

# U.S. Drought Monitor

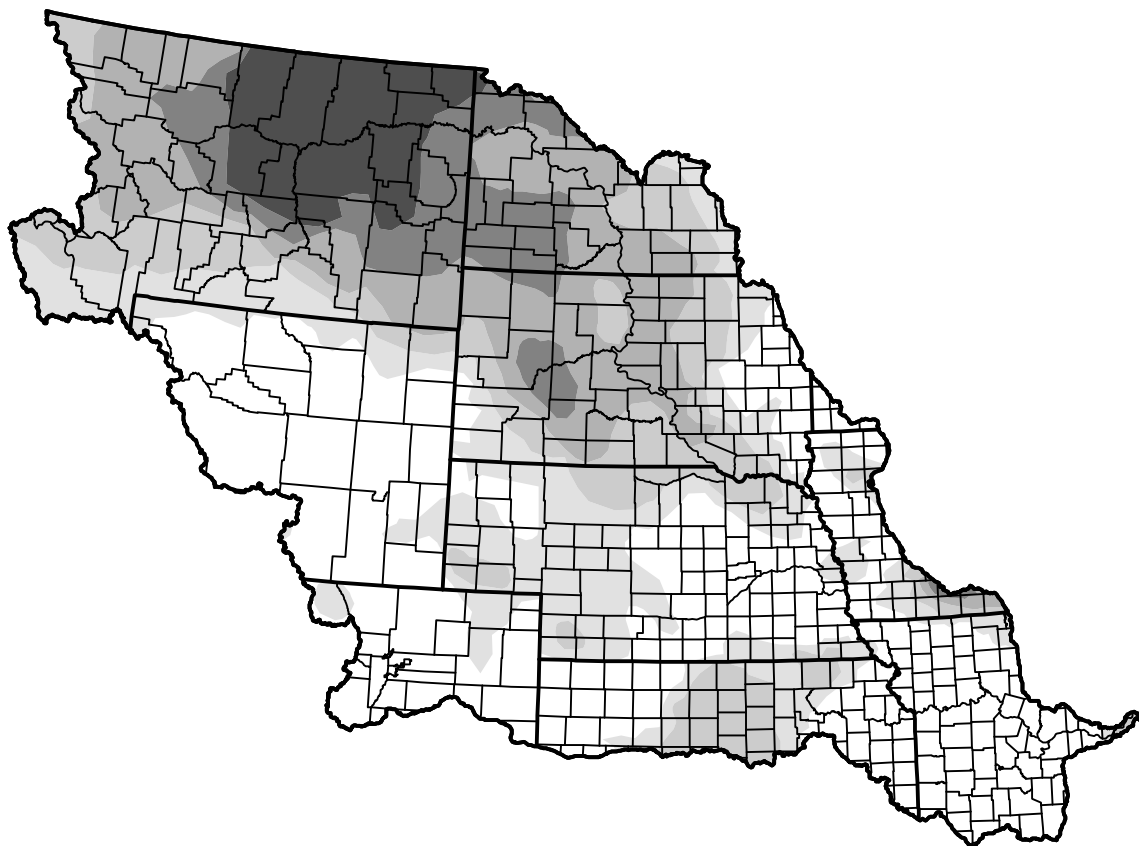
## Missouri Basin RFC

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	38.35	61.65	43.90	30.15	15.08	7.11
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-24-2017</i>	38.70	61.30	44.35	28.63	13.76	3.46
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-01-2017</i>	72.13	27.87	5.30	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	55.38	44.62	15.99	1.41	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	68.21	31.79	12.24	3.65	0.26	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-01-2016</i>	58.86	41.14	15.20	4.93	0.82	0.00



***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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