

# U.S. Drought Monitor

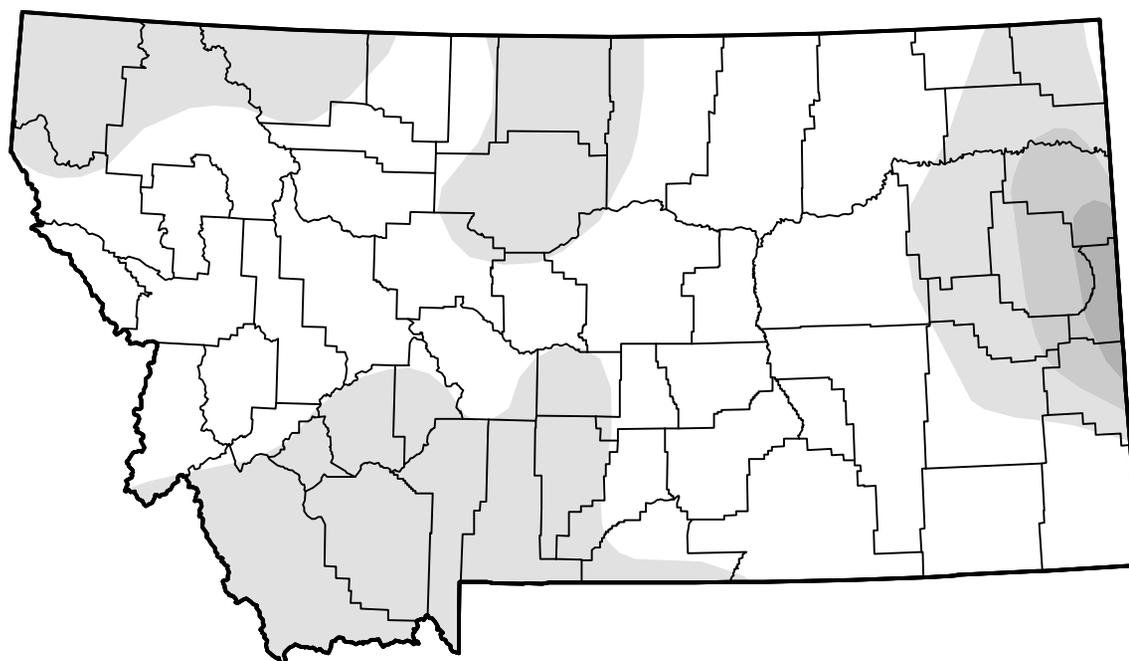
## Montana

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	59.94	36.09	2.94	1.04	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-23-2008</i>	59.86	36.14	2.92	1.08	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-31-2008</i>	7.93	79.84	4.30	5.02	2.91	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>10-02-2008</i>	57.35	34.85	3.94	2.82	1.04	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-01-2007</i>	17.44	20.69	29.66	23.21	9.01	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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