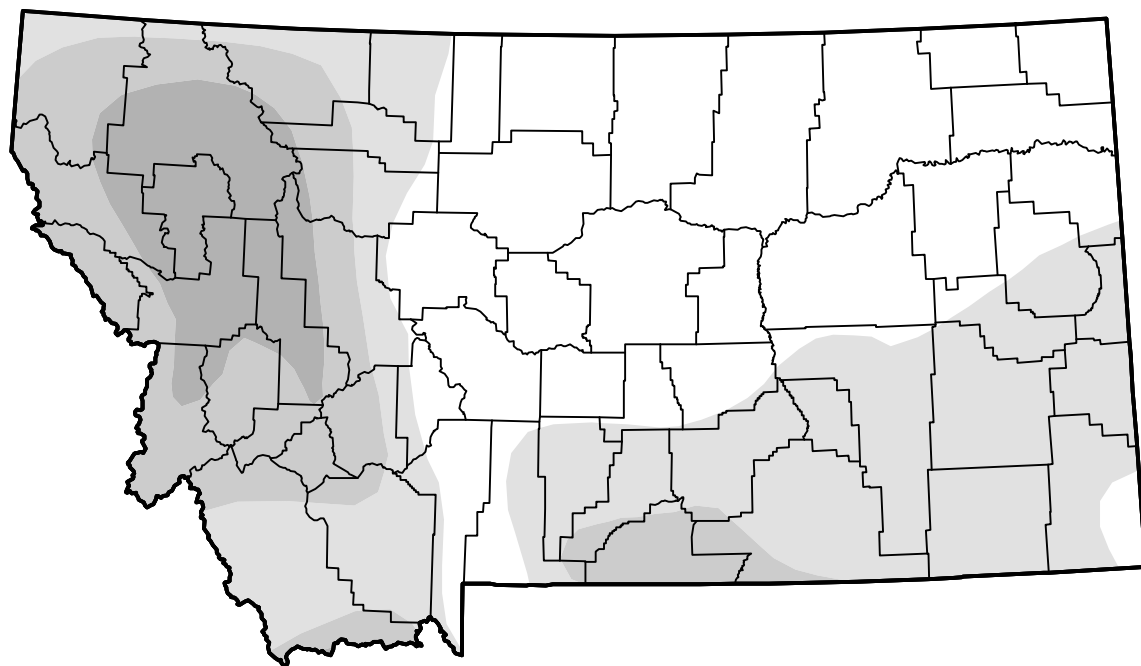


U.S. Drought Monitor Montana



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	42.94	57.06	24.95	8.69	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-25-2016</i>	47.60	52.41	28.41	10.27	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-03-2015</i>	44.02	55.98	33.85	26.06	5.63	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	48.55	51.45	30.93	20.95	3.54	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	30.55	69.45	38.18	28.78	16.92	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-05-2015</i>	96.09	3.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate 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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