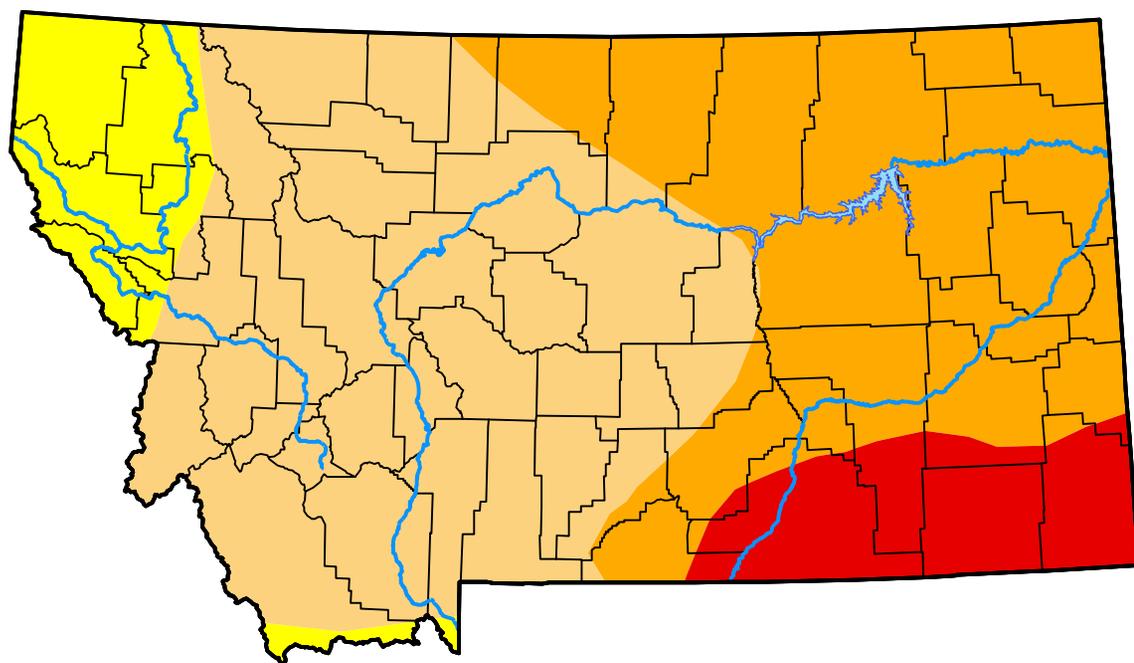


U.S. Drought Monitor

Montana

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	8.96	46.58	34.94	9.52	0.00
Last Week <i>08-31-2006</i>	0.01	8.95	46.58	37.73	6.73	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-08-2006</i>	87.68	5.81	6.51	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	66.39	21.71	11.90	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	3.90	52.97	30.12	13.02	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-08-2005</i>	4.11	53.47	28.16	14.25	0.00	0.00

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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