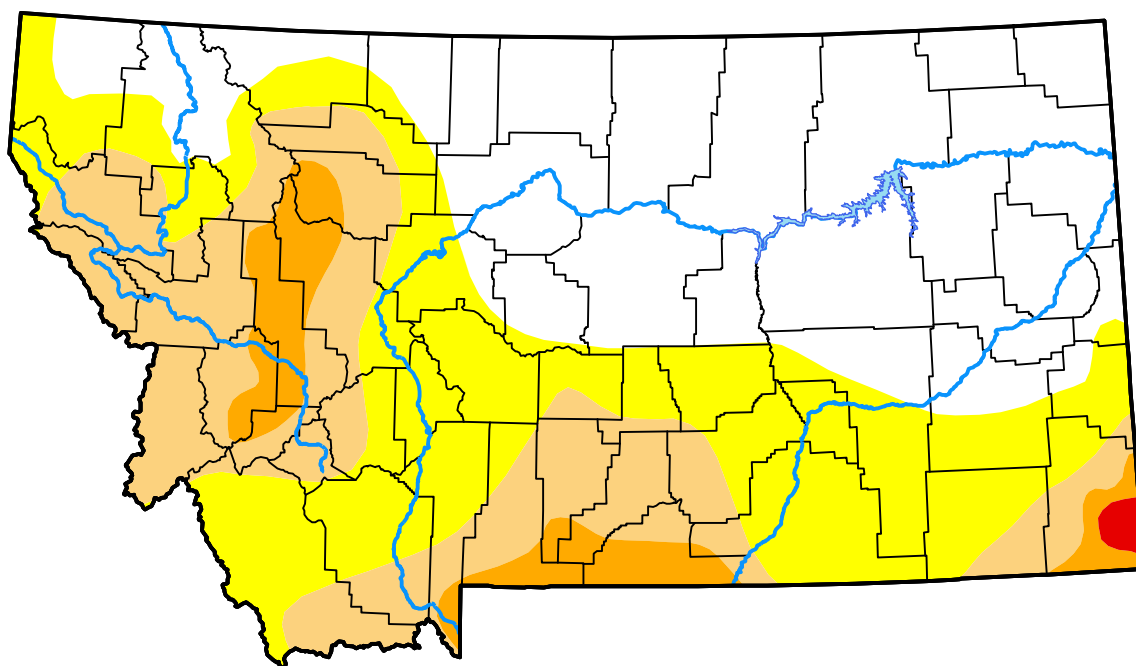


U.S. Drought Monitor Montana

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	42.56	29.94	21.45	5.72	0.33	0.00
Last Week <i>09-15-2016</i>	54.61	24.48	14.05	6.51	0.35	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-23-2016</i>	71.10	20.88	8.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	48.55	20.52	9.98	17.42	3.54	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	30.55	31.27	9.40	11.86	16.92	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-24-2015</i>	30.48	31.34	9.27	10.08	18.84	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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