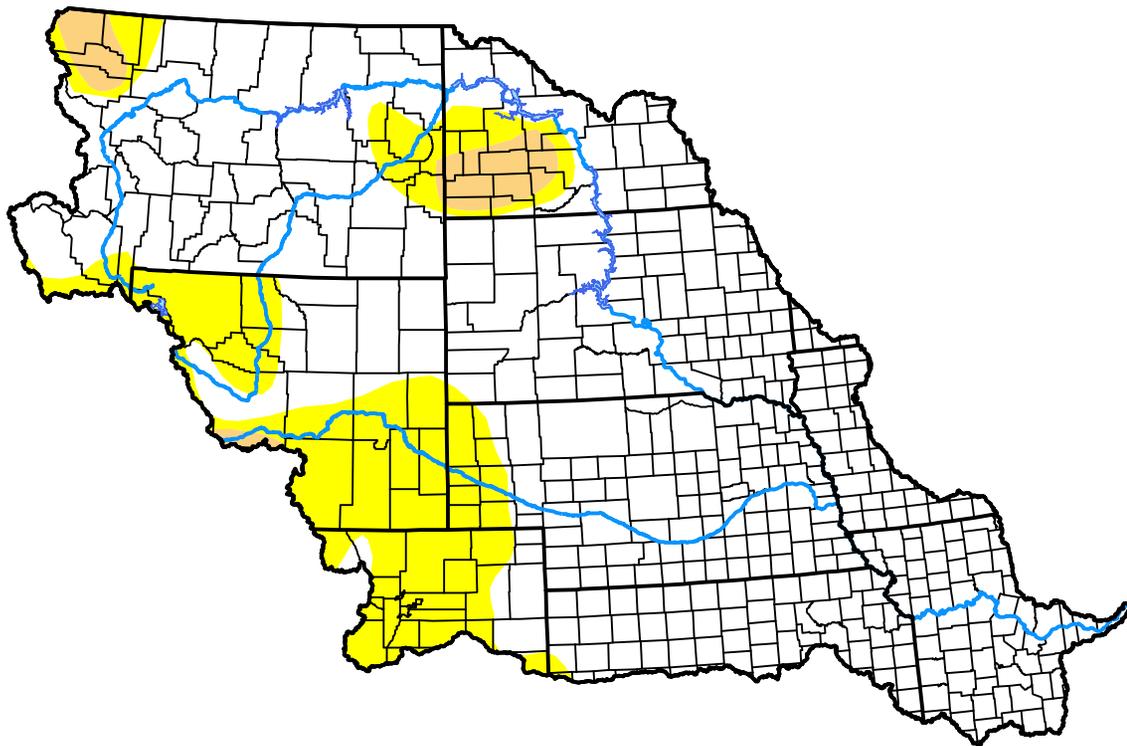


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri Watershed

**January 20, 2009**  
 (Released Thursday, Jan. 22, 2009)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	79.02	18.20	2.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-15-2009</i>	78.27	18.20	3.53	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-23-2008</i>	74.73	21.14	2.17	1.96	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	72.25	24.21	3.53	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	65.96	26.33	3.92	1.86	1.93	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-24-2008</i>	41.62	20.19	23.43	14.50	0.26	0.00

***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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