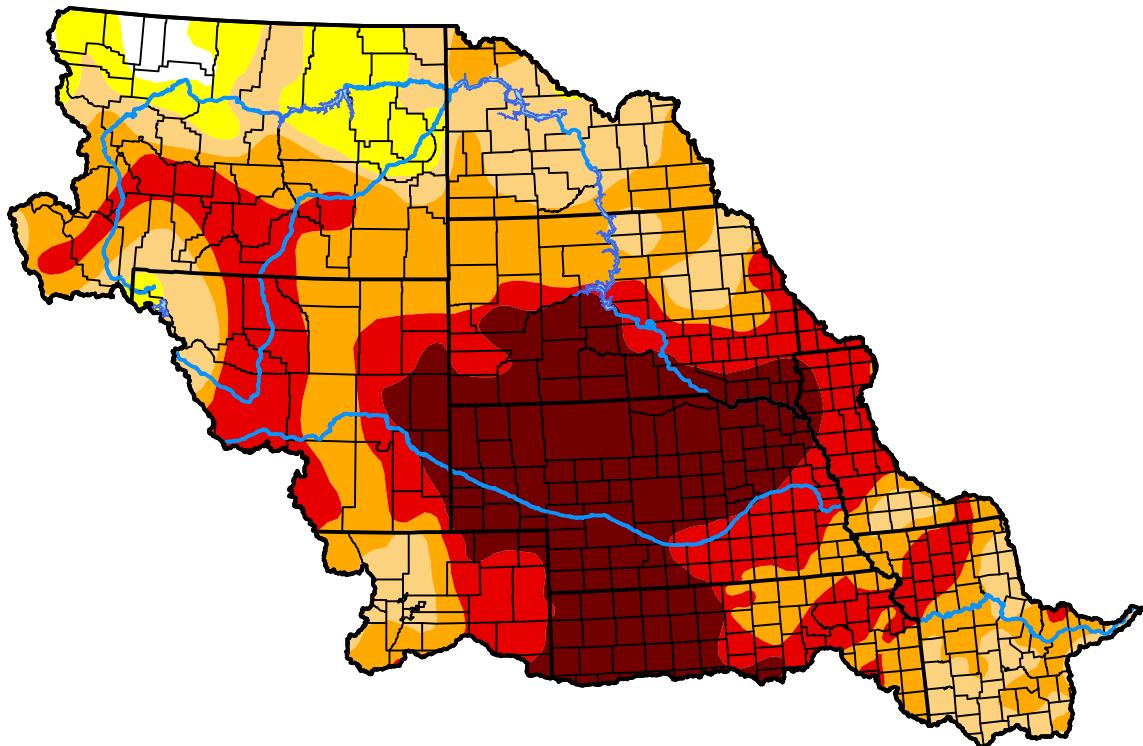


# U.S. Drought Monitor

# Missouri Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	1.20	98.80	91.78	74.11	46.63	22.76
Last Week 10-18-2012	1.18	98.82	91.71	73.27	44.31	22.76
3 Months Ago 07-26-2012	8.90	91.10	77.73	64.88	29.29	1.01
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	74.38	25.62	6.51	1.98	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2012	2.82	97.18	91.90	73.35	46.98	18.50
One Year Ago 10-27-2011	77.65	22.35	9.47	2.15	0.03	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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