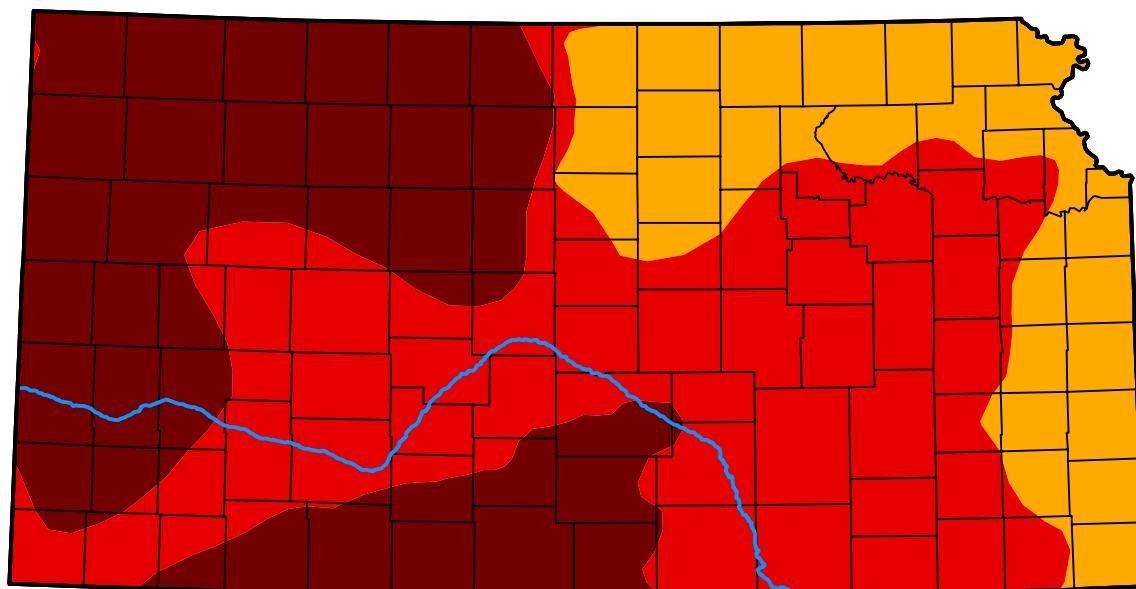


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Kansas

**December 25, 2012**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 27, 2012)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4  | D1-D4  | D2-D4  | D3-D4 | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 79.36 | 35.97 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-20-2012</i>              | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 77.67 | 35.97 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-27-2012</i>           | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 88.34 | 51.04 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2012</i> | 42.48 | 57.52  | 47.15  | 23.20  | 12.79 | 0.22  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2012</i>    | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 88.34 | 51.04 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-29-2011</i>           | 42.48 | 57.52  | 47.15  | 23.21  | 12.79 | 0.22  |

**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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