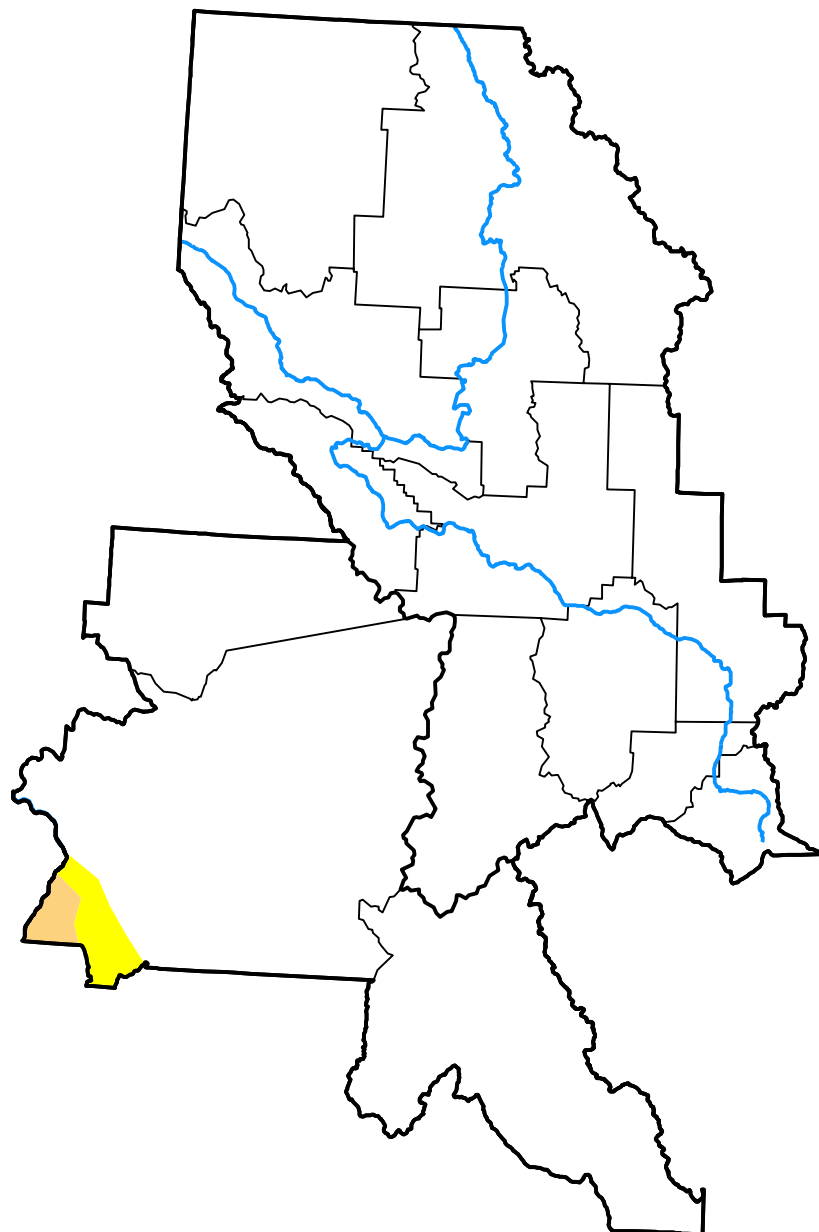


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missoula, MT WFO



**March 6, 2018**  
*(Released Thursday, Mar. 8, 2018)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None   | D0-D4  | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 98.59  | 1.41   | 0.48  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>03-01-2018</i>              | 98.59  | 1.41   | 0.48  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>12-07-2017</i>           | 69.28  | 30.72  | 0.59  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2018</i> | 100.00 | 0.00   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2017</i>    | 0.00   | 100.00 | 74.98 | 36.88 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>03-09-2017</i>           | 92.65  | 7.35   | 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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