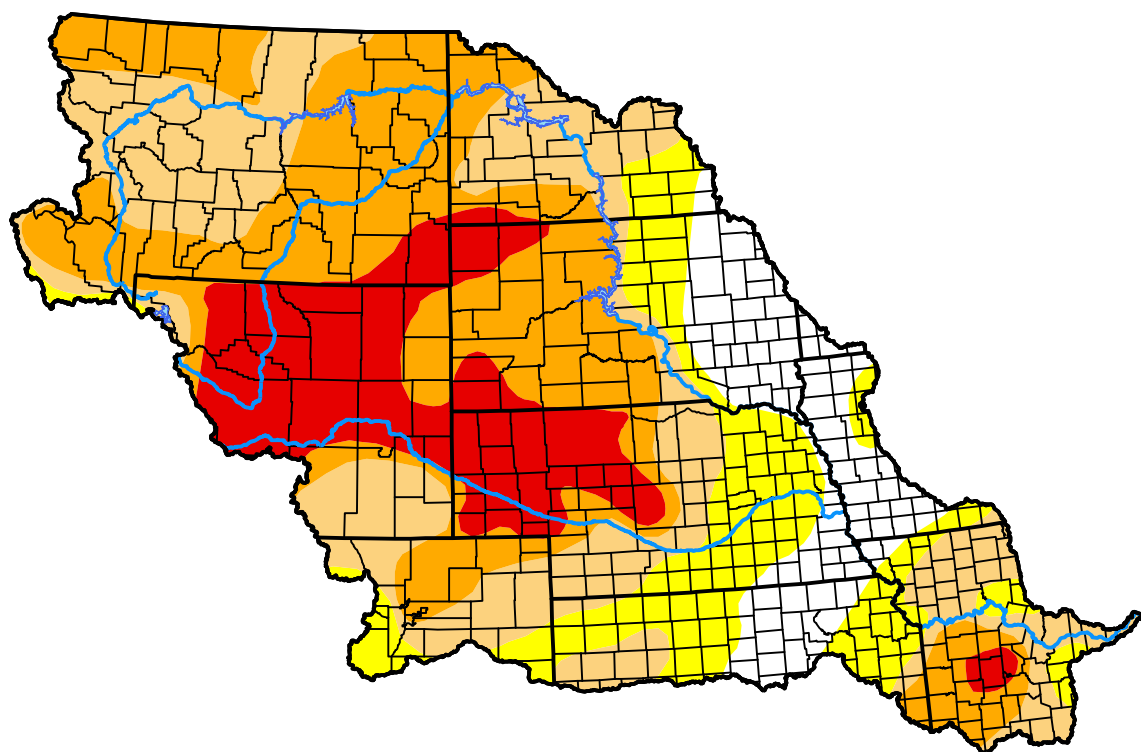


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	11.19	14.56	27.20	30.58	16.47	0.00
Last Week <i>10-12-2006</i>	11.19	14.56	27.20	30.17	16.88	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-20-2006</i>	3.56	13.82	43.94	28.39	8.16	2.13
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	49.35	28.88	20.72	1.05	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	10.56	15.61	26.17	31.30	16.36	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-20-2005</i>	39.61	36.52	22.87	1.00	0.00	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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