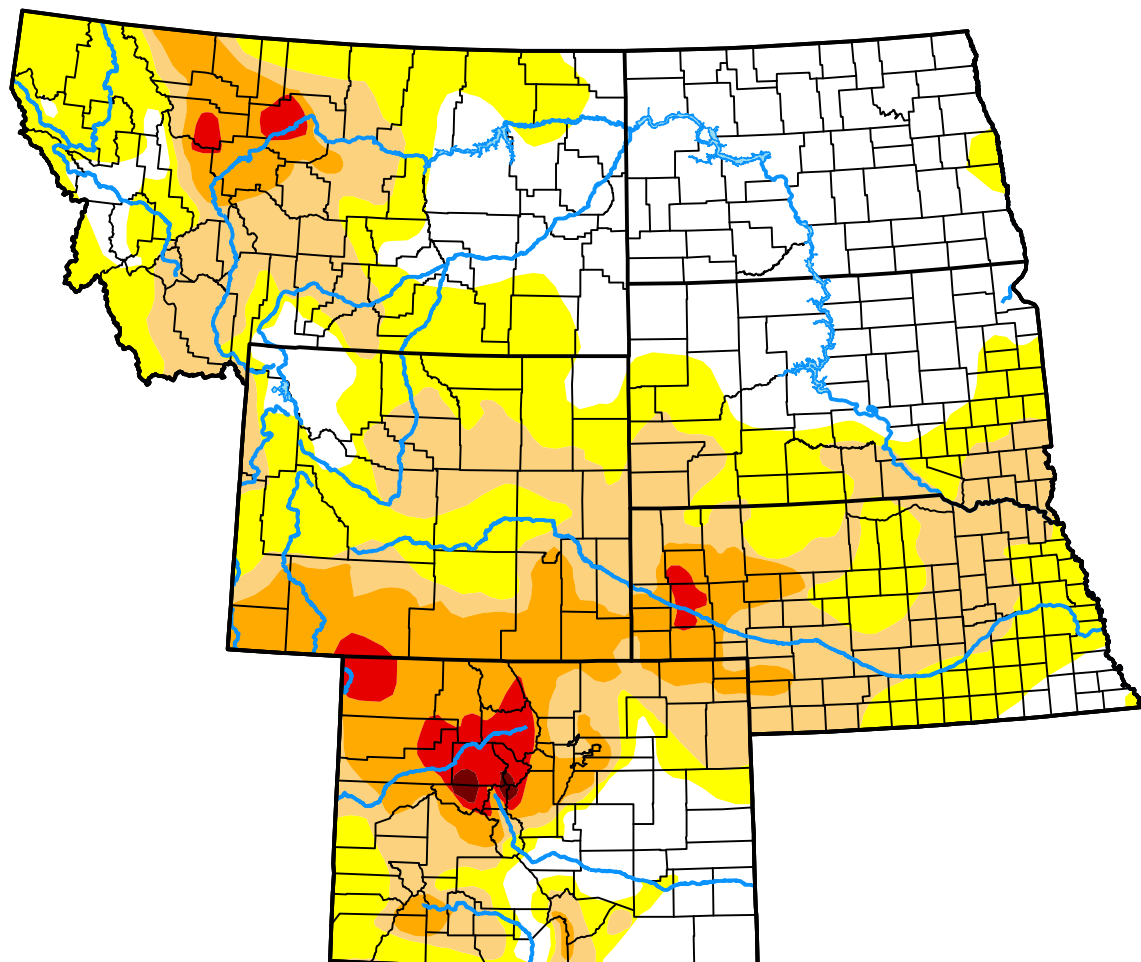


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	33.33	66.67	37.76	14.02	2.39	0.15
Last Week <i>02-03-2026</i>	38.11	61.89	34.72	12.14	1.67	0.15
3 Months Ago <i>11-11-2025</i>	49.48	50.52	28.41	12.68	1.47	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2026</i>	43.84	56.16	25.41	9.26	1.16	0.12
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2025</i>	51.04	48.96	27.32	19.65	7.49	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-11-2025</i>	22.42	77.58	61.82	32.22	7.53	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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