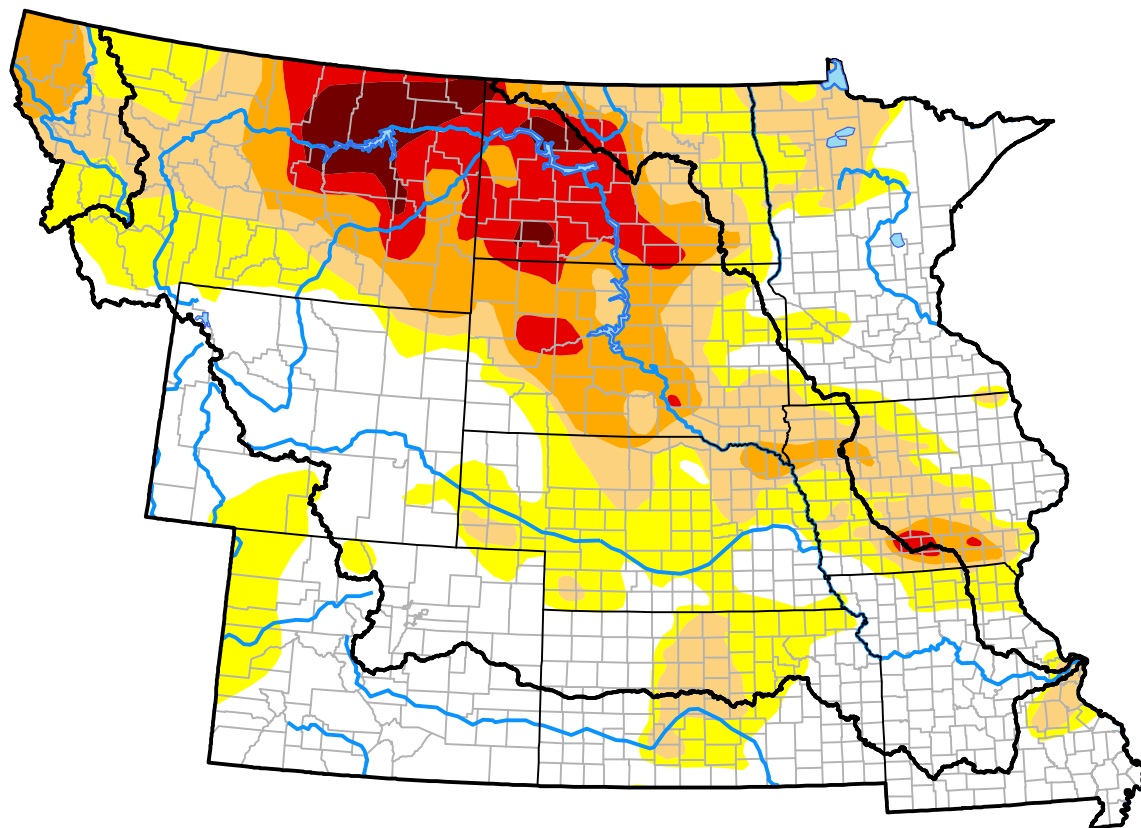


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	34.02	22.89	15.72	13.59	9.68	4.10
Last Week <i>08-10-2017</i>	34.60	23.44	14.26	14.21	9.04	4.45
3 Months Ago <i>05-18-2017</i>	86.20	13.69	0.11	0.00	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>08-18-2016</i>	55.14	28.71	10.47	4.35	1.33	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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