

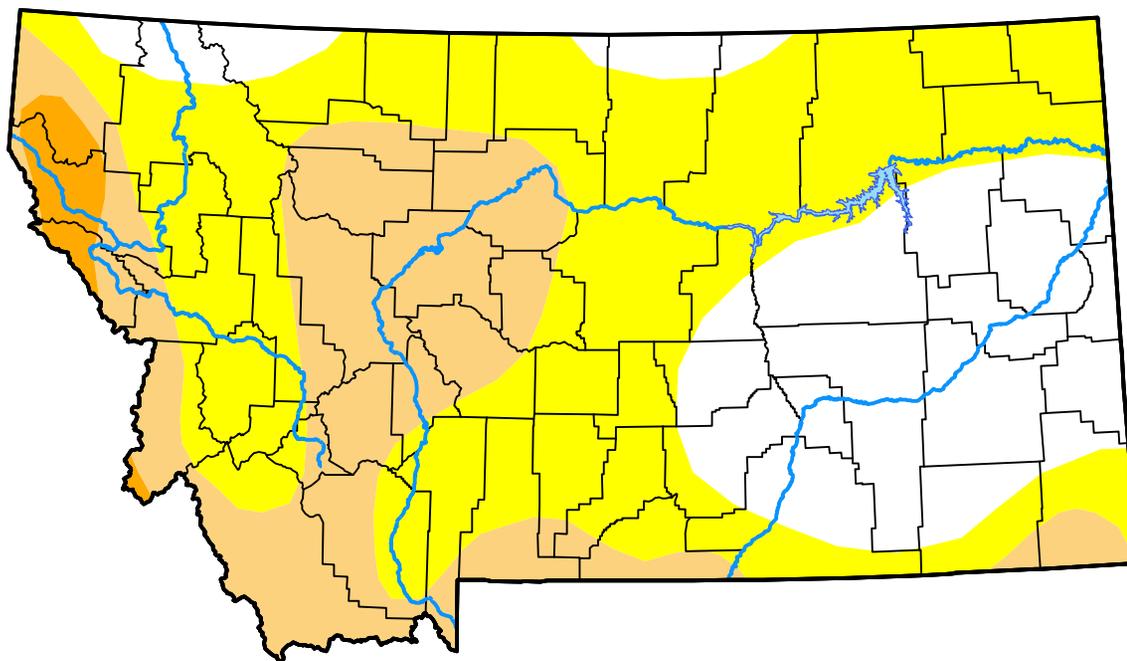
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Montana

**October 25, 2005**  
 (Released Wednesday, Oct. 26, 2005)  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	26.23	47.26	24.58	1.93	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-20-2005</i>	22.89	50.60	24.58	1.93	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-28-2005</i>	11.50	22.93	43.53	22.04	0.00	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>09-29-2005</i>	3.90	52.97	30.12	13.02	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-28-2004</i>	15.11	18.03	20.86	15.91	22.96	7.13



### 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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