

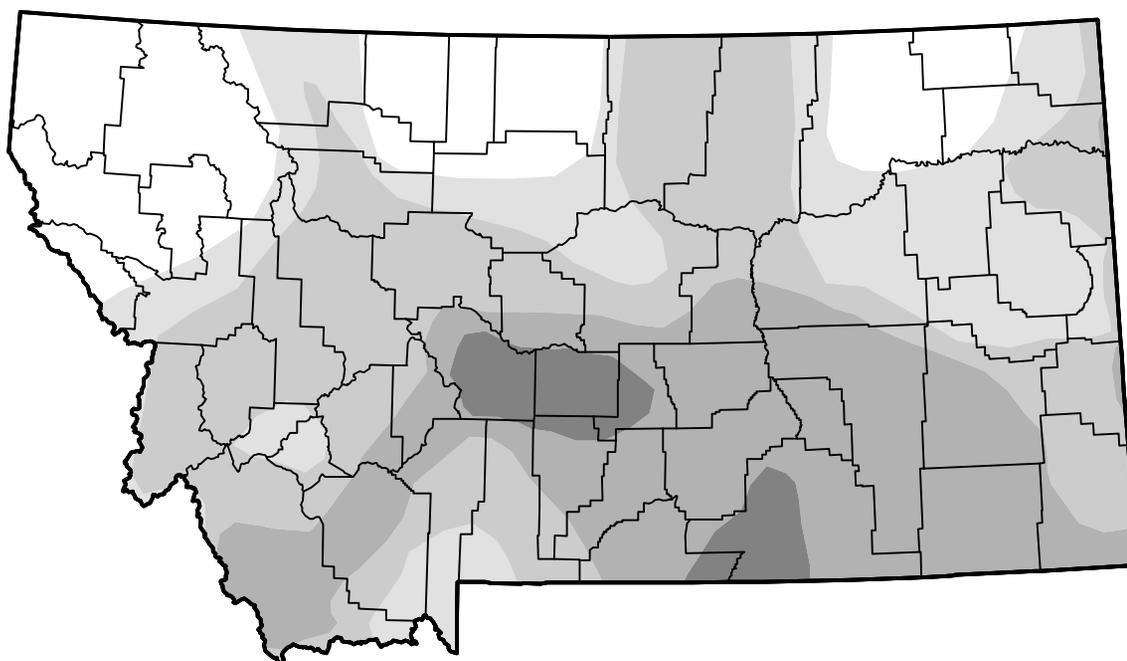
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Montana

**September 18, 2012**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 20, 2012)  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	19.76	19.78	31.40	24.91	4.16	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-13-2012</i>	19.75	20.01	31.27	24.81	4.16	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-21-2012</i>	56.02	39.63	4.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	93.41	6.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	51.78	48.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-22-2011</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	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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