

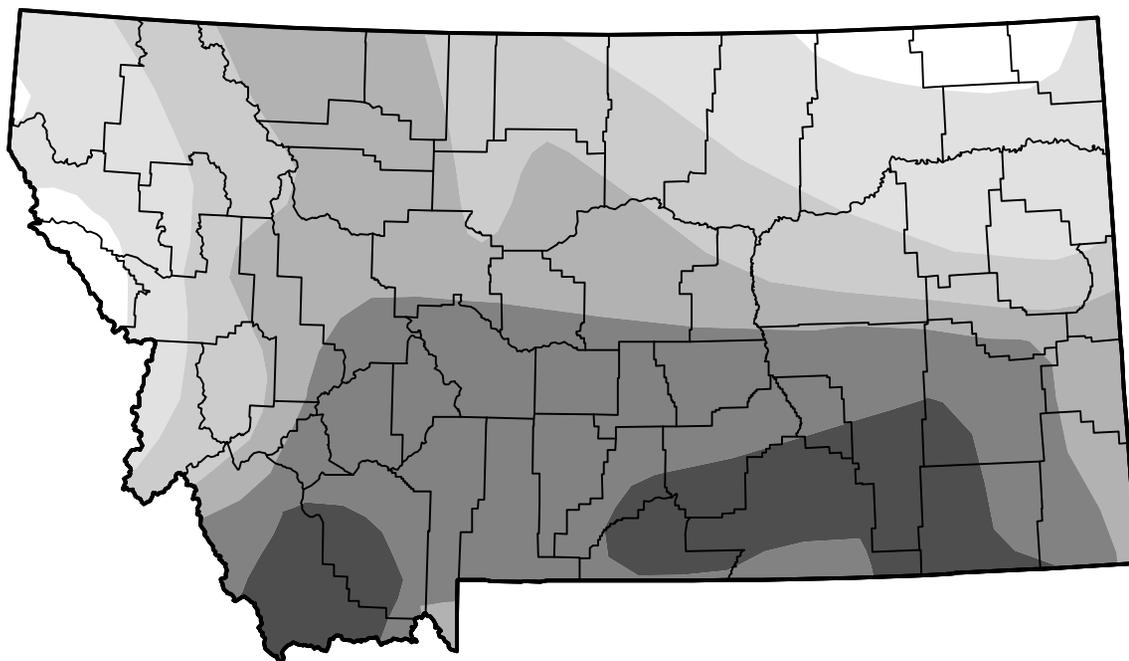
# U.S. Drought Monitor Montana

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	3.77	18.98	17.97	21.25	26.76	11.27
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-19-2004</i>	2.60	15.63	15.14	28.42	26.98	11.23
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-27-2004</i>	6.56	6.97	16.22	24.88	37.86	7.52
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	0.00	3.04	20.22	36.71	26.82	13.21
<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>08-28-2003</i>	0.00	2.62	18.37	25.83	47.02	6.15



### 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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