

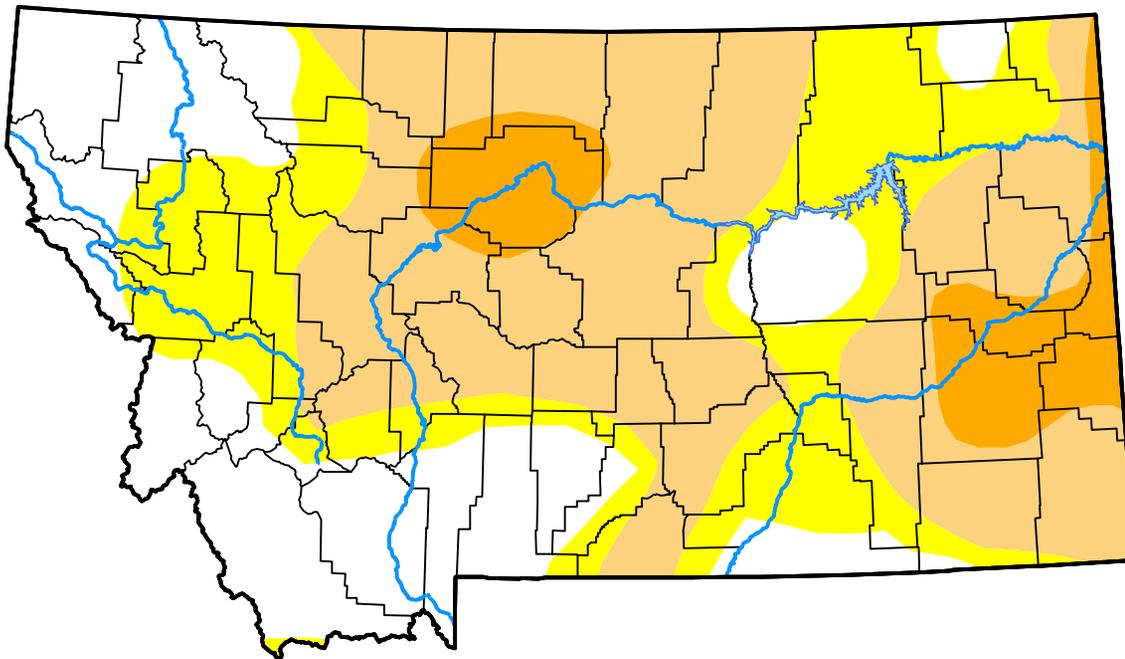
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Montana

**March 18, 2008**  
 (Released Thursday, Mar. 20, 2008)  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	27.01	72.99	48.35	9.02	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-13-2008</i>	27.01	72.99	48.35	9.02	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-20-2007</i>	0.84	99.16	61.23	26.41	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	0.84	99.16	61.23	26.41	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2007</i>	4.46	95.54	88.28	50.78	9.46	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-22-2007</i>	37.83	62.17	32.63	10.48	0.95	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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