

U.S. Drought Monitor Montana

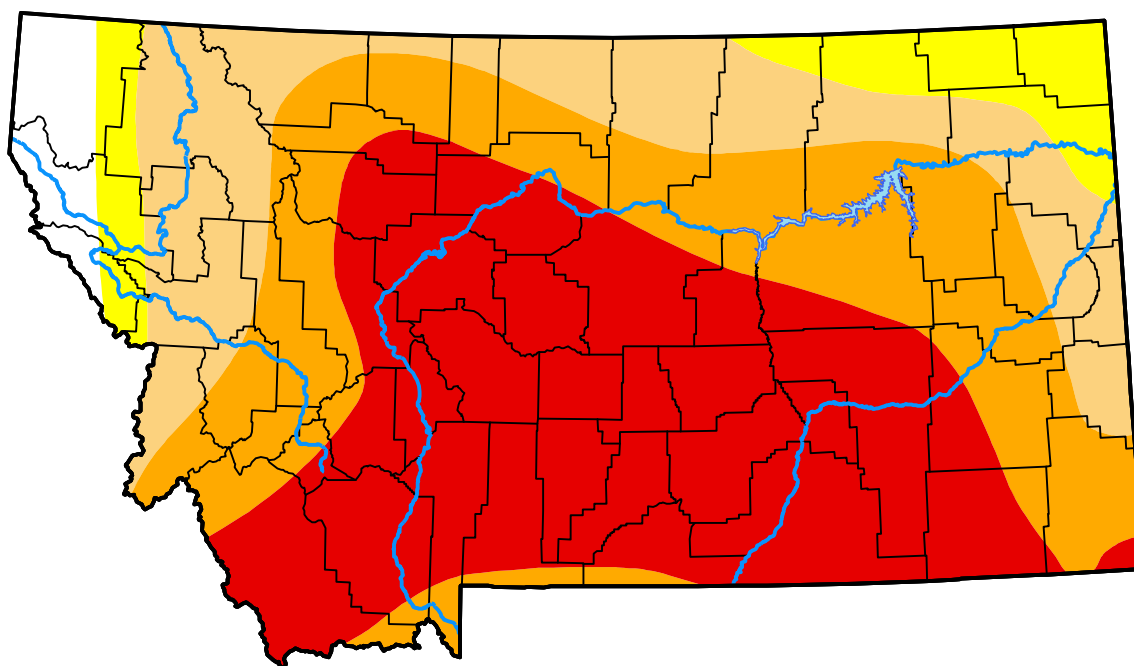
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	3.23	96.77	89.67	69.90	42.35	0.00
Last Week <i>03-20-2003</i>	3.36	96.64	90.58	73.51	46.30	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-26-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	81.86	63.43	29.36	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	88.92	65.03	34.61	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	2.22	97.78	59.35	37.02	22.28	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-28-2002</i>	6.26	93.74	88.64	71.09	42.73	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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