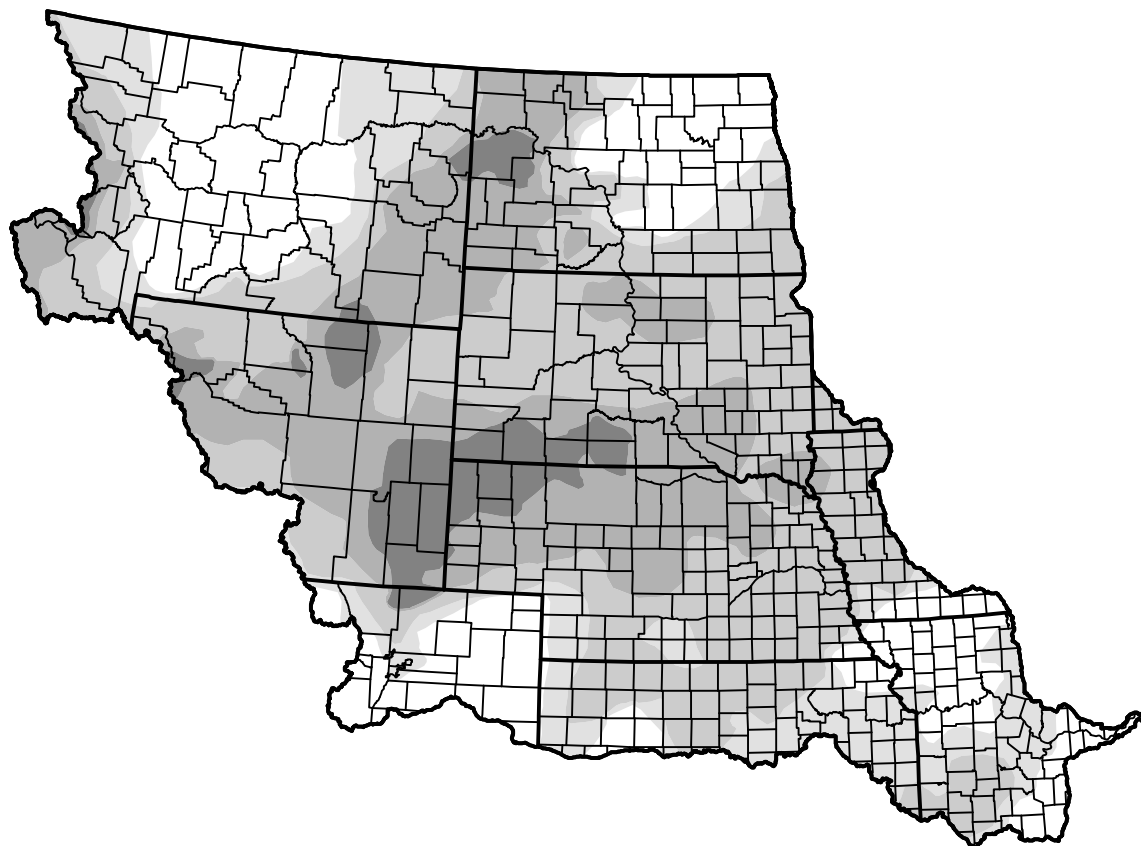


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin DEWS

**February 18, 2025**  
 (Released Thursday, Feb. 20, 2025)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 22.53 | 14.59 | 33.13 | 23.24 | 6.52  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>02-11-2025</i>              | 20.97 | 15.11 | 32.89 | 24.21 | 6.82  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>11-19-2024</i>           | 8.97  | 21.08 | 33.08 | 23.57 | 13.30 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-07-2025</i> | 12.86 | 19.25 | 32.73 | 24.51 | 10.65 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2024</i>    | 18.48 | 35.86 | 29.18 | 12.16 | 4.32  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>02-20-2024</i>           | 41.31 | 34.55 | 16.94 | 7.11  | 0.09  | 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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