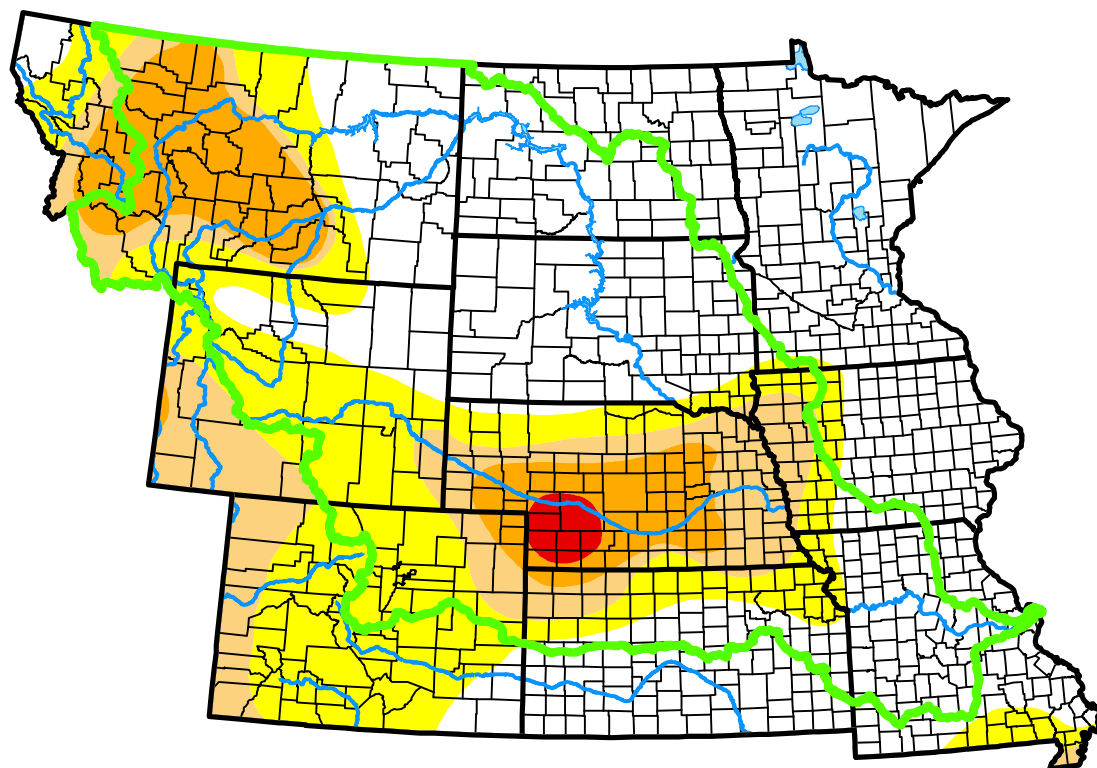


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	45.61	54.39	28.77	16.09	1.31	0.00
Last Week <i>08-08-2000</i>	48.38	51.62	26.34	12.32	1.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-16-2000</i>	43.43	56.57	26.61	15.96	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2000</i>	48.60	51.40	16.09	8.38	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>01-01-1900</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-
One Year Ago <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

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