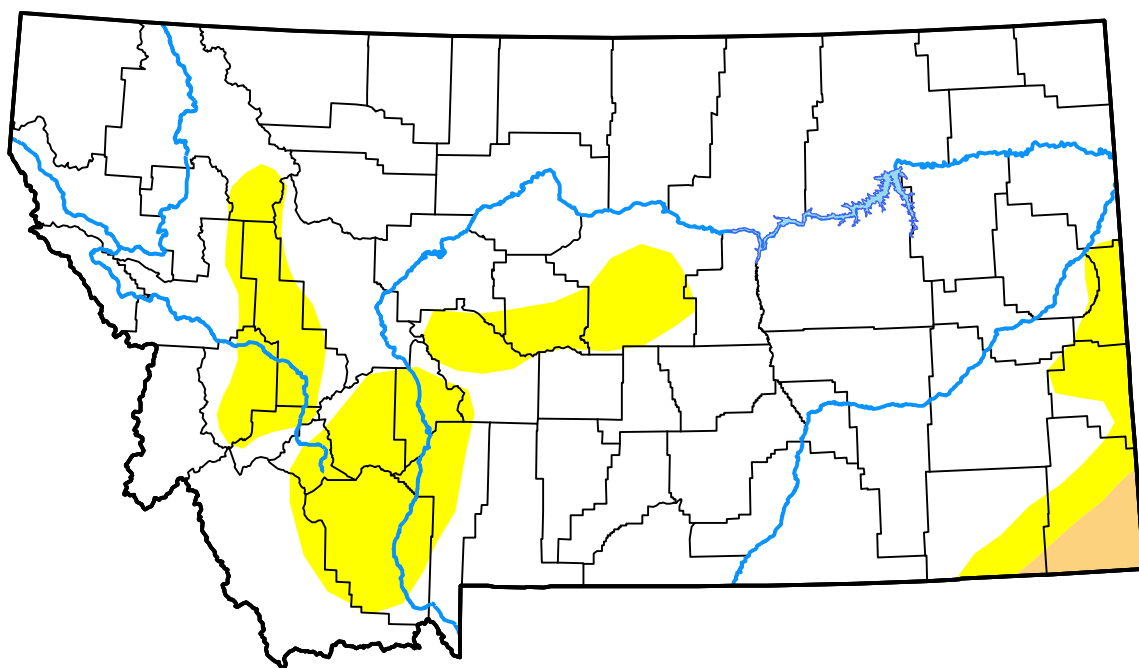


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	84.14	14.75	1.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-23-2017</i>	82.26	15.00	2.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-01-2016</i>	72.95	22.09	4.63	0.34	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	74.25	20.88	4.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	55.14	19.37	19.63	5.53	0.33	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-03-2016</i>	42.94	32.11	16.26	8.69	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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