

U.S. Drought Monitor

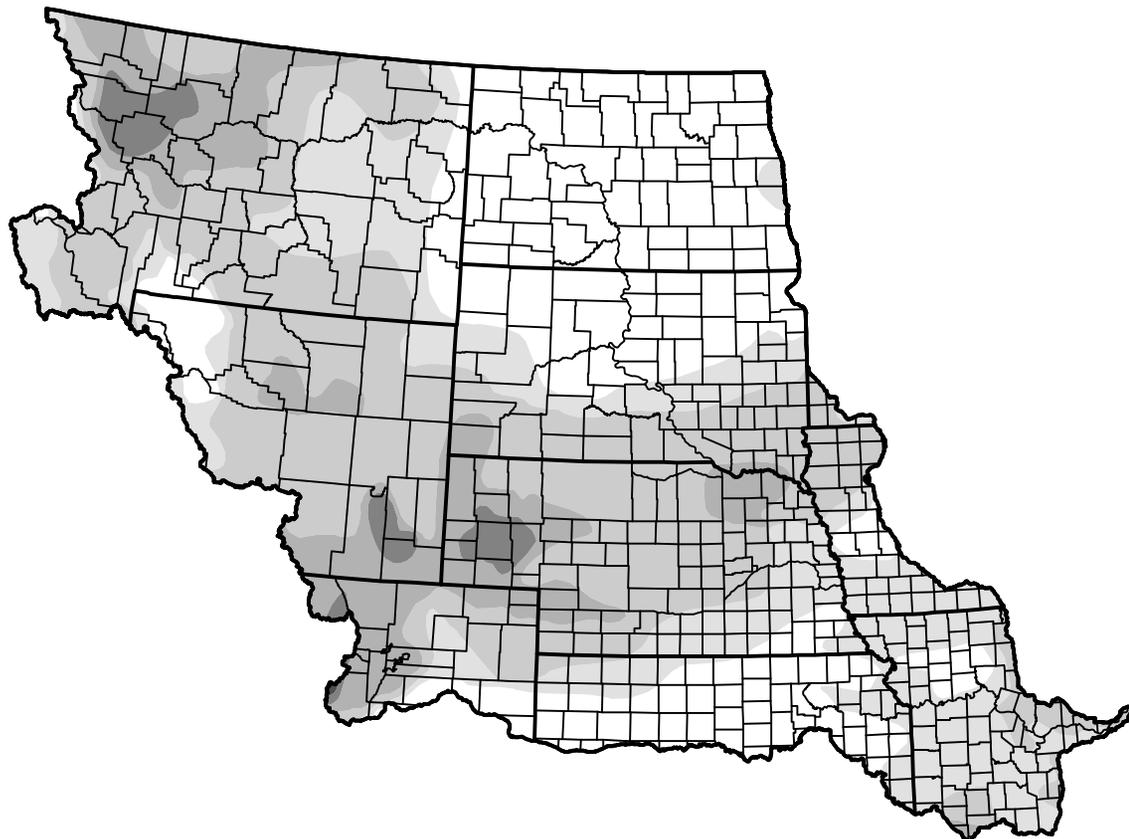
Missouri River Basin DEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	30.11	22.12	33.47	11.89	2.39	0.02
Last Week <i>02-17-2026</i>	31.44	25.42	31.94	8.81	2.36	0.02
3 Months Ago <i>11-25-2025</i>	51.47	28.48	13.73	5.32	1.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2026</i>	46.65	32.17	15.86	4.80	0.52	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2025</i>	57.62	26.80	9.53	5.34	0.71	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-25-2025</i>	24.01	15.39	33.27	21.16	6.16	0.00



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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