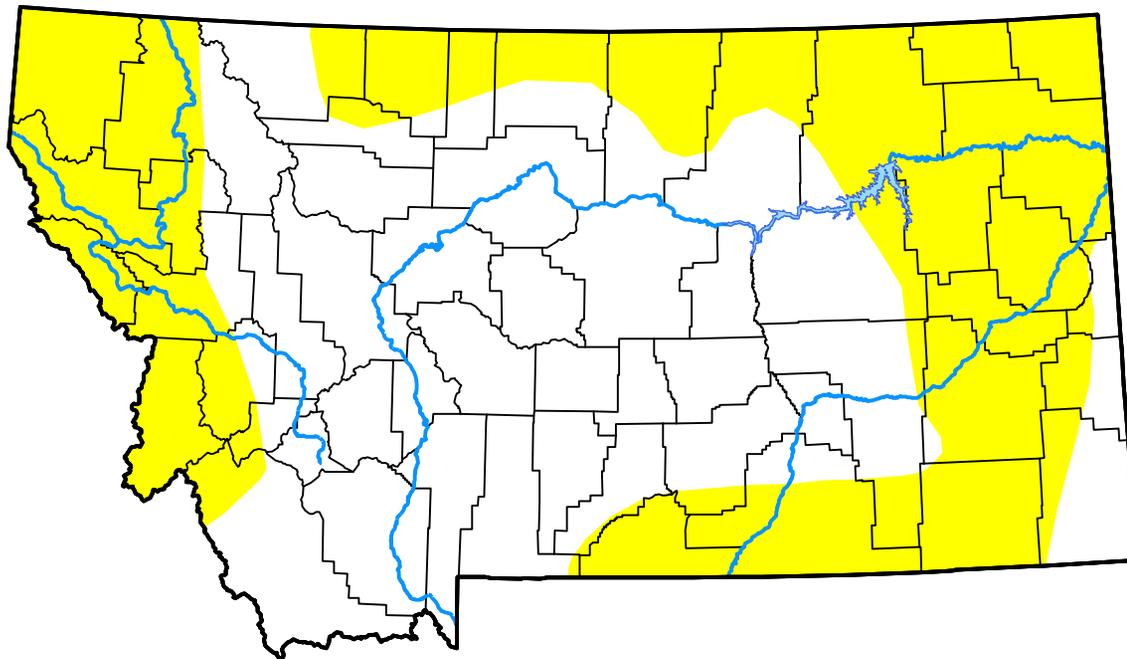


U.S. Drought Monitor

Montana

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 55.38 | 44.62 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>12-17-2009</i> | 55.38 | 44.62 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>09-24-2009</i> | 94.97 | 5.03 | 2.94 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i> | 48.55 | 51.45 | 5.62 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i> | 49.57 | 50.43 | 2.94 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>12-24-2008</i> | 48.55 | 51.45 | 10.06 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 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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