

U.S. Drought Monitor

Montana

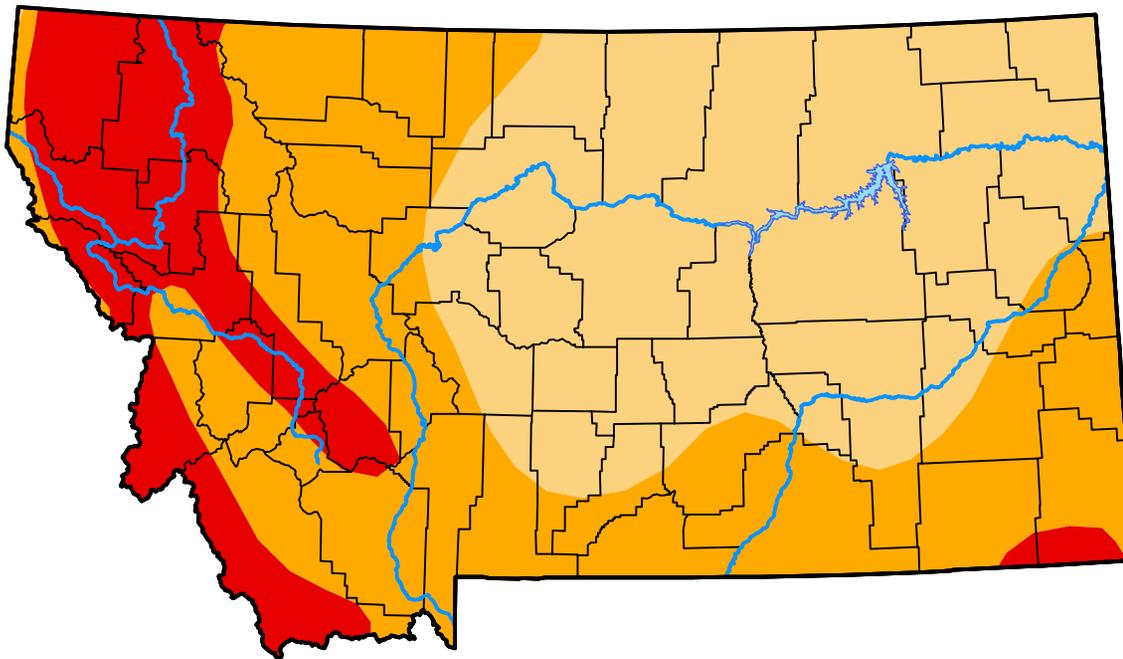
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	100.00	56.15	15.62	0.00
Last Week <i>05-12-2005</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	78.73	20.02	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-17-2005</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	79.92	51.60	9.95
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	9.71	90.29	73.54	52.91	30.76	7.60
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	19.65	80.35	66.87	50.18	30.60	7.76
One Year Ago <i>05-20-2004</i>	3.83	96.17	89.90	74.96	55.62	12.39



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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