

# U.S. Drought Monitor

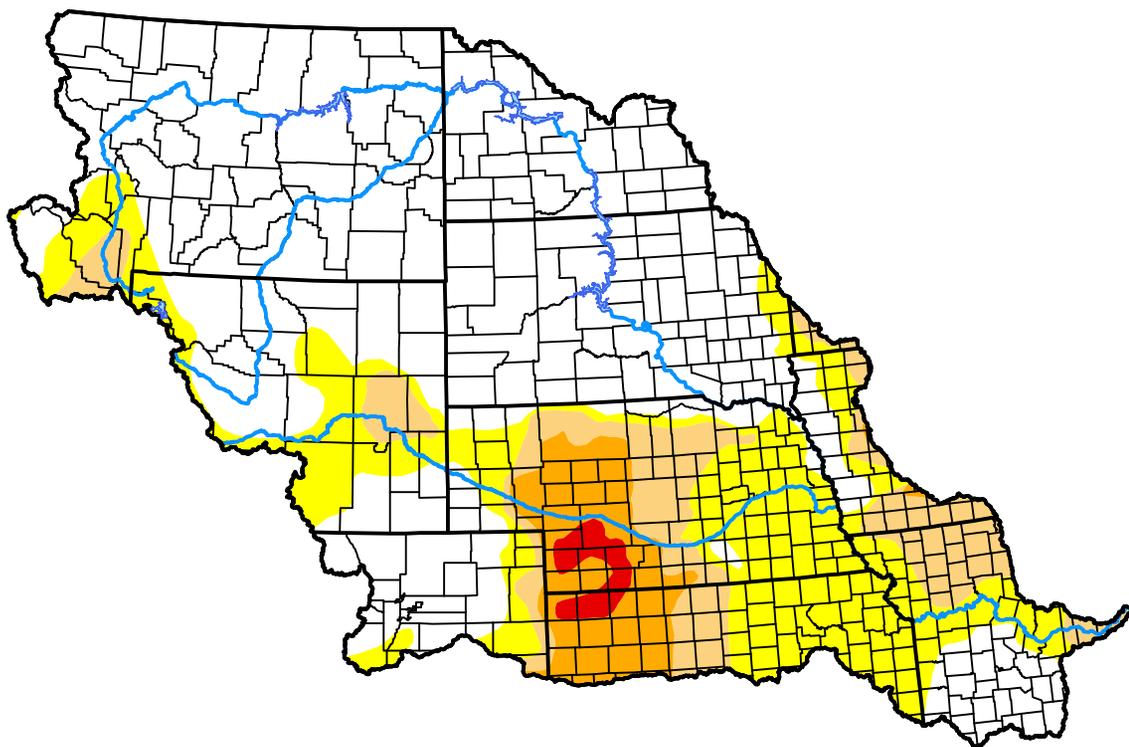
## Missouri Watershed

**December 17, 2013**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 19, 2013)

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4    |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 62.10 | 21.26 | 9.82  | 5.76  | 1.06  | 0.00  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-12-2013</i>              | 62.10 | 21.98 | 9.11  | 5.76  | 1.06  | 0.00  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-19-2013</i>           | 38.81 | 21.41 | 20.68 | 14.24 | 4.85  | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2013</i> | 11.39 | 6.65  | 13.14 | 23.47 | 23.25 | 22.11 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2013</i>    | 45.62 | 20.97 | 19.63 | 12.09 | 1.69  | 0.00  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-20-2012</i>           | 11.39 | 6.65  | 13.52 | 23.09 | 23.25 | 22.11 |



***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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