

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Montana

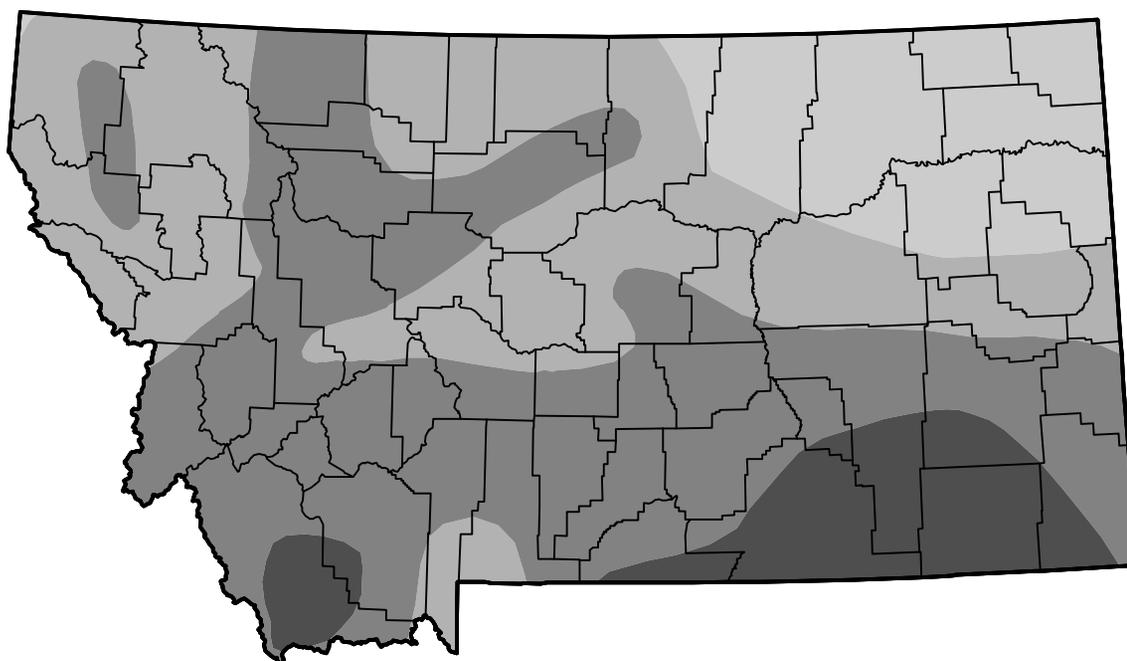
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

#### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	0.00	14.62	32.35	42.63	10.40
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-03-2005</i>	0.00	0.00	14.62	32.35	42.63	10.40
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-09-2004</i>	15.62	17.64	20.83	17.70	21.08	7.13
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	9.71	16.75	20.63	22.14	23.16	7.60
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	19.65	13.48	16.68	19.59	22.84	7.76
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-11-2004</i>	0.00	12.05	18.26	33.07	31.41	5.21



#### 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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