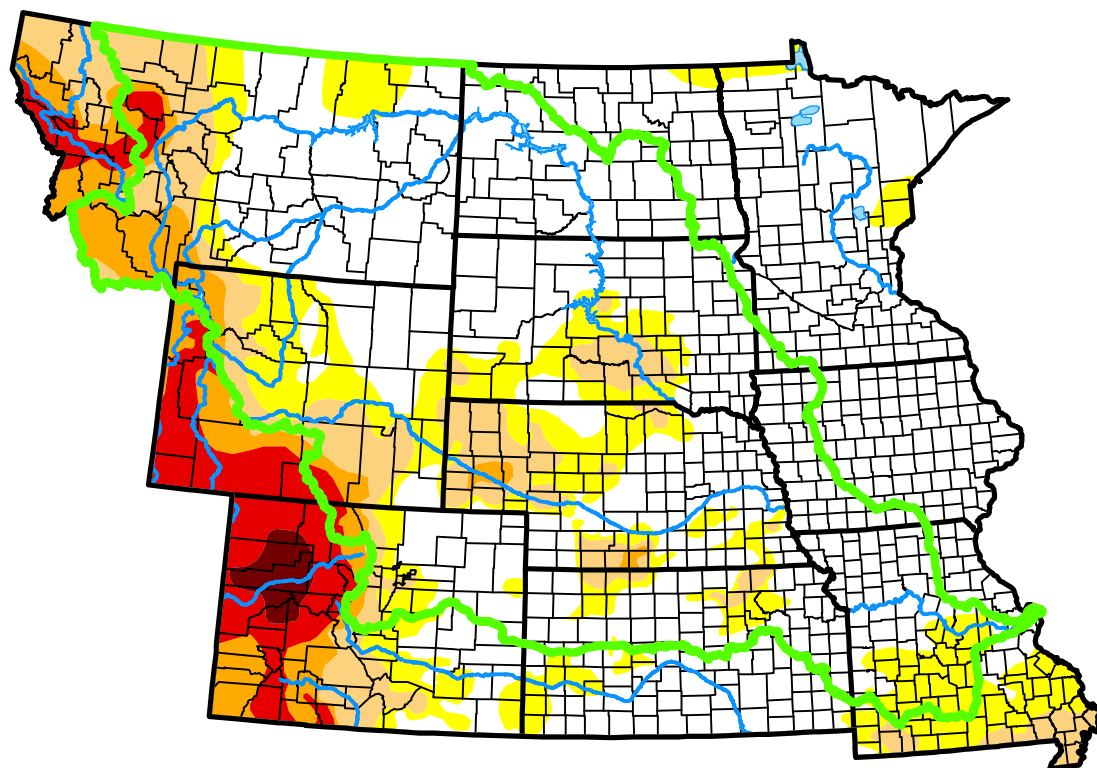


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas

August 19, 2025
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	63.36	18.98	12.26	4.50	0.90	0.00
Last Week <i>08-12-2025</i>	58.68	22.41	14.11	4.25	0.55	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-20-2025</i>	26.01	30.47	24.88	15.04	3.60	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-07-2025</i>	12.86	19.25	32.73	24.51	10.65	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2024</i>	18.48	35.86	29.18	12.16	4.32	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-20-2024</i>	33.95	33.19	22.63	9.05	1.17	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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