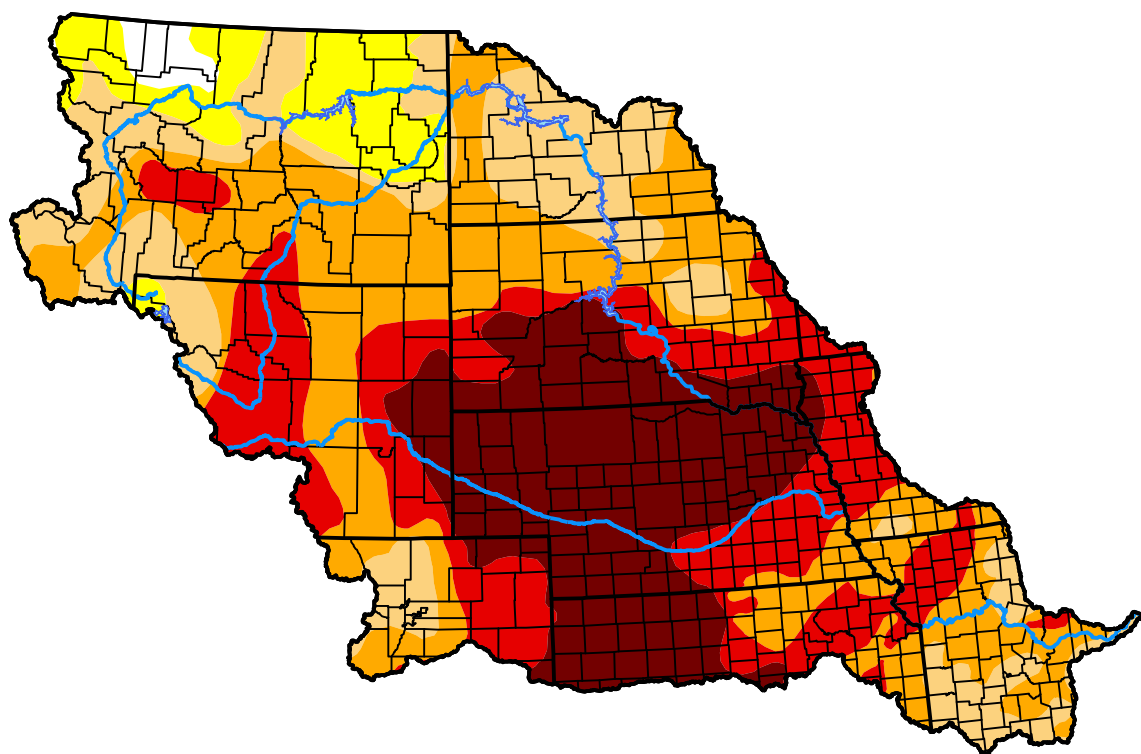


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	1.18	7.11	18.44	28.96	21.55	22.76
Last Week <i>10-11-2012</i>	0.03	7.78	16.94	29.14	22.91	23.20
3 Months Ago <i>07-19-2012</i>	9.90	13.09	24.53	41.38	10.96	0.14
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	74.38	19.11	4.53	1.98	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	2.82	5.28	18.55	26.37	28.48	18.50
One Year Ago <i>10-20-2011</i>	78.90	13.56	6.38	1.16	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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