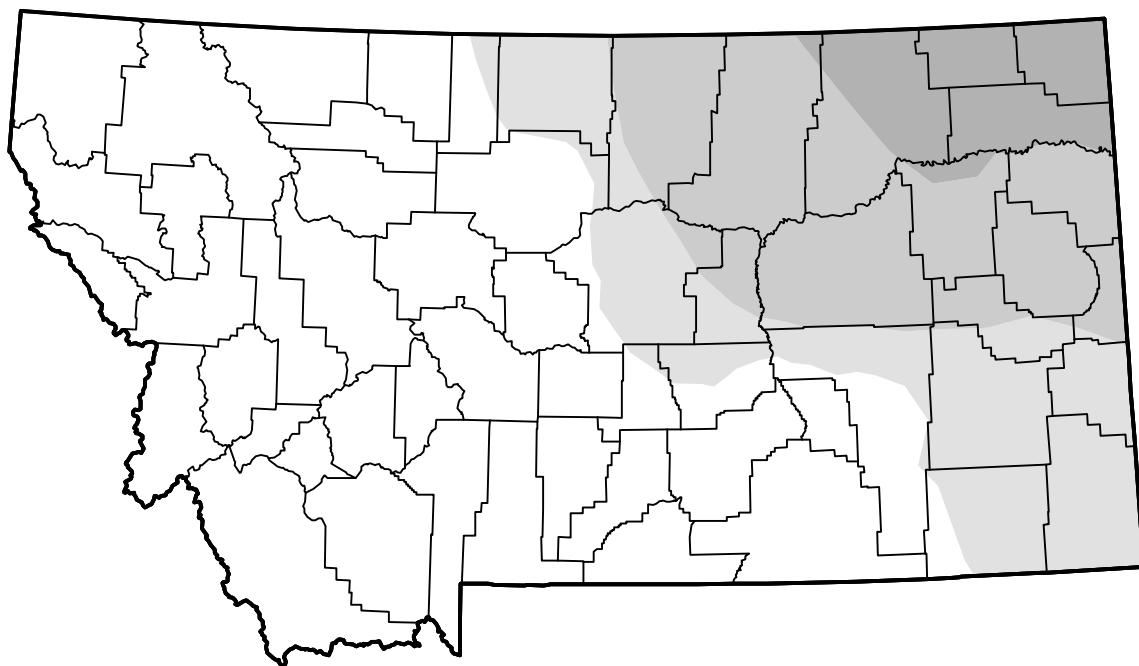


# U.S. Drought Monitor Montana

**February 13, 2018**  
(Released Thursday, Feb. 15, 2018)  
Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 60.55 | 15.92 | 17.42 | 6.11  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>02-08-2018</i>              | 57.34 | 14.50 | 13.67 | 14.49 | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>11-16-2017</i>           | 24.29 | 17.89 | 27.62 | 17.93 | 12.27 | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2018</i> | 47.47 | 10.49 | 15.29 | 14.52 | 12.23 | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2017</i>    | 6.48  | 7.44  | 16.45 | 26.88 | 25.21 | 17.53 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>02-16-2017</i>           | 82.26 | 15.00 | 2.73  | 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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