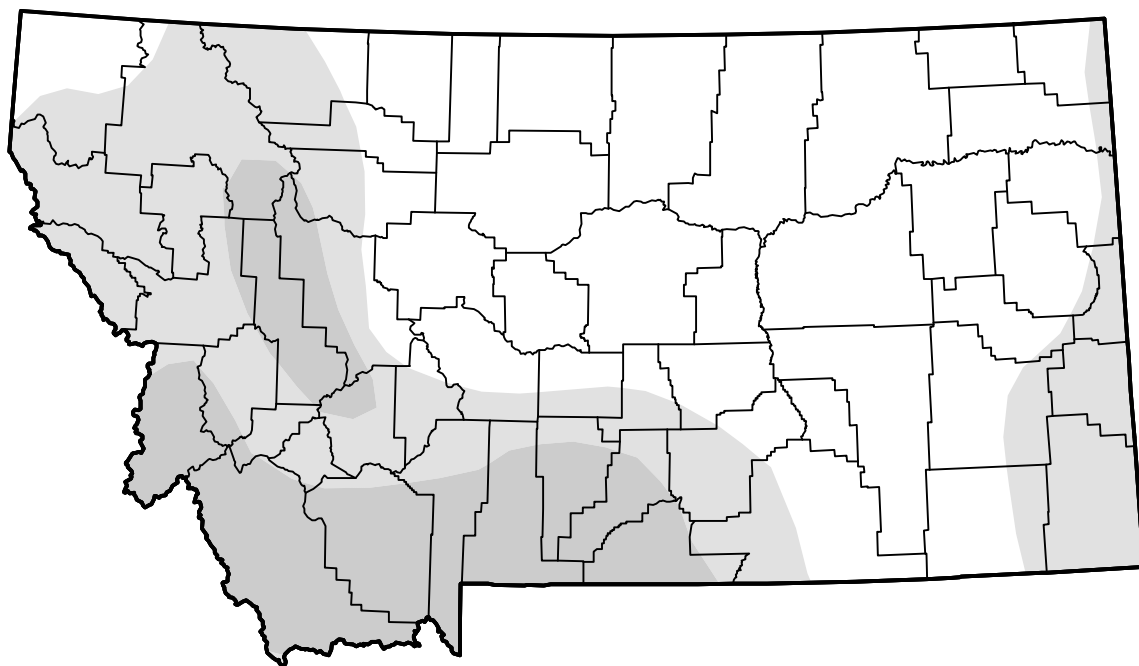


U.S. Drought Monitor Montana



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	54.20	28.41	17.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-17-2007</i>	51.18	31.07	17.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-22-2007</i>	42.77	16.83	18.69	18.67	3.04	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	21.90	40.68	28.33	6.74	2.35	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	0.00	2.08	37.44	57.12	3.36	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-25-2006</i>	81.02	12.47	6.51	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate 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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