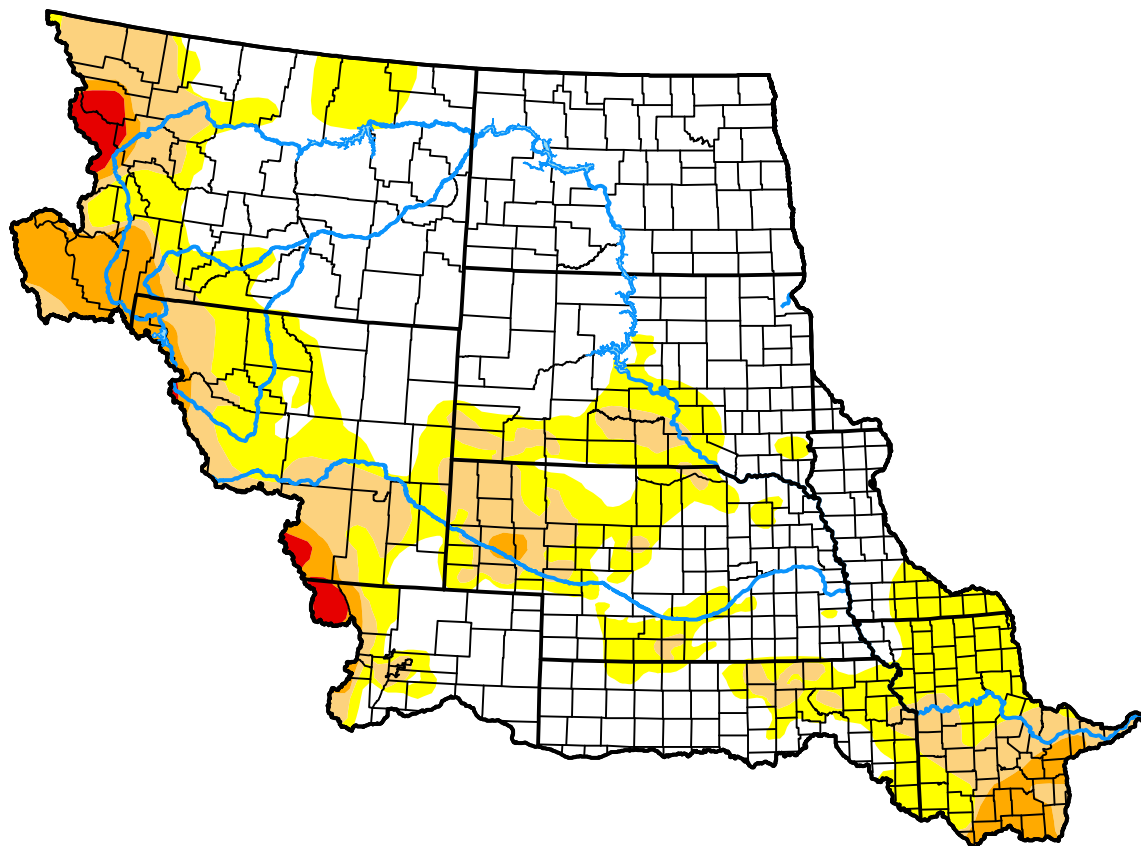


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin DEWS

**September 16, 2025**  
*(Released Thursday, Sep. 18, 2025)*  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 58.19 | 22.99 | 12.91 | 4.88  | 1.04  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-09-2025</i>              | 60.09 | 22.32 | 12.28 | 3.99  | 1.32  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-17-2025</i>           | 36.18 | 27.72 | 26.13 | 9.79  | 0.18  | 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>09-17-2024</i>           | 20.38 | 34.95 | 29.97 | 11.70 | 3.00  | 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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