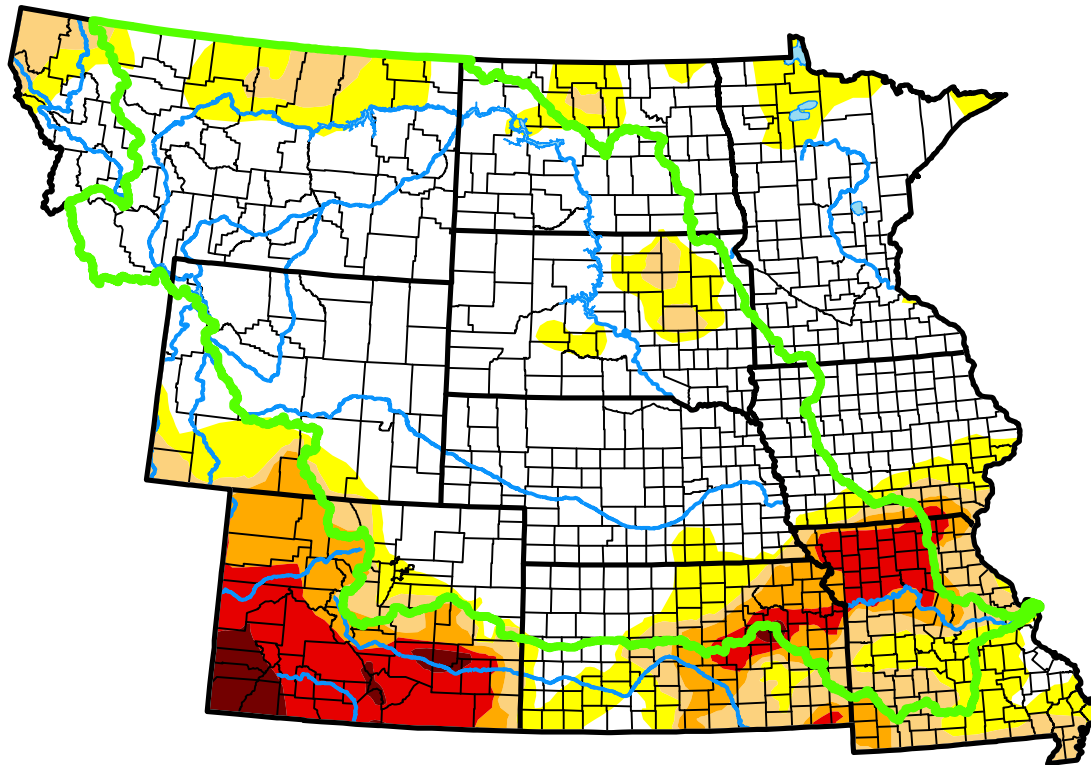


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missouri River Basin DEWS and Surrounding Areas

**July 31, 2018**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	74.78	25.22	13.14	6.18	2.99	0.06
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-24-2018</i>	74.52	25.48	12.14	5.74	2.61	0.06
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-01-2018</i>	65.04	34.96	17.55	2.40	0.11	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2018</i>	22.97	77.03	29.17	11.40	4.41	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2017</i>	45.44	54.56	38.69	25.19	13.57	5.09
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-01-2017</i>	29.77	70.23	42.97	27.63	14.82	4.45

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

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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