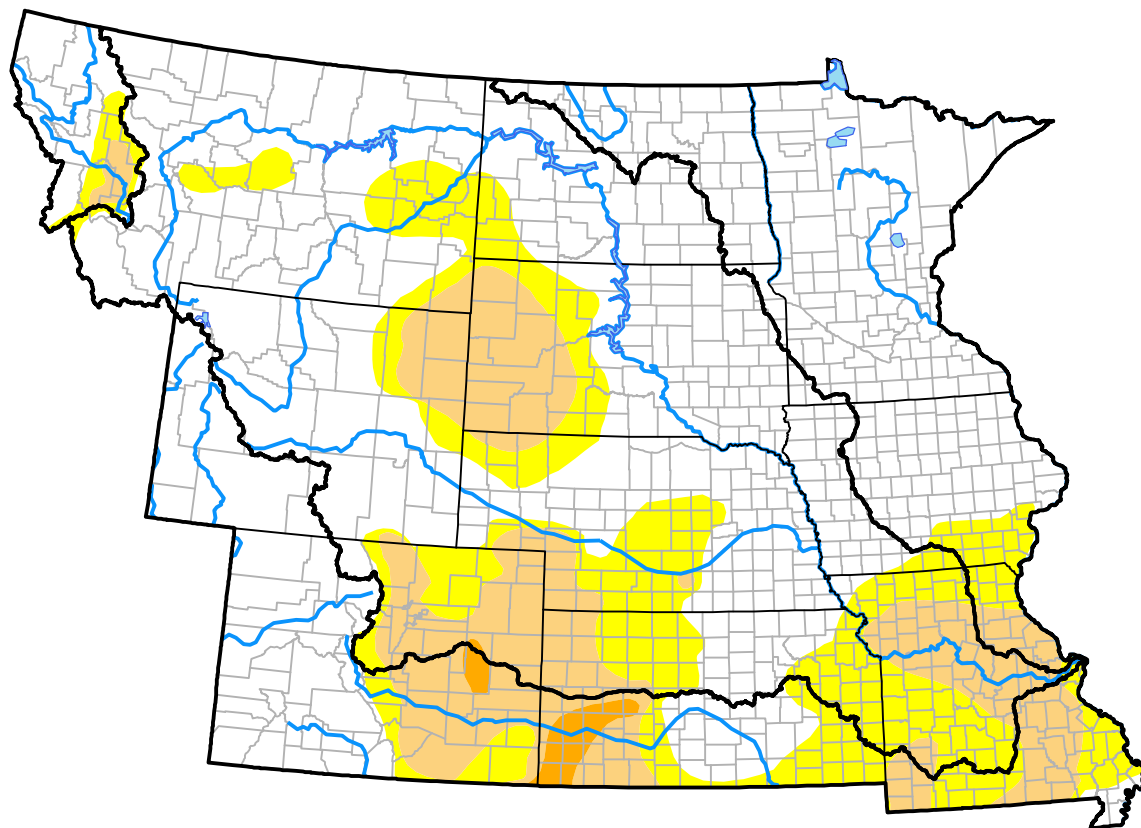


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	62.79	21.15	16.02	0.04	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-16-2017</i>	63.50	22.91	13.57	0.03	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-23-2016</i>	56.46	28.54	14.02	0.99	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	55.38	28.62	14.59	1.41	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	68.23	19.54	8.58	3.39	0.26	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-25-2016</i>	72.88	20.84	5.97	0.30	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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