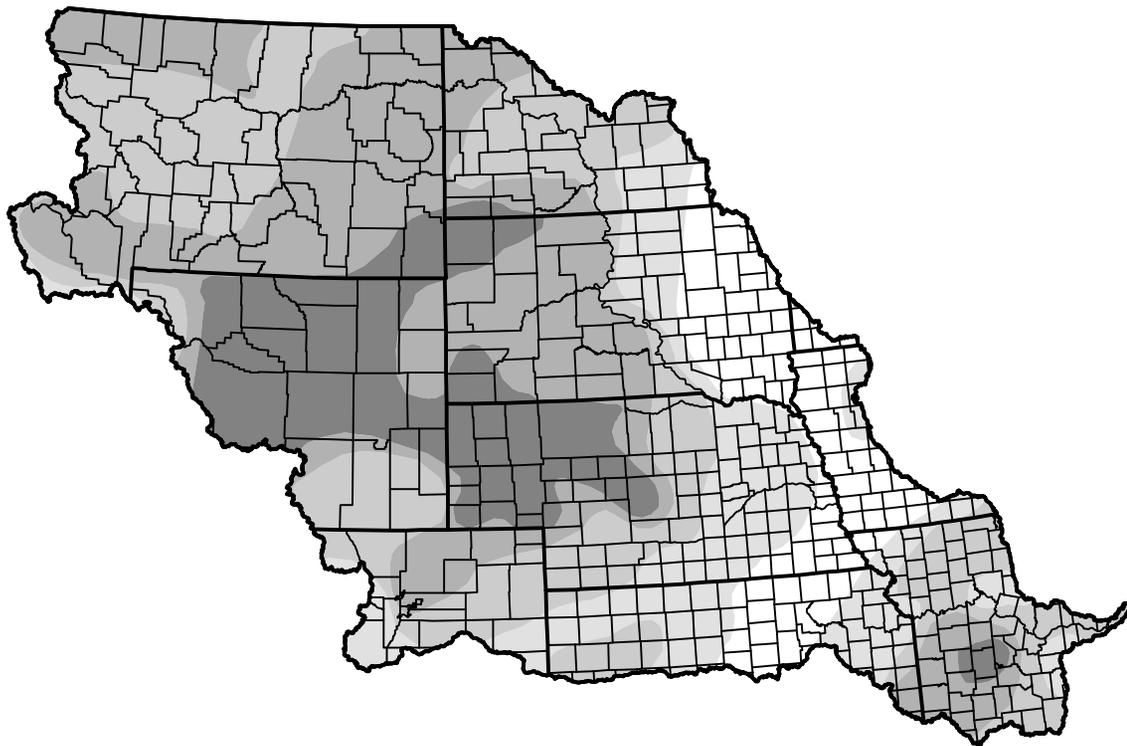


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri Watershed

**October 17, 2006**  
*(Released Thursday, Oct. 19, 2006)*  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

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

***Intensity:***



*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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