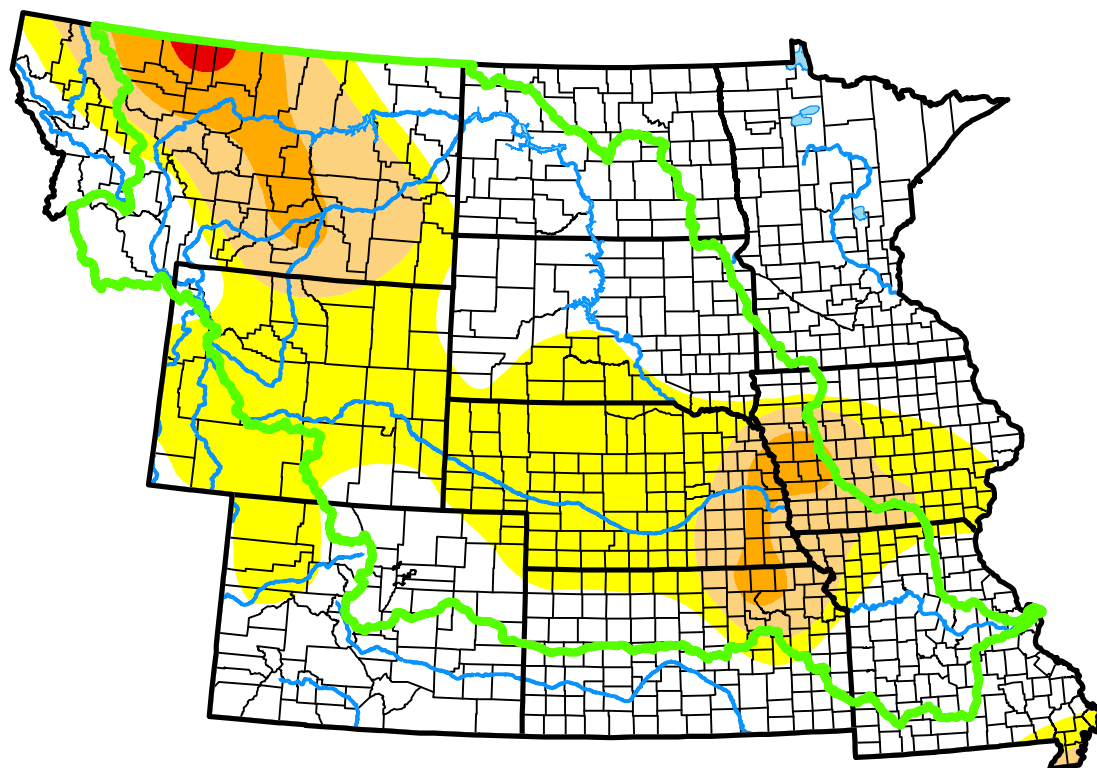


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	42.40	33.83	15.47	7.83	0.47	0.00
Last Week <i>11-28-2000</i>	39.19	37.05	14.96	8.33	0.47	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-05-2000</i>	29.24	32.27	20.94	15.31	2.25	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2000</i>	48.60	35.31	7.72	8.38	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	22.95	35.00	13.71	25.40	2.95	0.00
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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