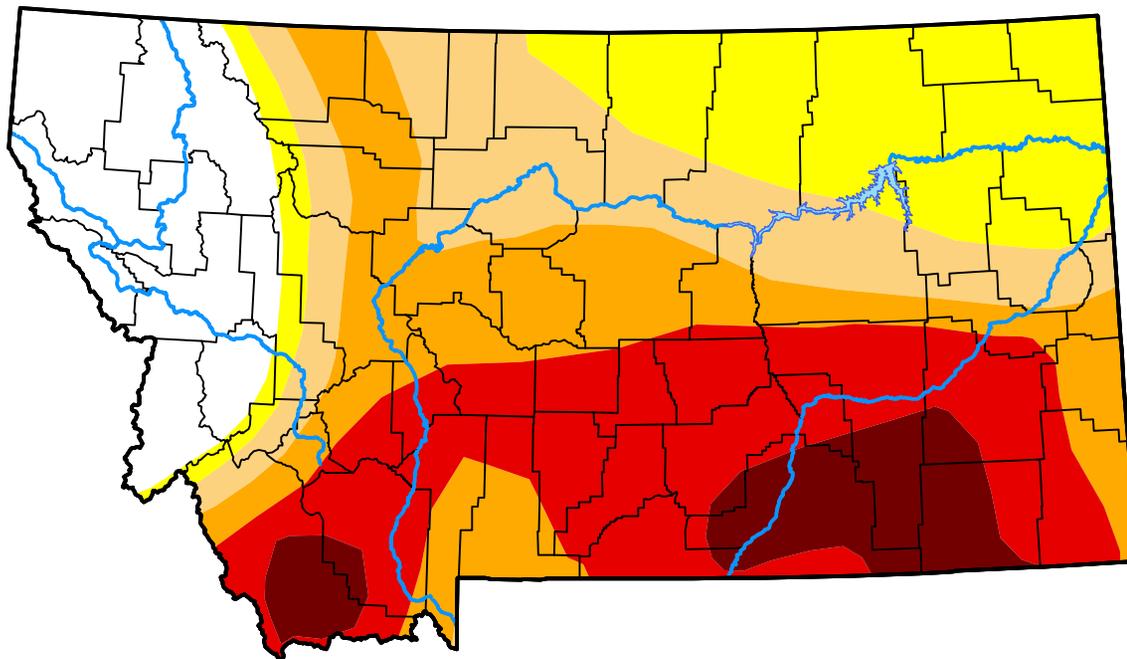


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	15.11	18.03	16.68	19.59	22.84	7.76
Last Week <i>09-30-2004</i>	19.65	13.48	16.68	19.59	22.84	7.76
3 Months Ago <i>07-08-2004</i>	12.92	10.74	14.35	28.24	26.44	7.30
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>09-30-2004</i>	19.65	13.48	16.68	19.59	22.84	7.76
One Year Ago <i>10-09-2003</i>	0.00	0.00	18.79	21.39	46.67	13.15



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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