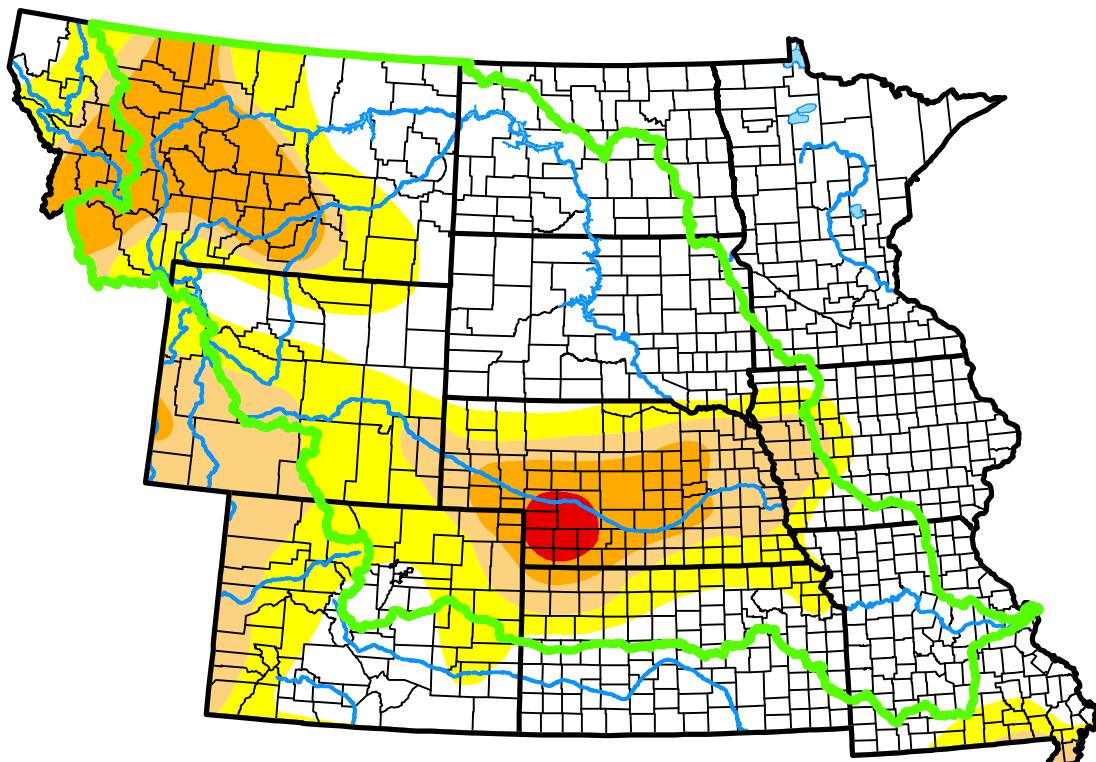


U.S. Drought Monitor
**Missouri River Basin DEWS
and Surrounding Areas**



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	47.20	52.80	28.50	16.10	1.31	0.00
Last Week 08-15-2000	45.61	54.39	28.77	16.09	1.31	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-23-2000	45.32	54.68	28.33	16.09	1.78	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2000	48.60	51.40	16.09	8.38	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 01-01-1900	-	-	-	-	-	-
One Year Ago 01-01-1900	-	-	-	-	-	-

(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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