

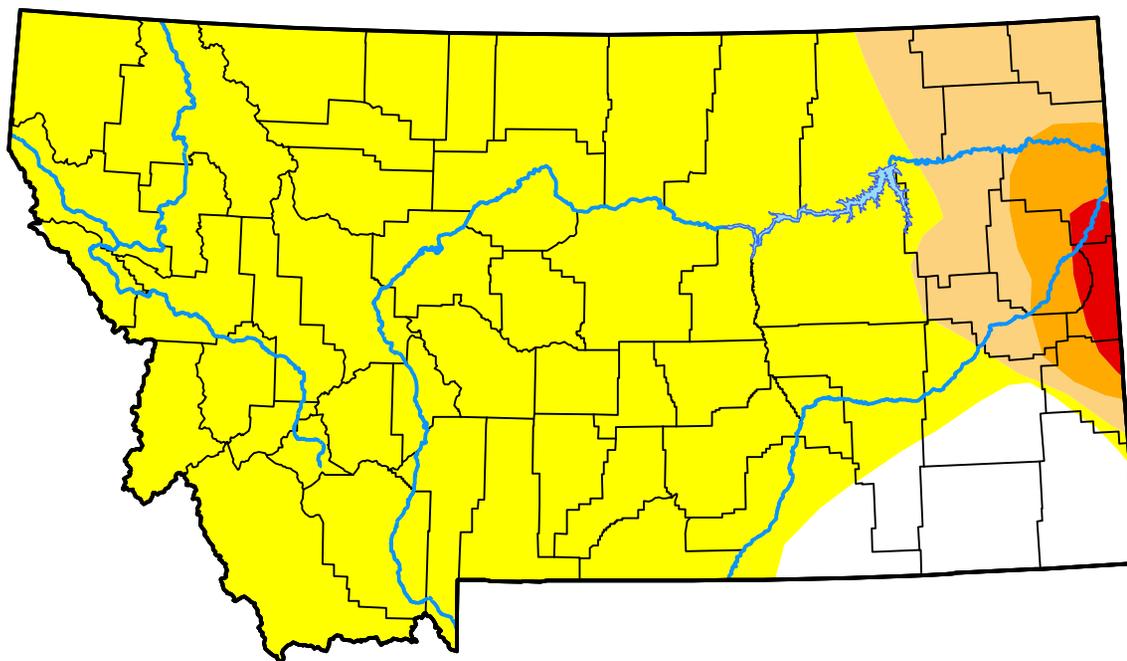
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Montana

**September 16, 2008**  
*(Released Thursday, Sep. 18, 2008)*  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	8.00	79.65	8.32	2.99	1.04	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-11-2008</i>	7.91	79.86	8.20	2.99	1.04	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-19-2008</i>	79.88	17.17	2.93	0.02	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	0.84	37.93	34.82	26.41	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2007</i>	4.46	7.26	37.50	41.32	9.46	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-20-2007</i>	4.79	7.29	37.14	36.80	13.98	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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