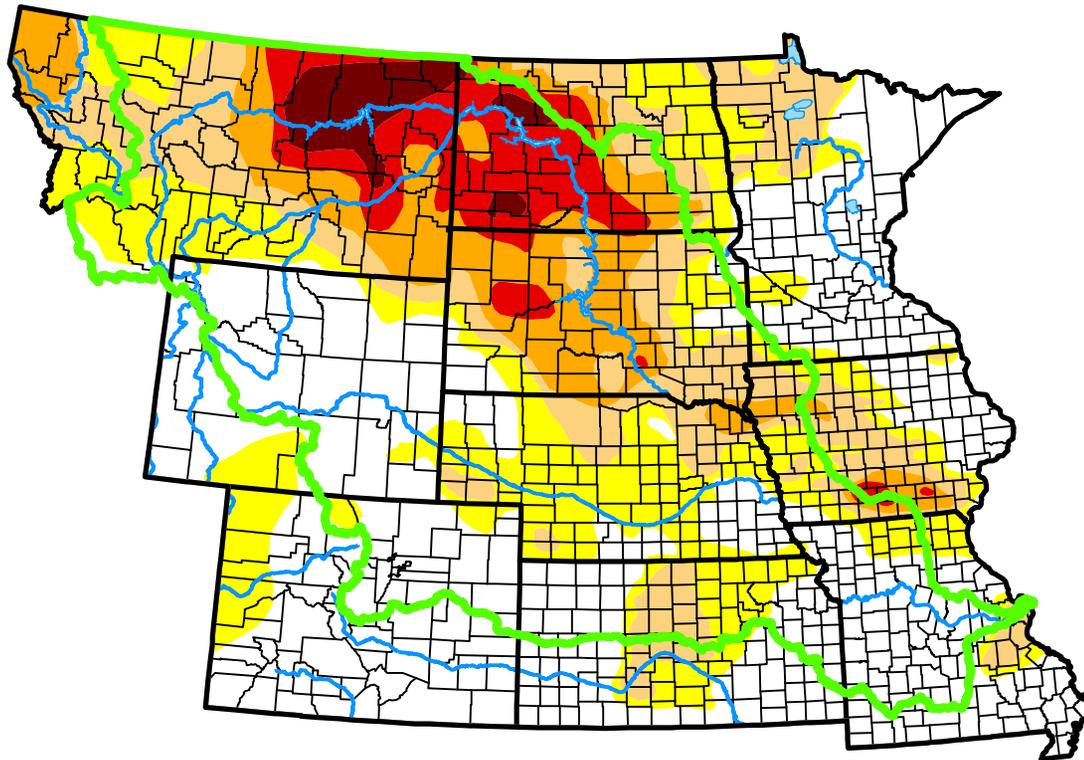


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas

**August 15, 2017**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	34.02	22.89	15.72	13.59	9.68	4.10
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-08-2017</i>	34.60	23.44	14.26	14.21	9.04	4.45
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-16-2017</i>	86.20	13.69	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2017</i>	55.38	28.62	14.59	1.41	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2016</i>	68.23	19.54	8.58	3.39	0.26	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-16-2016</i>	55.14	28.71	10.47	4.35	1.33	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

Intensity:



*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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