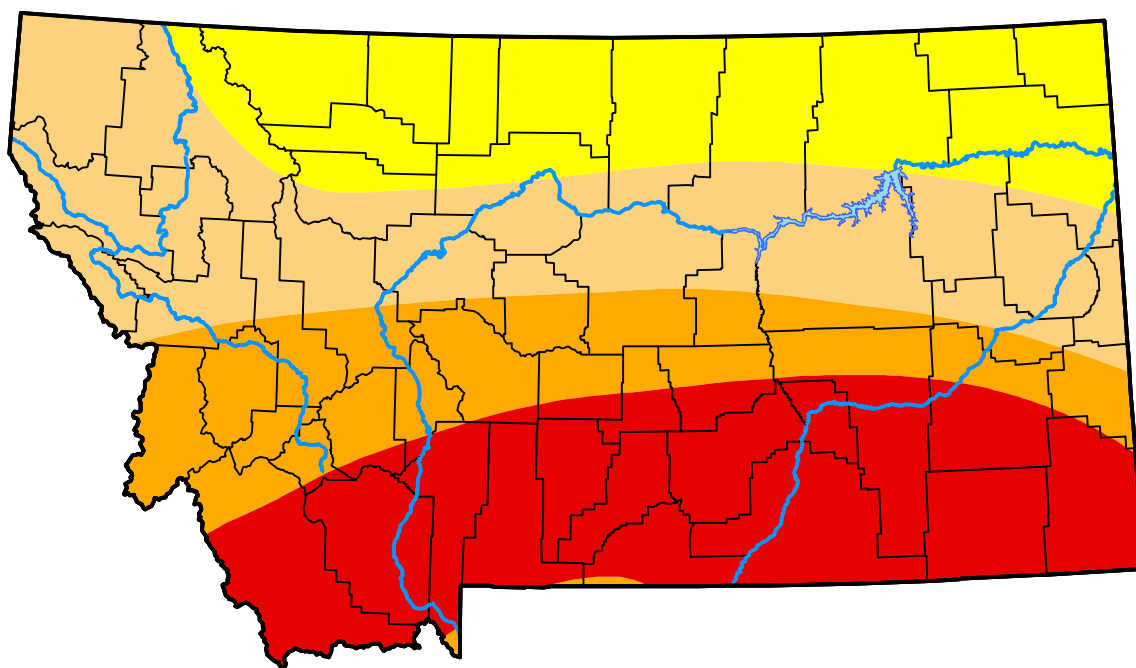


U.S. Drought Monitor

Montana

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	22.69	29.66	18.97	28.68	0.00
Last Week 10-31-2002	0.00	31.86	24.89	14.73	28.52	0.00
3 Months Ago 08-08-2002	2.62	17.89	17.10	27.66	34.73	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2002	0.00	0.00	11.62	39.61	48.77	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-03-2002	2.22	38.43	22.34	14.74	22.28	0.00
One Year Ago 11-08-2001	0.00	15.84	8.88	27.32	47.96	0.00

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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