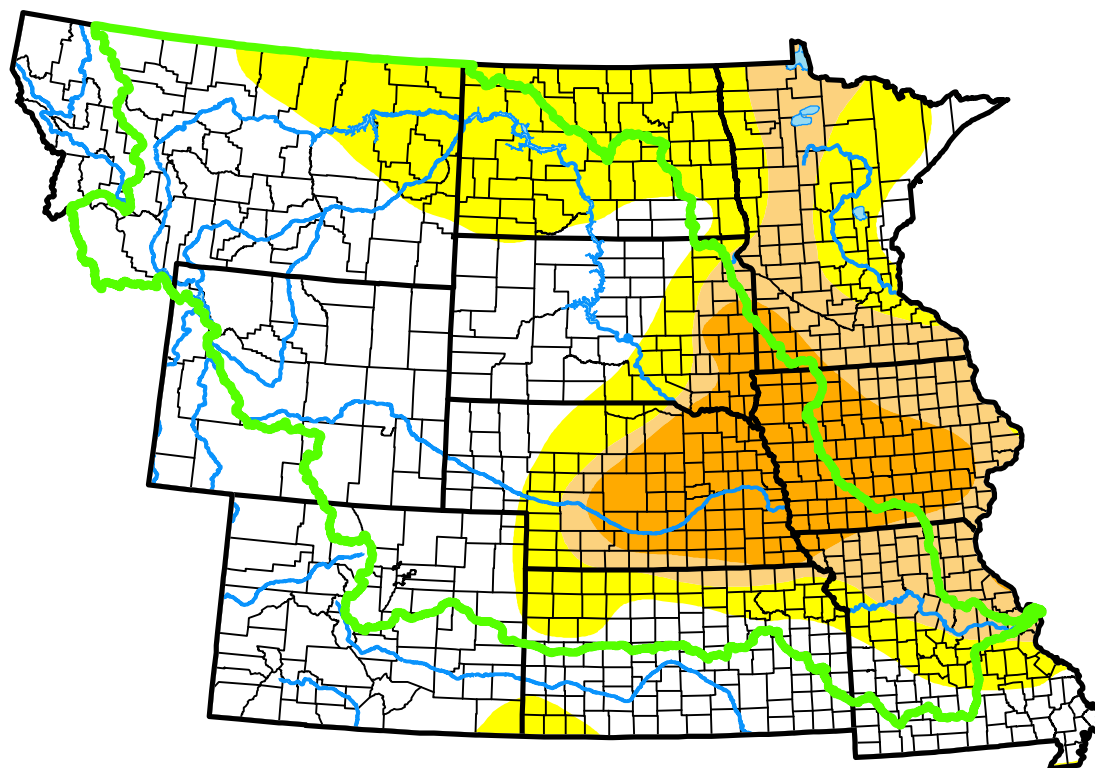


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas



**March 14, 2000**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                        | None  | D0    | D1   | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                         | 55.60 | 24.75 | 7.01 | 12.64 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>03-07-2000</i>                  | 43.57 | 35.49 | 8.43 | 12.50 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>01-01-1900</i>               | -     | -     | -    | -     | -    | -    |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2000</i> | 48.60 | 35.31 | 7.72 | 8.38  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br><i>01-01-1900</i>    | -     | -     | -    | -     | -    | -    |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-01-1900</i>               | -     | -     | -    | -     | -    | -    |

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

### 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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