

# 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
<b>Current</b>	59.61	40.39	29.13	17.62	3.31	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 07-10-2001	56.71	43.29	30.45	18.41	2.31	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 04-17-2001	60.39	39.61	24.65	17.58	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-02-2001	57.35	42.65	15.62	7.08	0.40	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-26-2000	27.60	72.40	36.08	21.65	2.94	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 07-18-2000	34.56	65.44	30.31	4.82	1.11	0.00

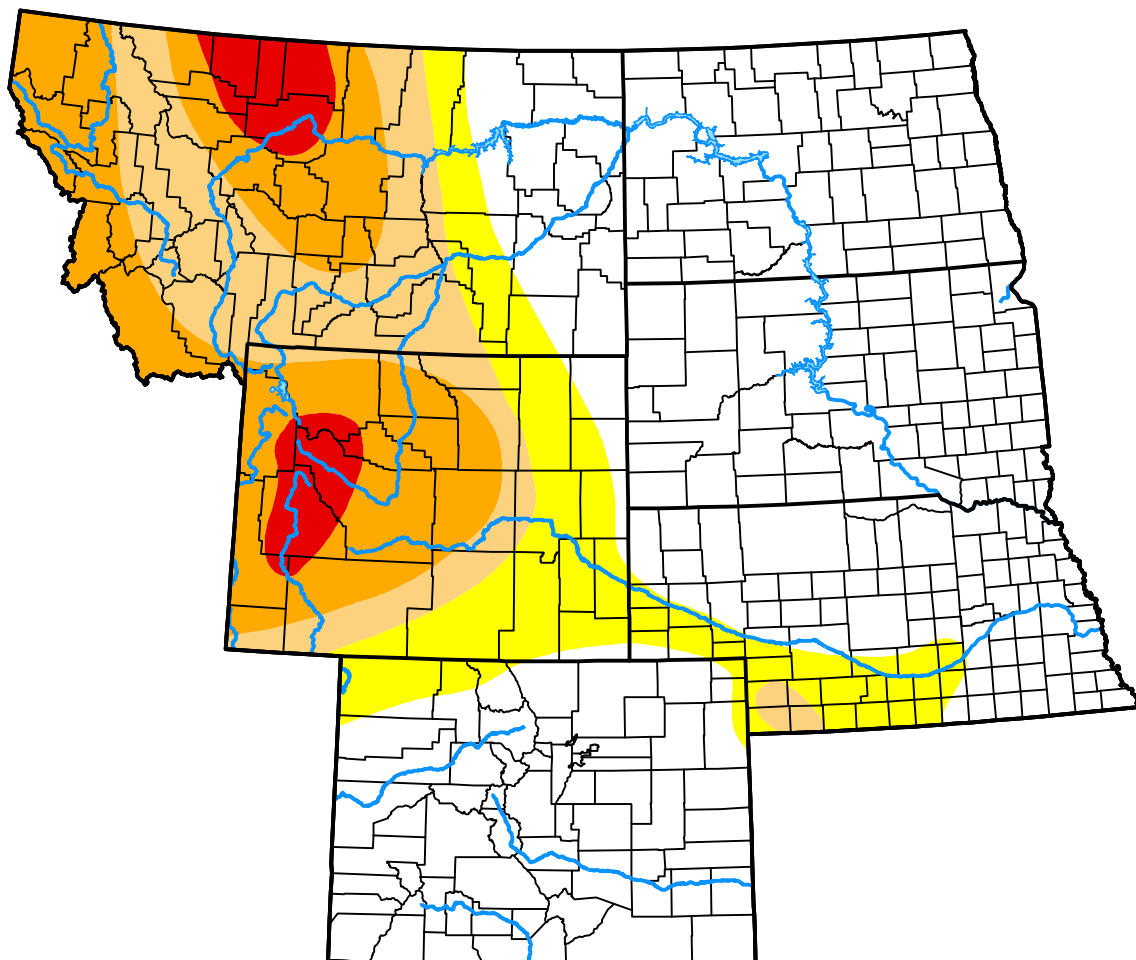
### Intensity:

 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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