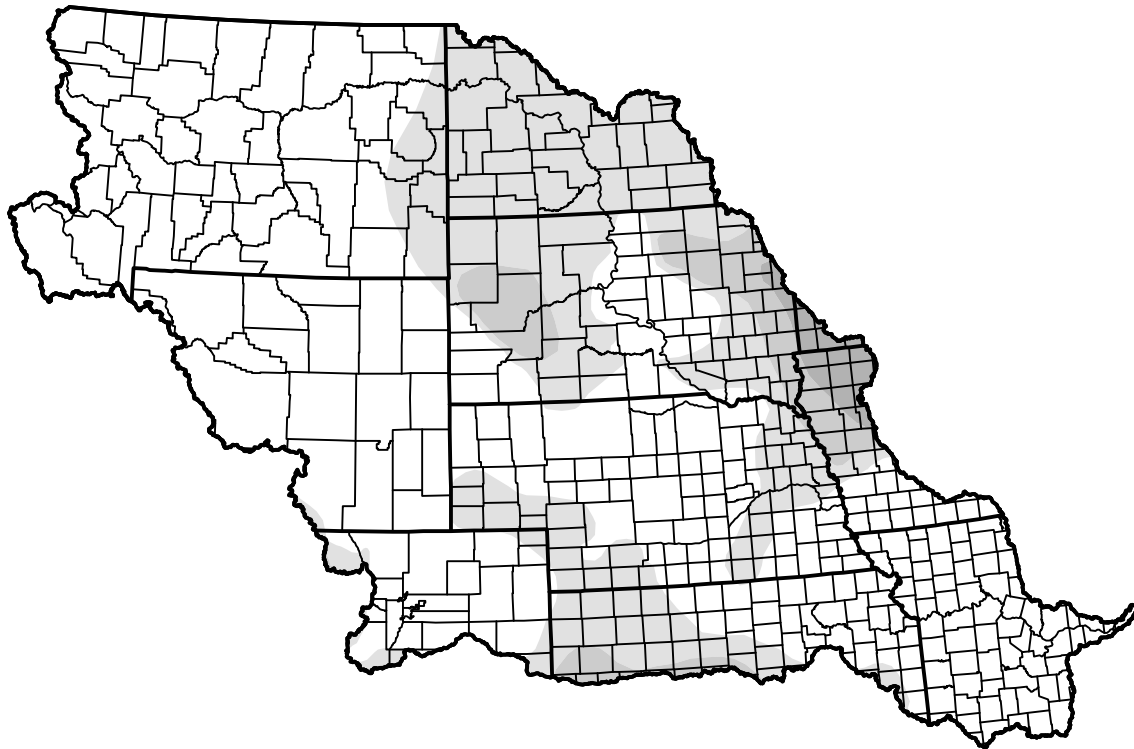


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri Watershed

**March 20, 2012**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	68.25	31.75	6.42	1.39	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-15-2012</i>	66.47	33.53	5.12	1.39	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-22-2011</i>	76.36	23.64	6.77	1.99	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	74.38	25.62	6.51	1.98	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	71.78	28.22	4.58	0.25	0.01	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-24-2011</i>	77.68	22.32	7.17	3.05	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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