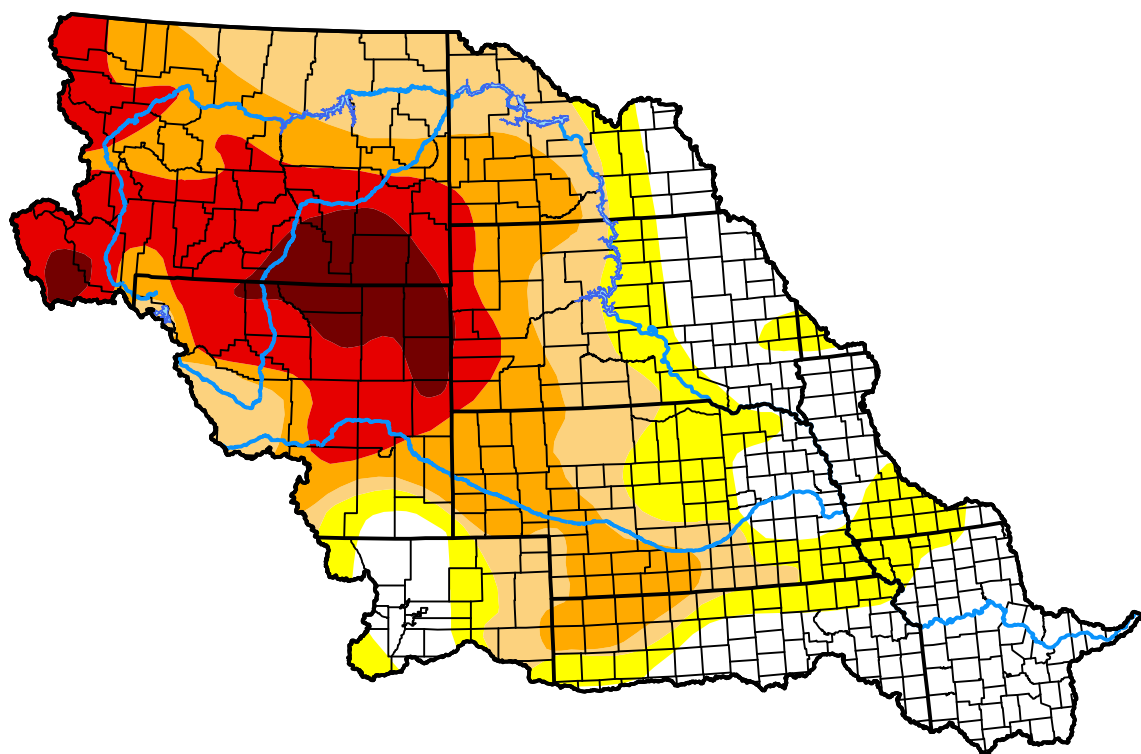


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	23.81	15.06	18.84	20.20	16.54	5.57
Last Week <i>02-10-2005</i>	23.55	19.12	16.60	19.94	15.22	5.57
3 Months Ago <i>11-18-2004</i>	26.51	19.30	21.27	18.63	10.82	3.46
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	24.37	20.77	19.00	20.50	11.75	3.62
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	31.34	12.58	19.03	20.91	12.50	3.65
One Year Ago <i>02-19-2004</i>	6.38	15.47	20.13	36.17	20.38	1.48

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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