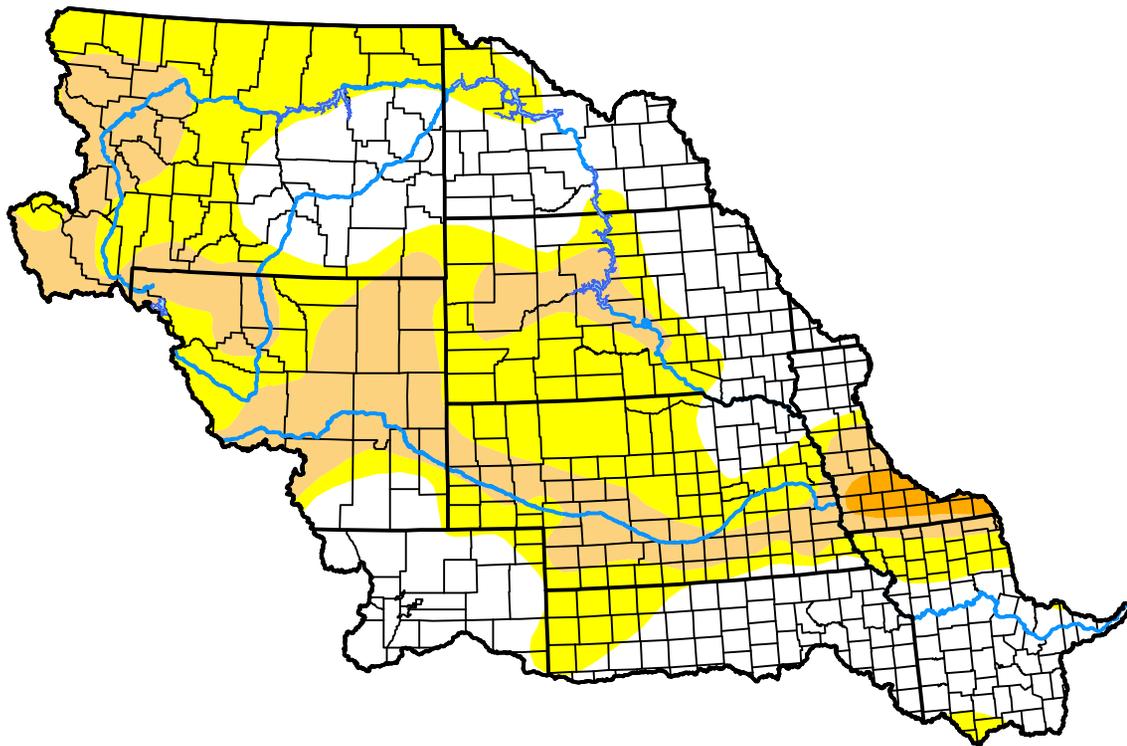


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	39.61	60.39	23.87	1.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-13-2005</i>	38.19	61.81	26.16	3.33	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-21-2005</i>	25.32	74.68	37.72	13.94	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	24.37	75.63	54.86	35.86	15.37	3.62
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	33.63	66.37	32.14	7.70	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-21-2004</i>	24.54	75.46	55.09	33.22	14.58	3.46

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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