

U.S. Drought Monitor

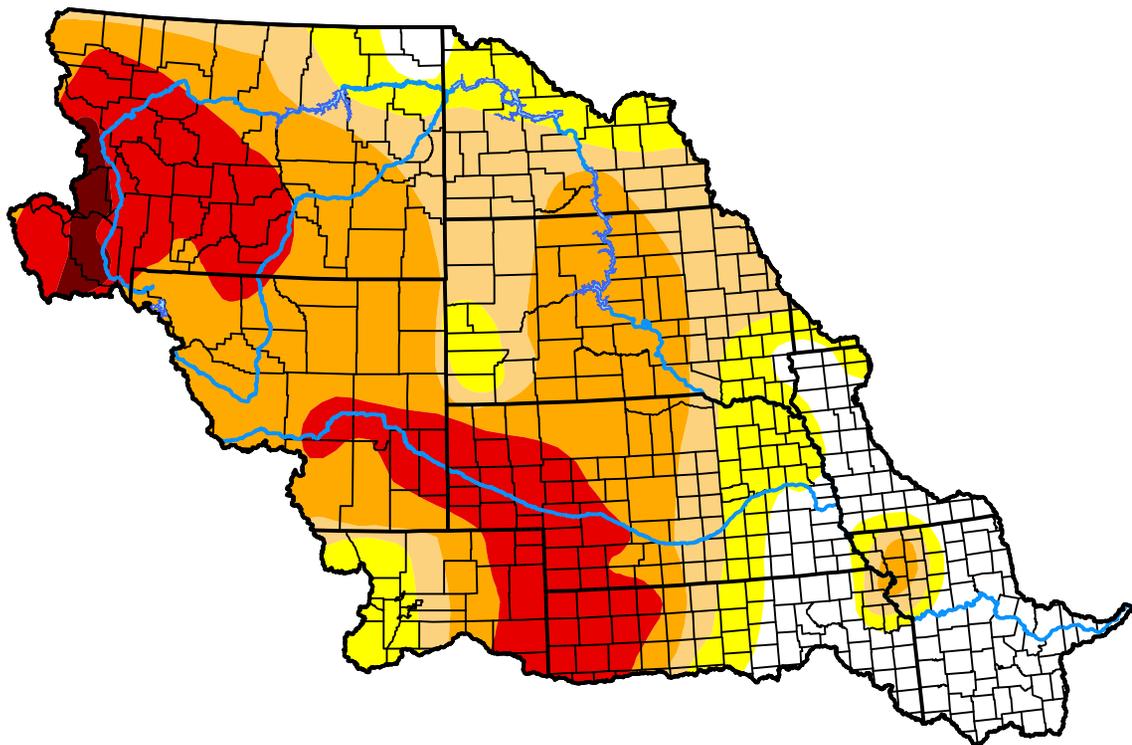
Missouri Watershed

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 14.24 | 14.11 | 18.10 | 33.19 | 19.08 | 1.29 |
| Last Week <i>03-11-2004</i> | 11.92 | 14.16 | 19.19 | 34.36 | 19.08 | 1.29 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-18-2003</i> | 7.19 | 10.13 | 22.61 | 37.51 | 19.11 | 3.46 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i> | 6.09 | 14.83 | 18.29 | 37.49 | 20.04 | 3.27 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i> | 3.89 | 16.87 | 26.05 | 33.36 | 16.17 | 3.67 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-20-2003</i> | 1.59 | 8.40 | 18.24 | 23.68 | 42.33 | 5.77 |



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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