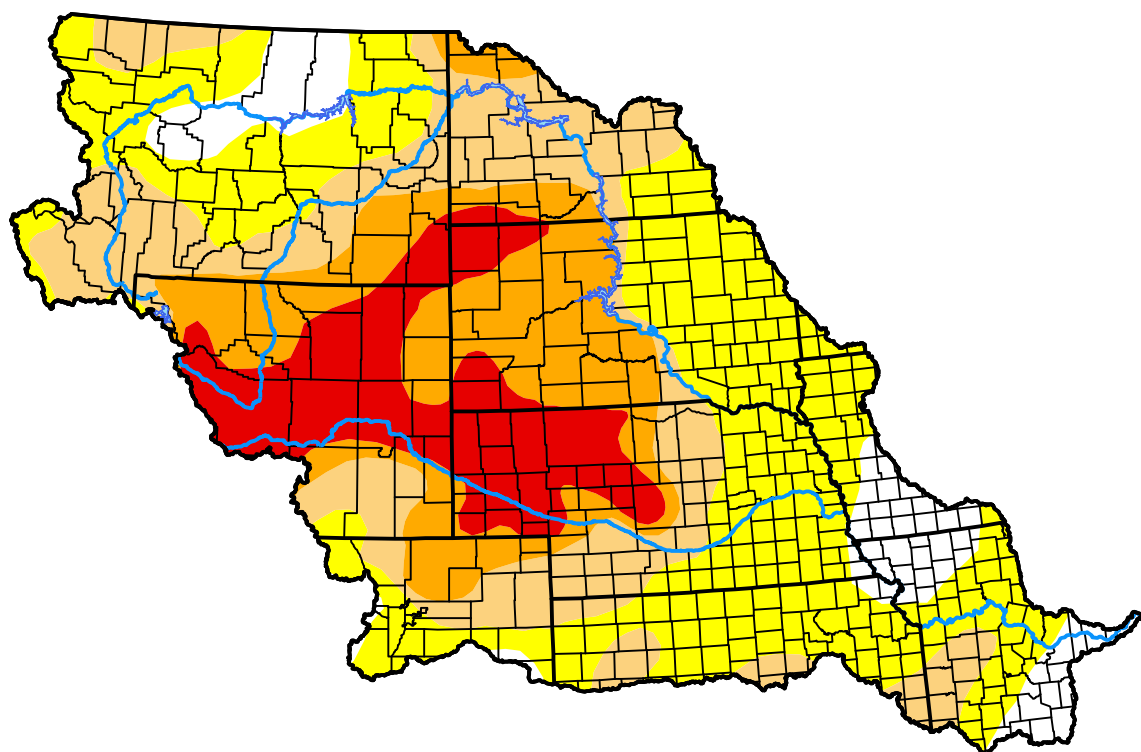


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	8.17	36.61	23.57	17.75	13.91	0.00
Last Week <i>12-14-2006</i>	6.73	35.75	24.91	18.68	13.92	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-21-2006</i>	6.78	12.56	32.40	26.54	21.72	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>12-22-2005</i>	49.59	29.45	19.98	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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