

# U.S. Drought Monitor

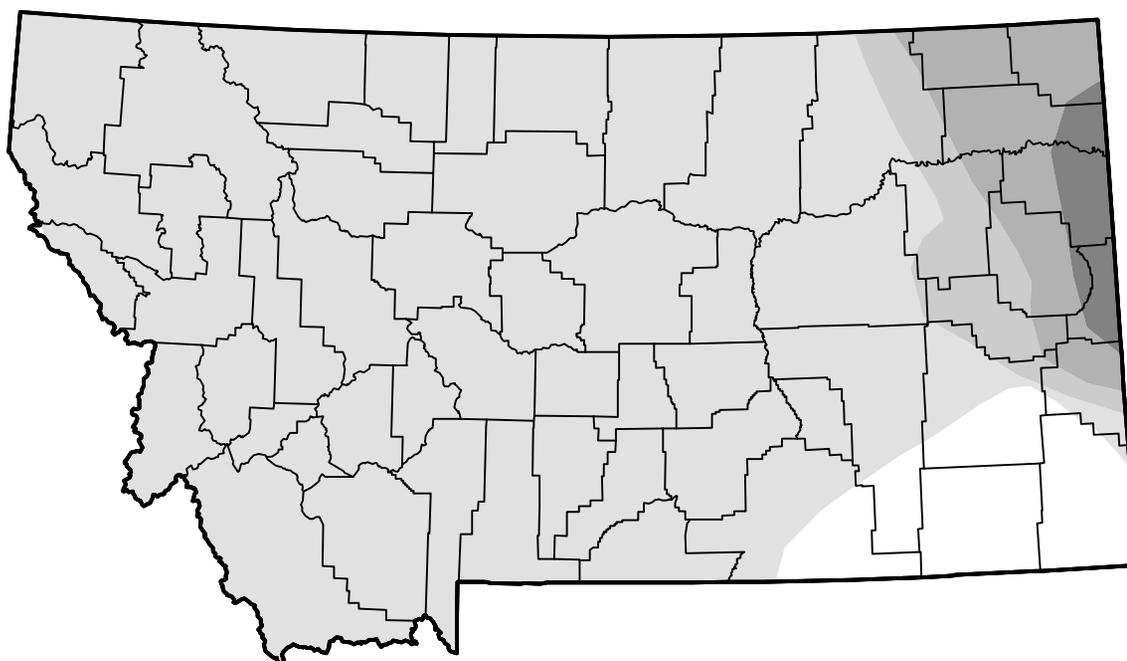
## Montana

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	7.91	92.09	12.23	7.93	1.97	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-14-2008</i>	7.76	92.24	12.23	7.93	2.91	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-22-2008</i>	31.03	68.97	45.68	14.69	0.01	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>08-23-2007</i>	4.06	95.94	88.67	50.78	12.55	0.00



### 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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