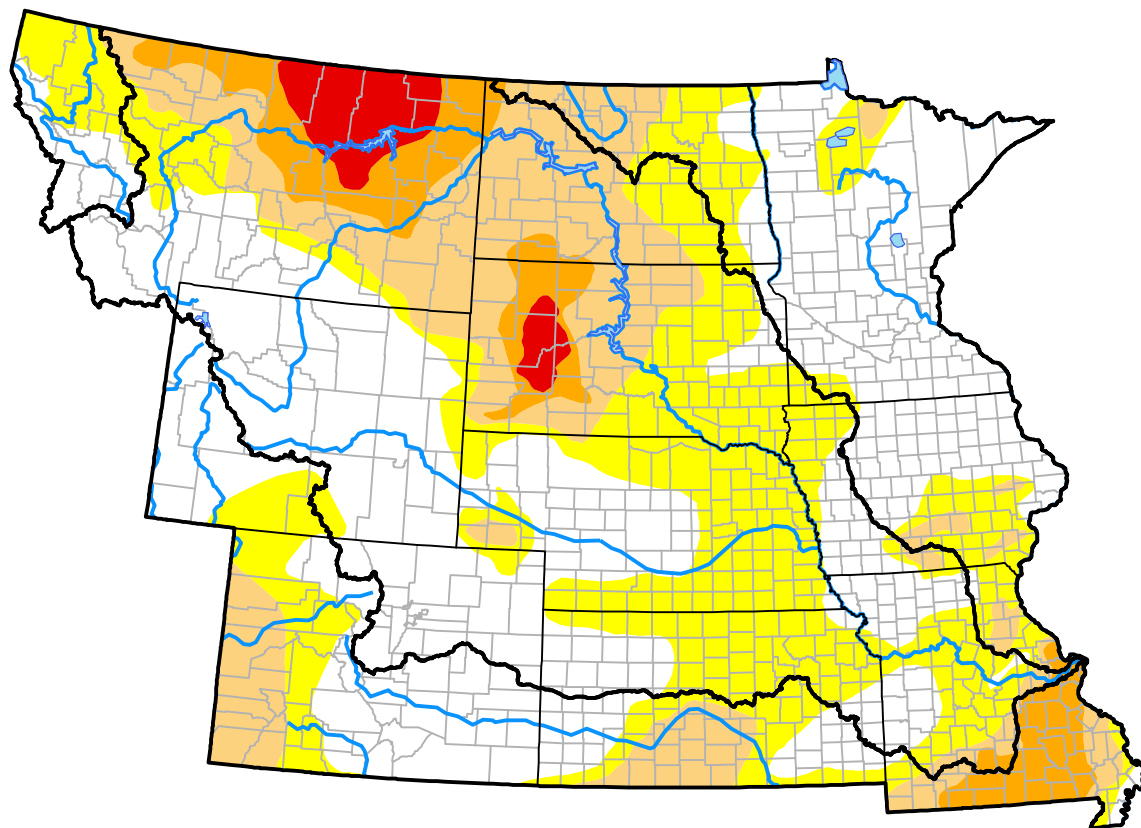


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin RDEWS

**December 5, 2017**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 7, 2017)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 37.81 | 62.19 | 31.28 | 12.39 | 4.42  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>11-30-2017</i>              | 52.68 | 47.32 | 30.02 | 12.35 | 4.42  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-07-2017</i>           | 40.43 | 59.57 | 43.02 | 29.96 | 16.09 | 7.52 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2017</i> | 55.38 | 44.62 | 16.00 | 1.41  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2017</i>    | 45.44 | 54.56 | 38.69 | 25.19 | 13.57 | 5.09 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-08-2016</i>           | 52.45 | 47.55 | 15.80 | 2.32  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

### Intensity:



*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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