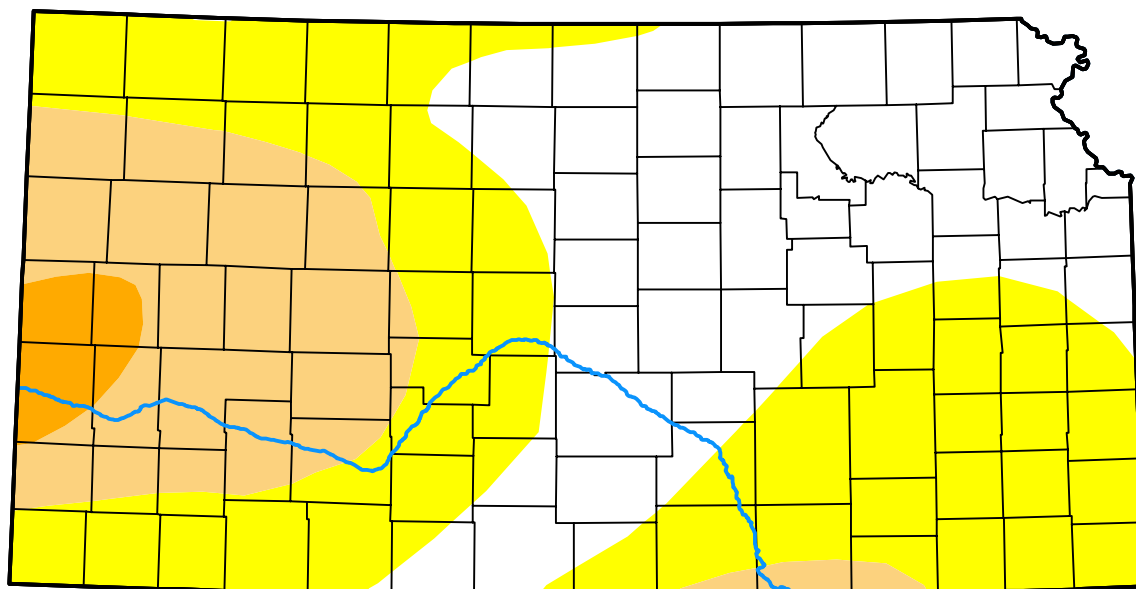


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Kansas

**December 14, 2010**  
*(Released Thursday, Dec. 16, 2010)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None   | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 36.21  | 41.82 | 19.42 | 2.56 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-09-2010</i>              | 52.65  | 27.28 | 20.06 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-16-2010</i>           | 97.58  | 2.42  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2009</i> | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2010</i>    | 83.23  | 16.77 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-17-2009</i>           | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 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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