

# U.S. Drought Monitor

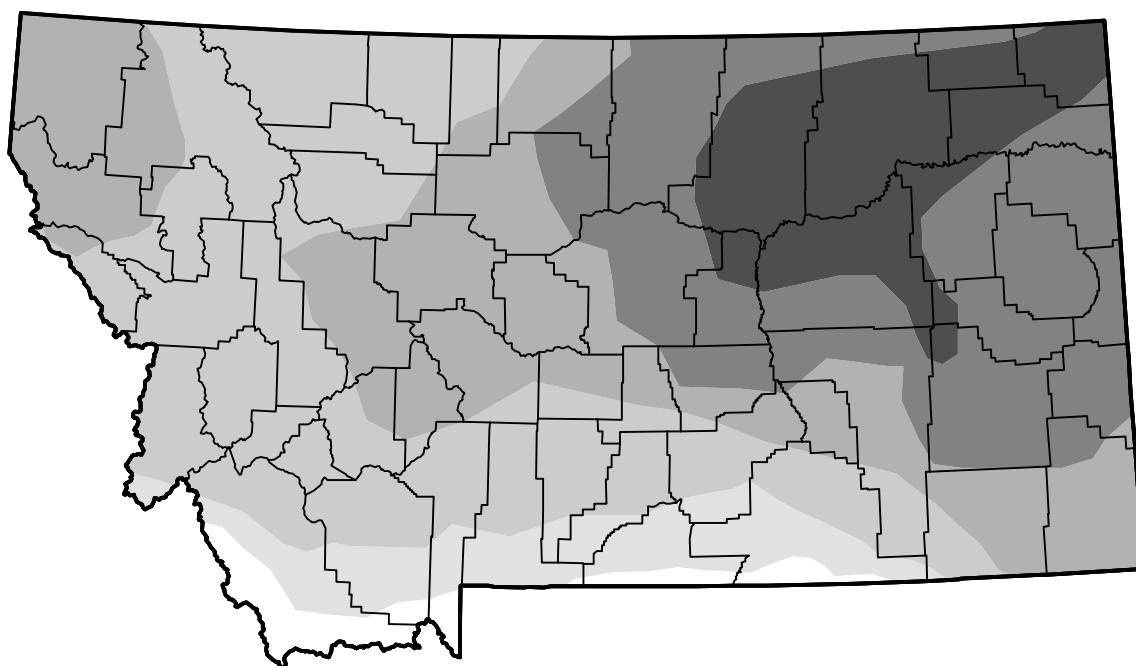
## Montana

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	2.77	7.03	30.65	25.21	22.47	11.87
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-17-2017</i>	2.77	27.44	23.22	21.46	13.24	11.87
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-25-2017</i>	95.12	4.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	74.25	20.88	4.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	55.14	19.37	19.63	5.53	0.33	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-25-2016</i>	42.90	32.10	17.40	7.25	0.35	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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