

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Montana

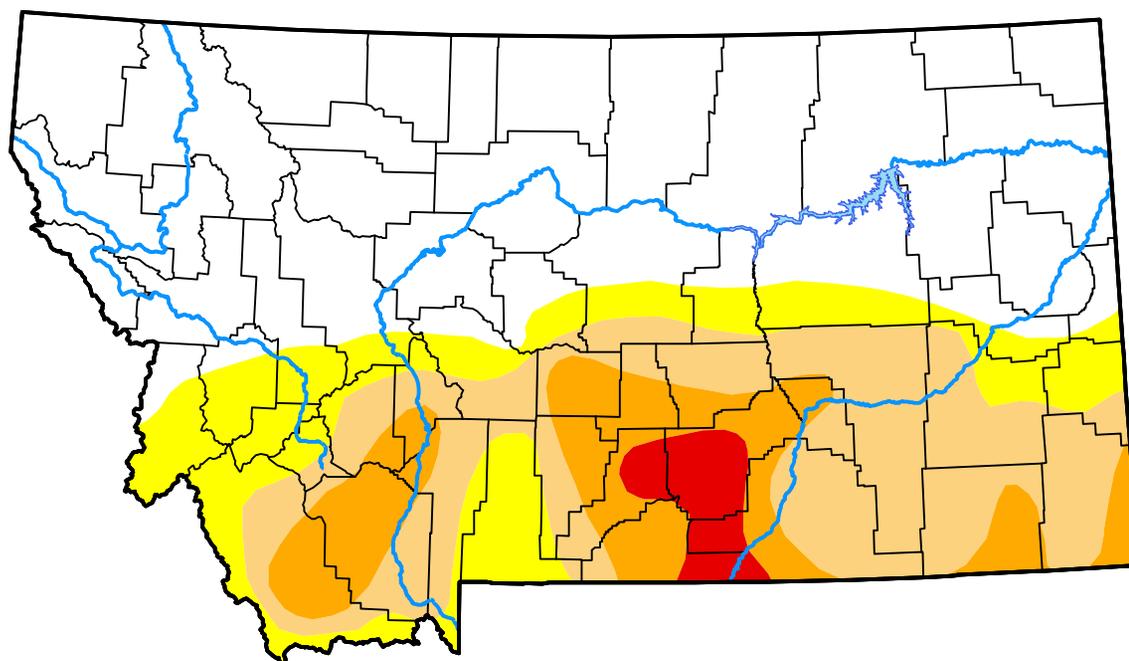
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	54.35	13.64	19.67	10.05	2.29	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-02-2013</i>	56.14	11.85	19.67	10.05	2.29	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-07-2013</i>	51.15	14.76	15.19	11.90	6.99	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2013</i>	52.56	13.54	15.00	11.99	6.91	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2012</i>	18.74	18.75	33.36	24.97	4.18	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-10-2012</i>	87.19	12.81	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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