

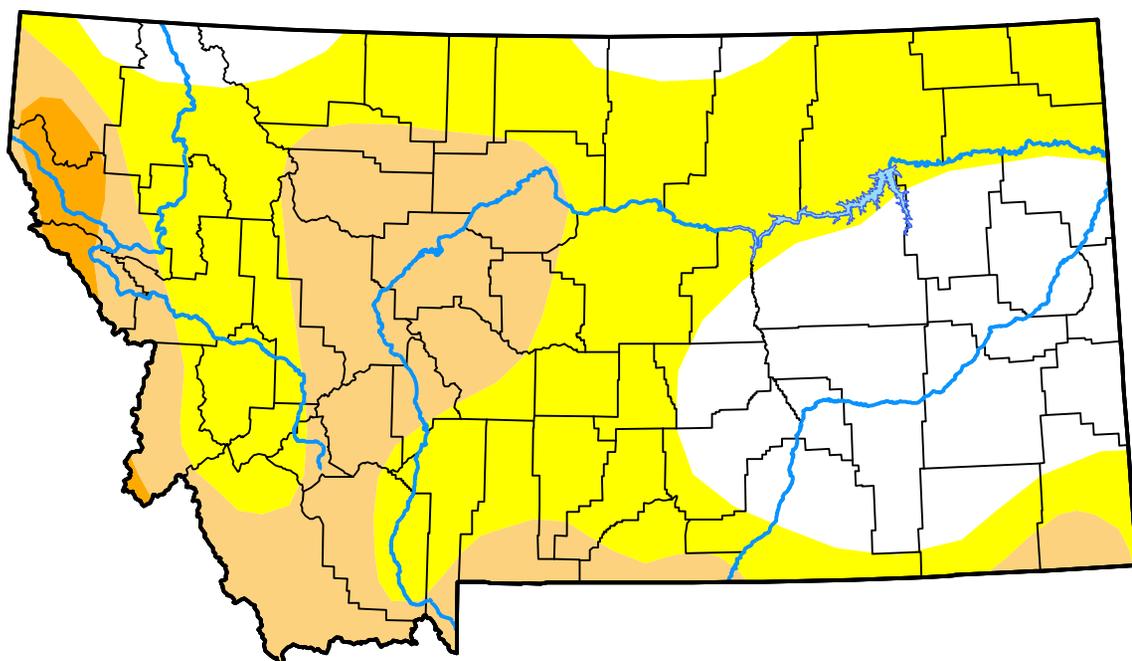
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Montana

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

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	26.23	73.77	26.51	1.93	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-20-2005</i>	22.89	77.11	26.51	1.93	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-28-2005</i>	11.50	88.50	65.57	22.04	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	9.71	90.29	73.54	52.91	30.76	7.60
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	3.90	96.10	43.13	13.02	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-28-2004</i>	15.11	84.89	66.87	46.01	30.09	7.13



***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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