

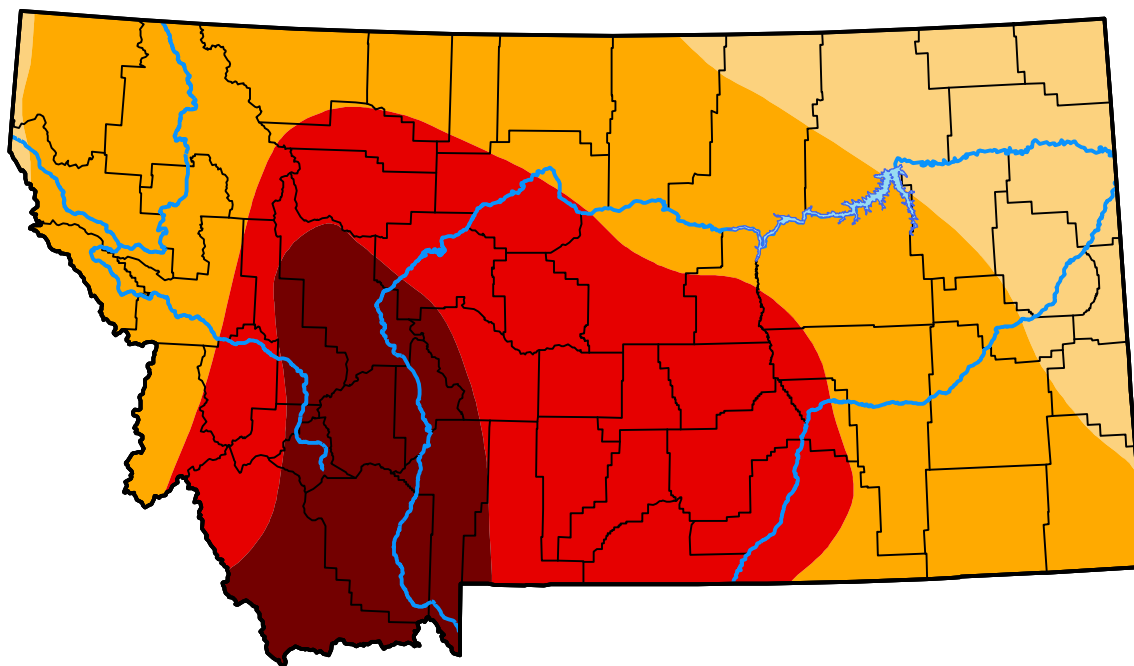
# U.S. Drought Monitor Montana

**December 2, 2003**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	0.00	14.43	42.44	29.77	13.36
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-26-2003</i>	0.00	0.00	14.25	40.24	32.23	13.27
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-04-2003</i>	0.00	3.82	17.92	24.54	47.66	6.06
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	0.00	11.08	23.89	30.42	34.61	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2003</i>	0.00	3.17	15.47	21.34	47.19	12.83
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-05-2002</i>	0.00	19.59	23.03	28.83	28.55	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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