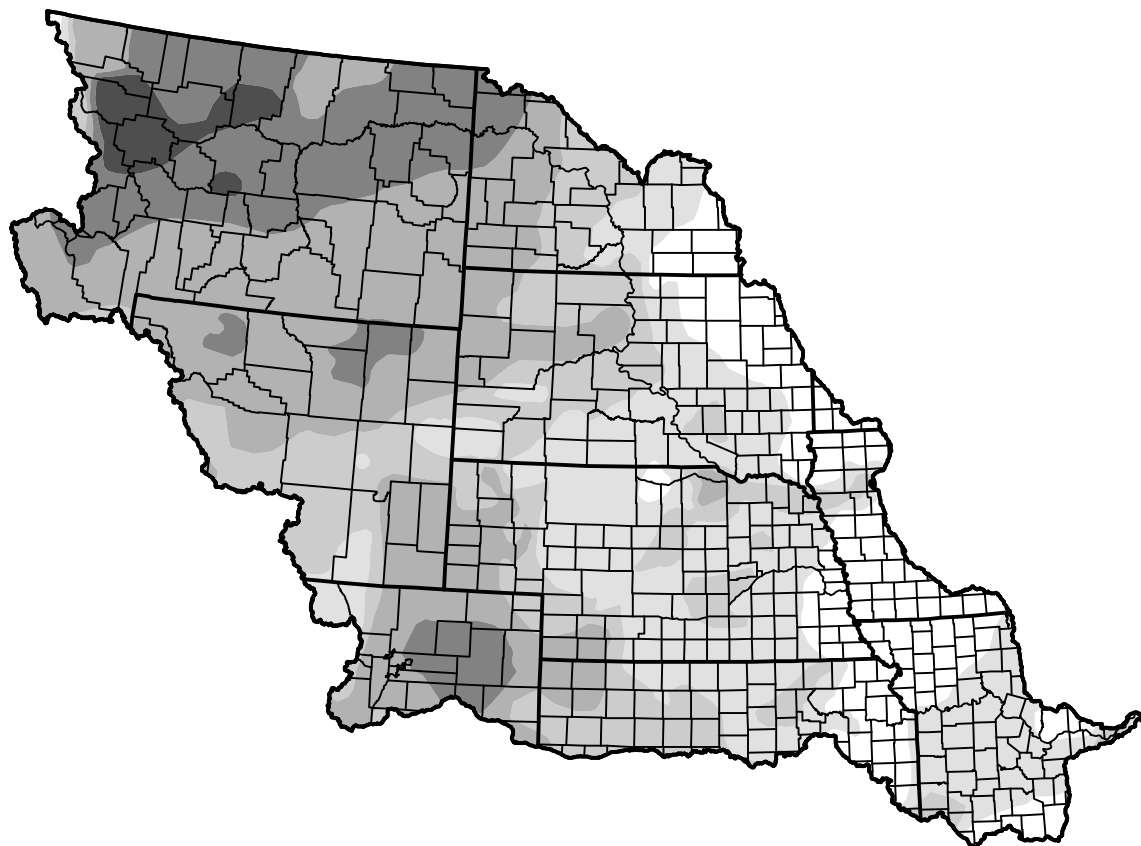


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin DEWS

**February 1, 2022**  
 (Released Thursday, Feb. 3, 2022)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 12.79 | 23.42 | 18.93 | 28.68 | 13.99 | 2.20 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>01-25-2022</i>              | 13.78 | 22.81 | 18.47 | 28.35 | 14.39 | 2.20 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>11-02-2021</i>           | 23.44 | 15.52 | 20.51 | 18.28 | 16.10 | 6.15 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2022</i> | 15.77 | 22.06 | 18.85 | 22.78 | 16.75 | 3.80 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2021</i>    | 12.08 | 19.85 | 16.04 | 22.84 | 22.96 | 6.24 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>02-02-2021</i>           | 8.97  | 14.67 | 37.99 | 23.68 | 14.38 | 0.31 |

**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>*

**Author:**

Curtis Riganti  
 National Drought Mitigation Center



**droughtmonitor.unl.edu**