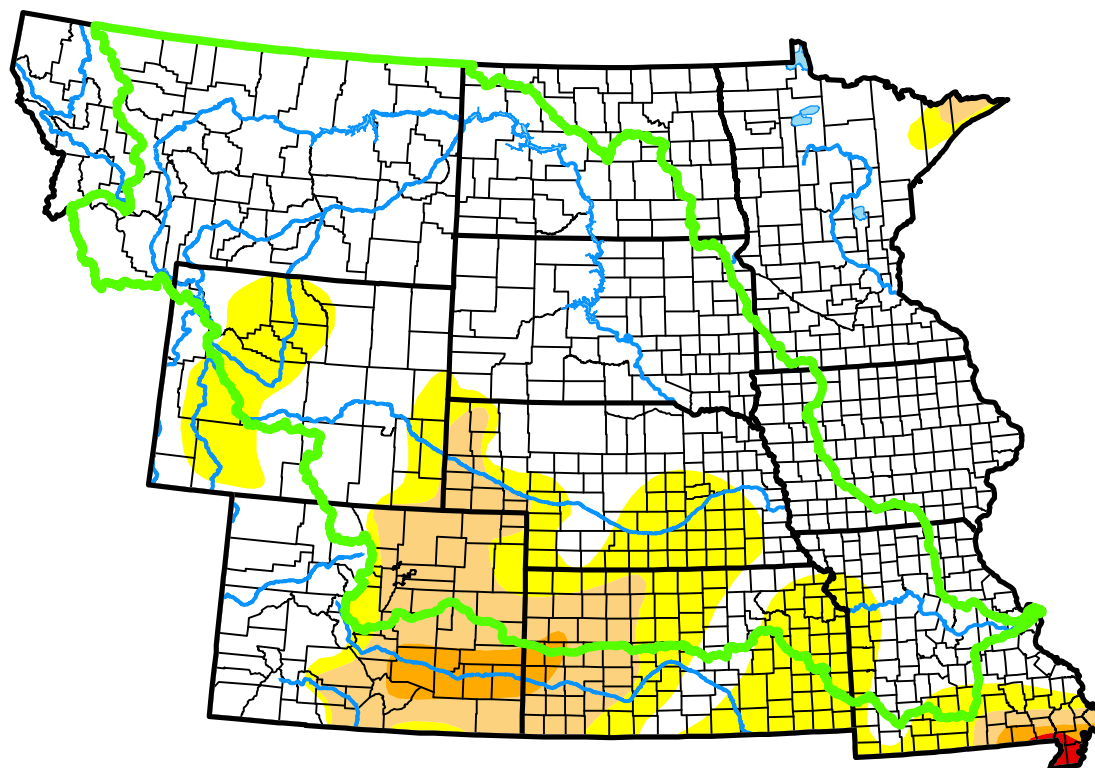


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	74.64	17.40	7.82	0.15	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-28-2010</i>	74.69	16.84	8.31	0.15	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-05-2010</i>	80.54	16.44	3.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	74.64	17.40	7.82	0.15	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	80.54	17.04	2.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-05-2010</i>	88.69	10.64	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.00

(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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