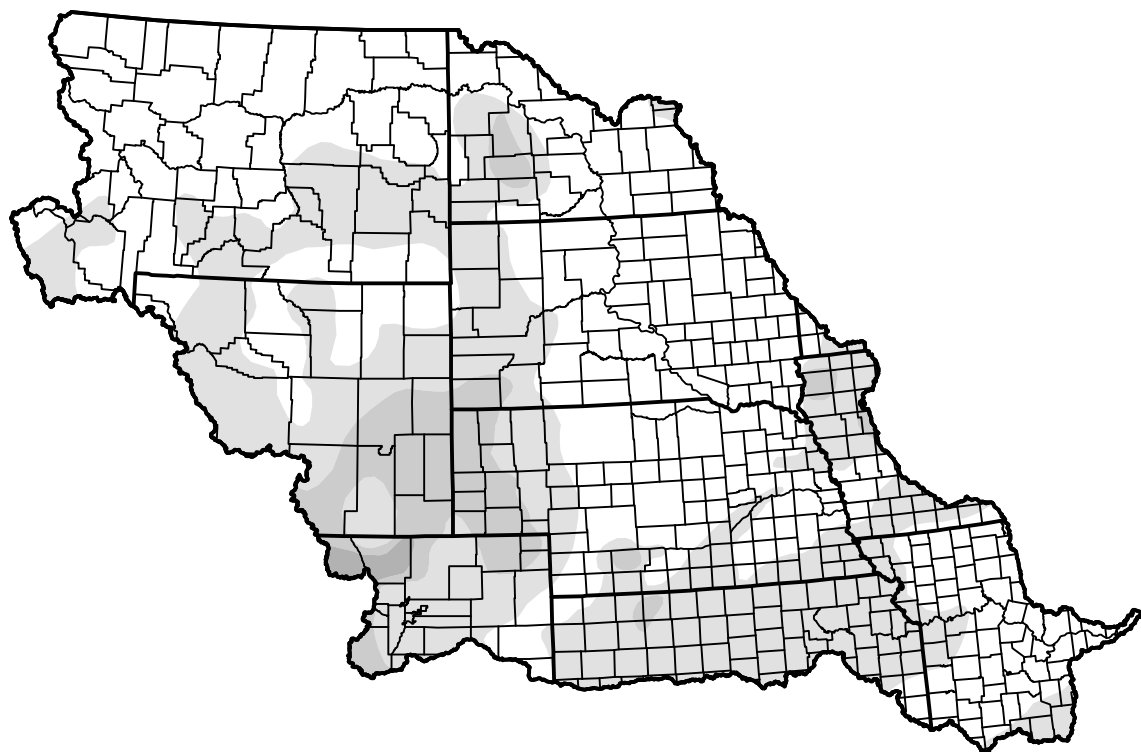


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	54.84	45.16	8.30	0.54	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-17-2012</i>	68.18	31.82	4.15	0.53	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-23-2012</i>	69.29	30.71	6.46	2.39	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	74.38	25.62	6.51	1.98	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	71.78	28.22	4.58	0.25	0.01	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-26-2011</i>	91.39	8.61	3.87	1.10	0.00	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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