

# U.S. Drought Monitor

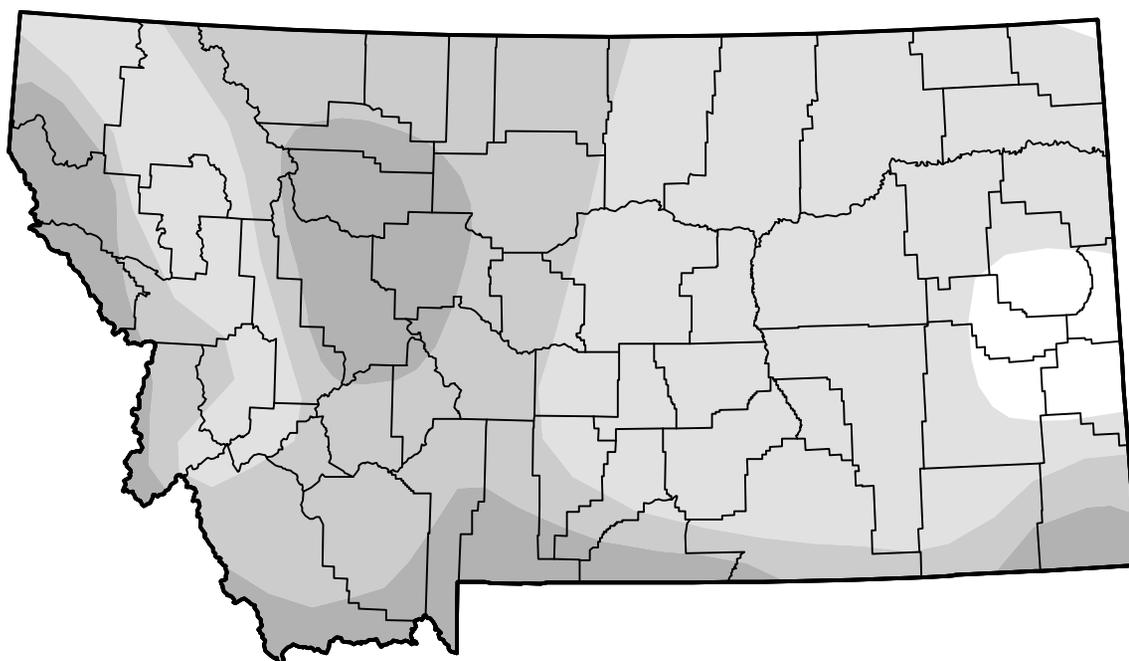
## Montana

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	4.18	49.58	30.15	16.09	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-04-2005</i>	3.64	24.78	42.68	28.90	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-12-2005</i>	0.00	0.00	21.27	58.70	20.02	0.00
<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>08-12-2004</i>	11.24	12.42	14.35	29.11	21.65	11.23



### 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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