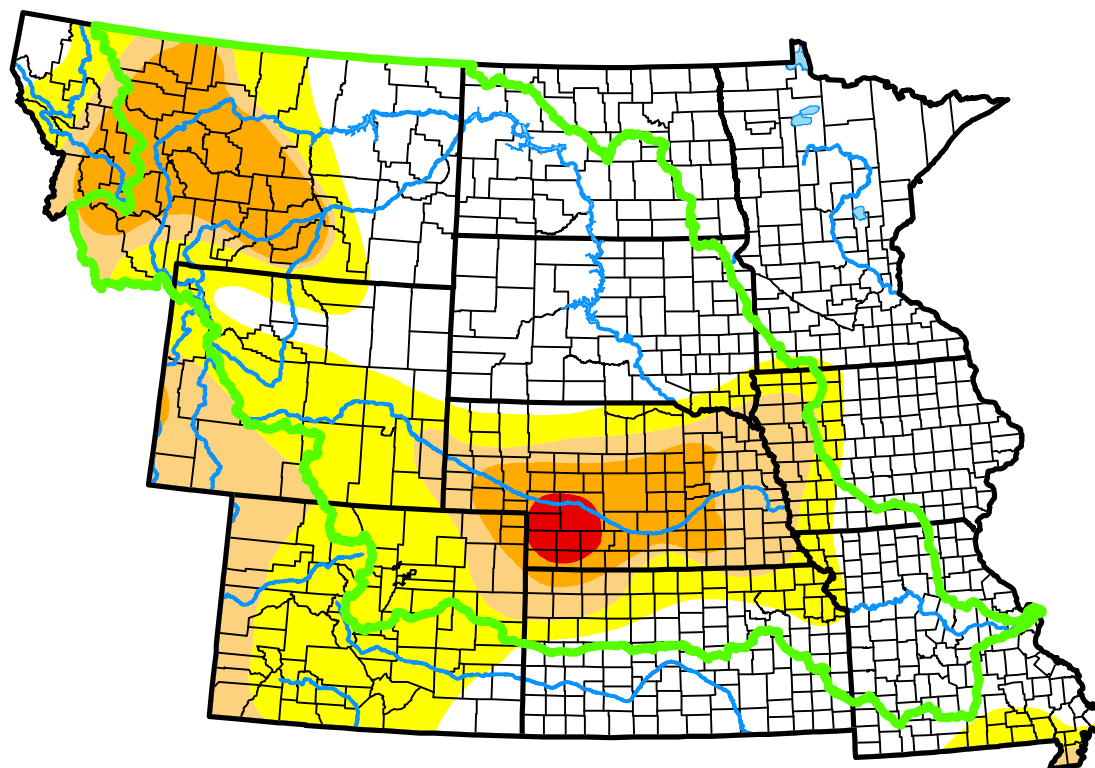


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas

**August 15, 2000**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	45.61	25.62	12.68	14.78	1.31	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-08-2000</i>	48.38	25.29	14.02	11.31	1.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-16-2000</i>	43.43	29.96	10.65	15.96	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2000</i>	48.60	35.31	7.72	8.38	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>01-01-1900</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>One Year Ago</b> <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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