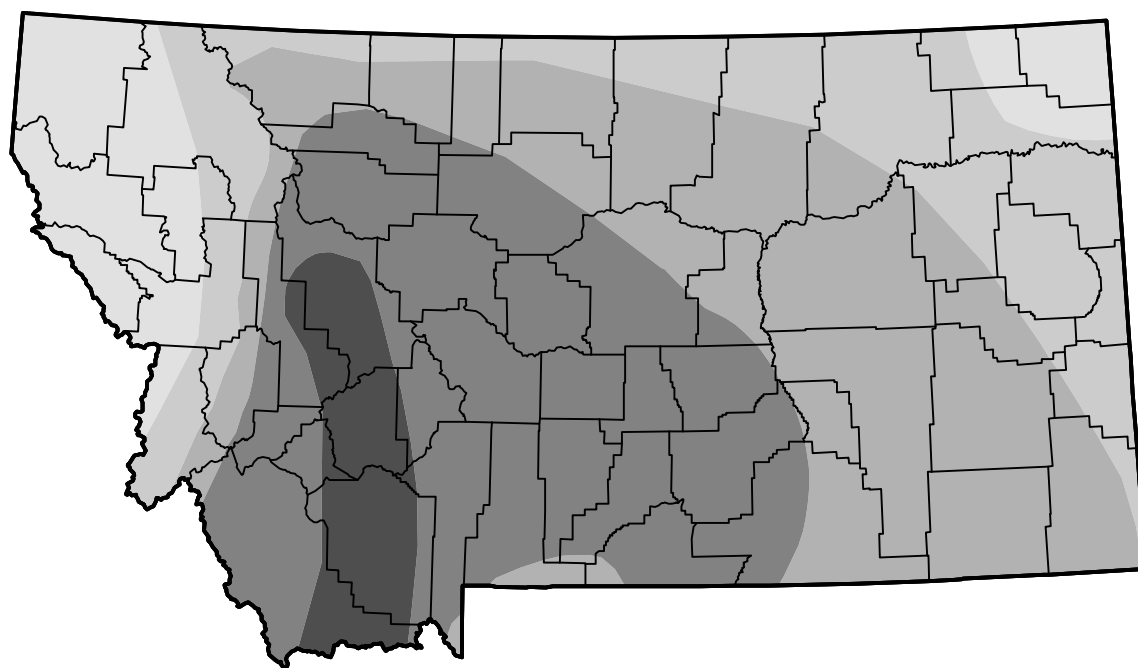


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	11.00	18.76	32.29	31.79	6.15
Last Week <i>02-19-2004</i>	0.00	11.00	18.76	32.29	31.79	6.15
3 Months Ago <i>11-26-2003</i>	0.00	0.00	14.25	40.24	32.23	13.27
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	0.00	3.04	20.22	36.71	26.82	13.21
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i>	0.00	3.17	15.47	21.34	47.19	12.83
One Year Ago <i>02-27-2003</i>	0.00	9.51	21.86	29.80	33.79	5.04

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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