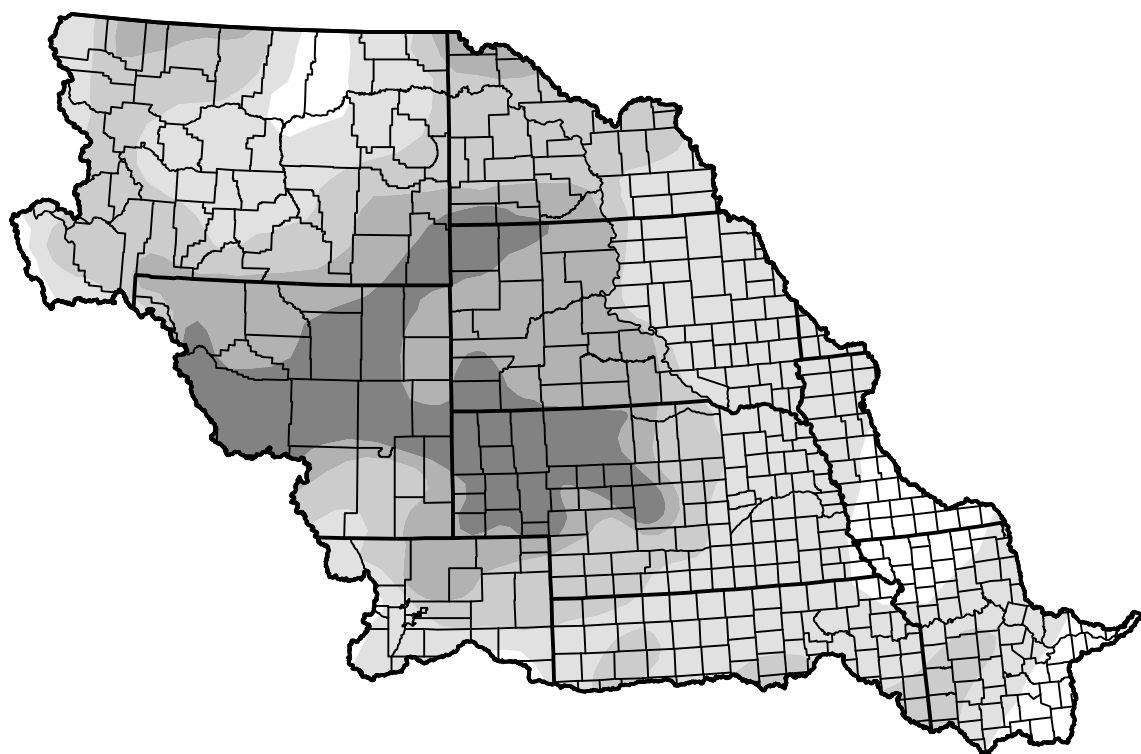


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	6.73	35.75	24.91	18.68	13.92	0.00
Last Week <i>12-07-2006</i>	7.11	33.63	26.33	19.01	13.92	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-14-2006</i>	6.43	11.48	31.91	24.94	25.23	0.00
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>12-15-2005</i>	52.48	27.24	19.30	0.98	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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