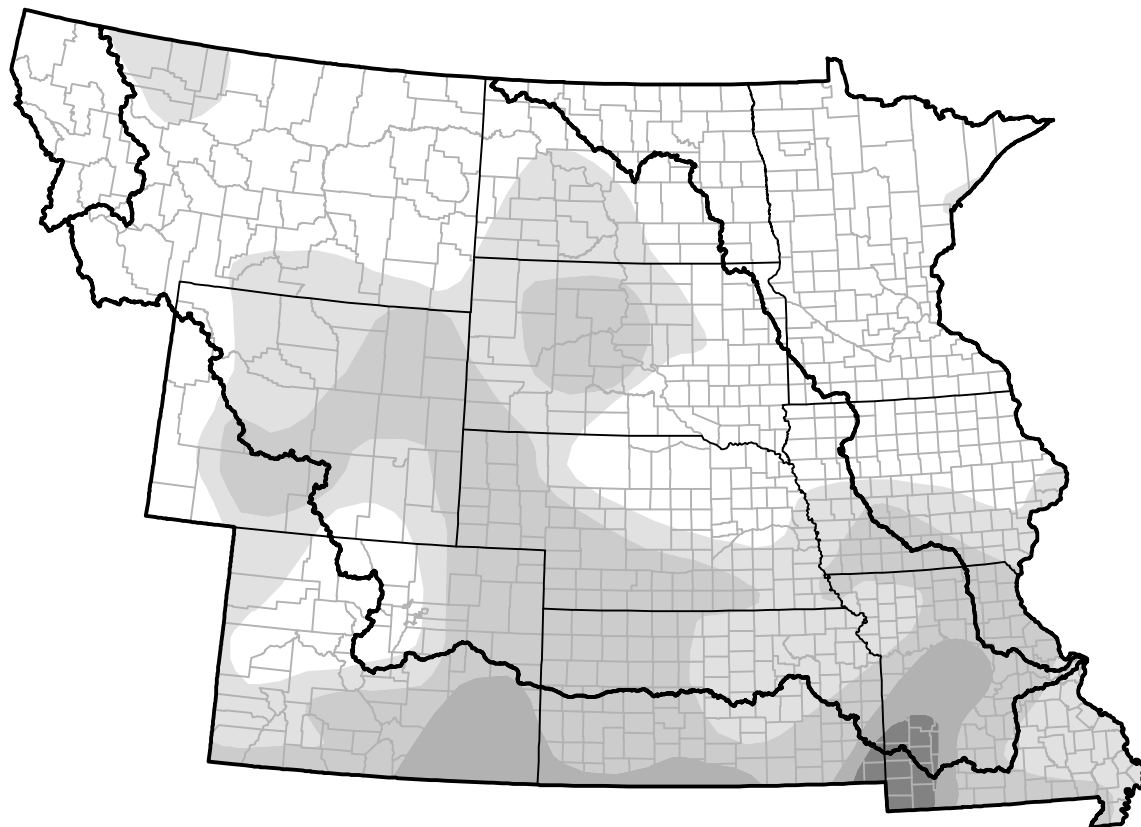


U.S. Drought Monitor

Missouri River Basin RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	39.75	60.25	30.88	2.77	0.63	0.00
Last Week <i>04-13-2006</i>	40.32	59.68	29.95	0.82	0.19	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-19-2006</i>	47.67	52.33	24.04	1.07	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	49.30	50.70	21.74	1.06	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	33.60	66.40	32.23	7.68	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-21-2005</i>	30.57	69.43	56.76	40.41	20.70	7.37

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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