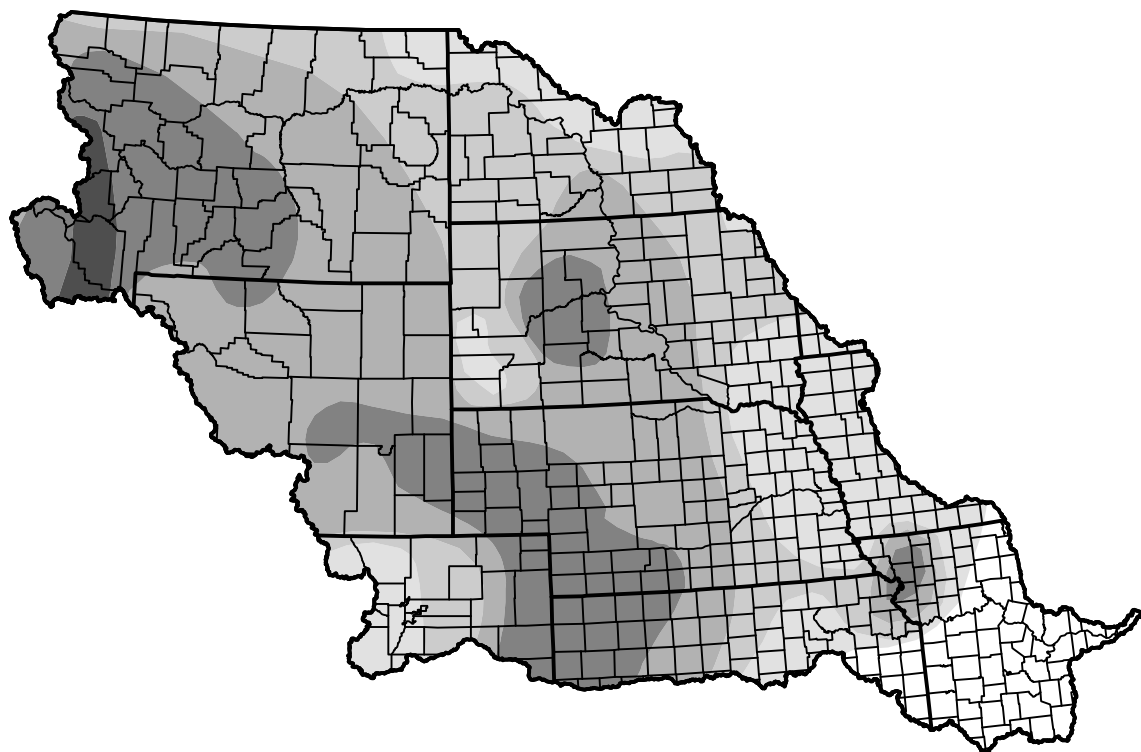


# U.S. Drought Monitor Missouri Watershed

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 6.35 | 93.65 | 78.16 | 58.03 | 23.48 | 1.48 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>02-19-2004</i>              | 6.38 | 93.62 | 78.16 | 58.03 | 21.86 | 1.48 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>11-26-2003</i>           | 5.54 | 94.46 | 81.61 | 58.45 | 23.07 | 3.44 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2003</i> | 6.09 | 93.91 | 79.08 | 60.79 | 23.30 | 3.27 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2003</i>    | 3.89 | 96.11 | 79.24 | 53.19 | 19.83 | 3.67 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>02-27-2003</i>           | 0.79 | 99.21 | 83.56 | 69.00 | 45.46 | 6.35 |

## 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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