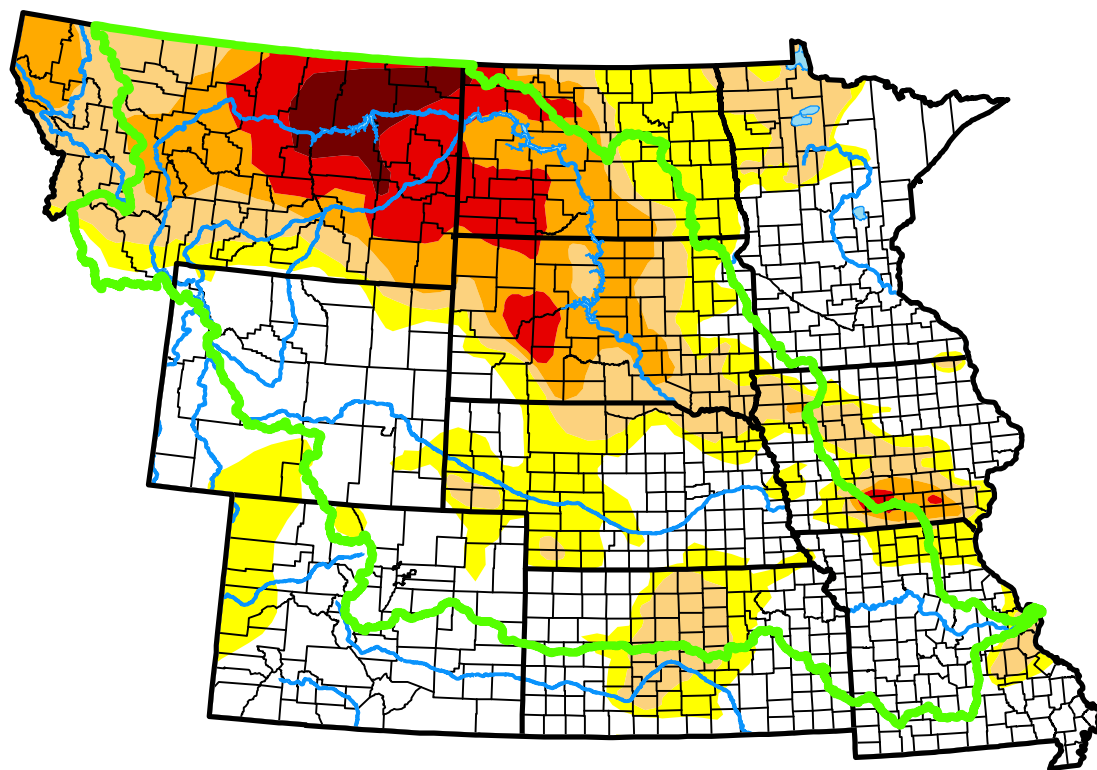


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas



August 22, 2017

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	38.69	16.95	15.72	14.88	10.30	3.46
Last Week <i>08-15-2017</i>	34.02	22.89	15.72	13.59	9.68	4.10
3 Months Ago <i>05-23-2017</i>	84.52	13.56	1.93	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	55.38	28.62	14.59	1.41	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	68.23	19.54	8.58	3.39	0.26	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-23-2016</i>	56.93	27.43	10.50	4.32	0.82	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

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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