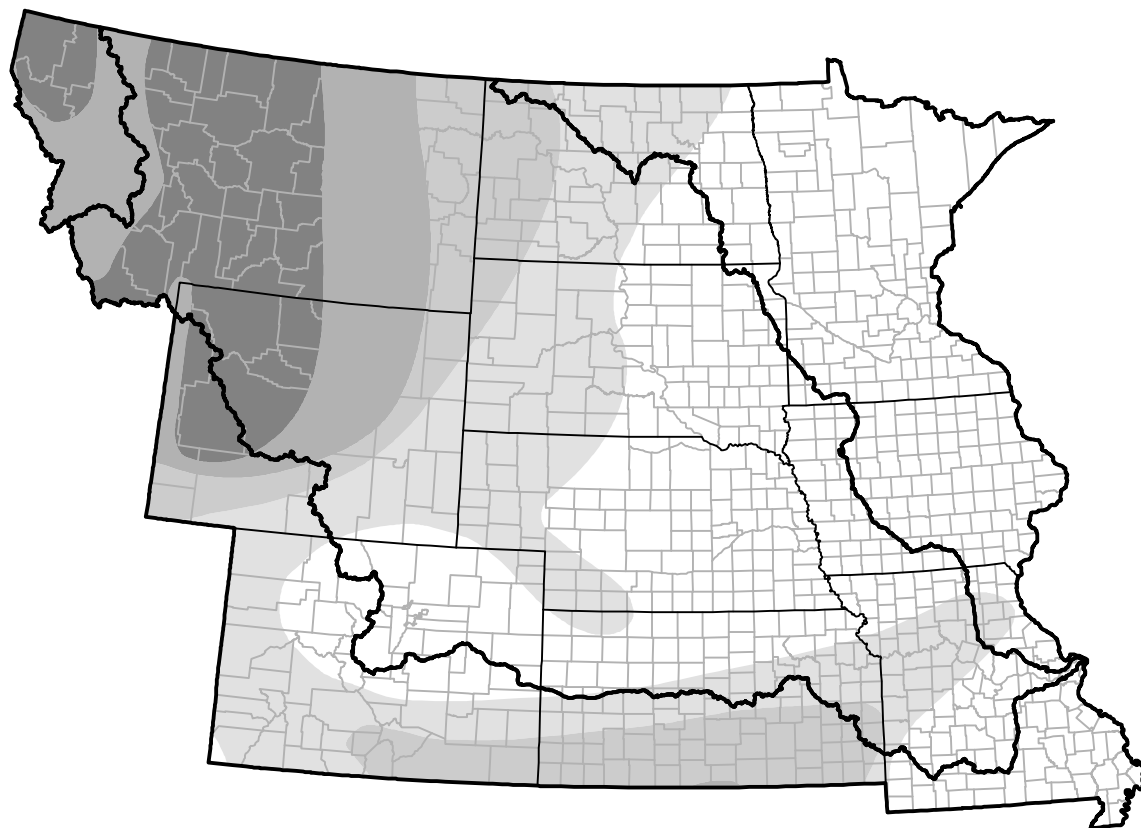


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	39.03	60.97	37.57	28.31	15.70	0.00
Last Week <i>12-20-2001</i>	41.61	58.39	37.23	28.31	15.91	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-27-2001</i>	56.93	43.07	28.34	24.34	13.62	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	48.36	51.64	21.38	9.55	0.45	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	56.93	43.07	28.34	24.34	13.62	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-28-2000</i>	48.36	51.64	21.27	9.55	0.47	0.00

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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