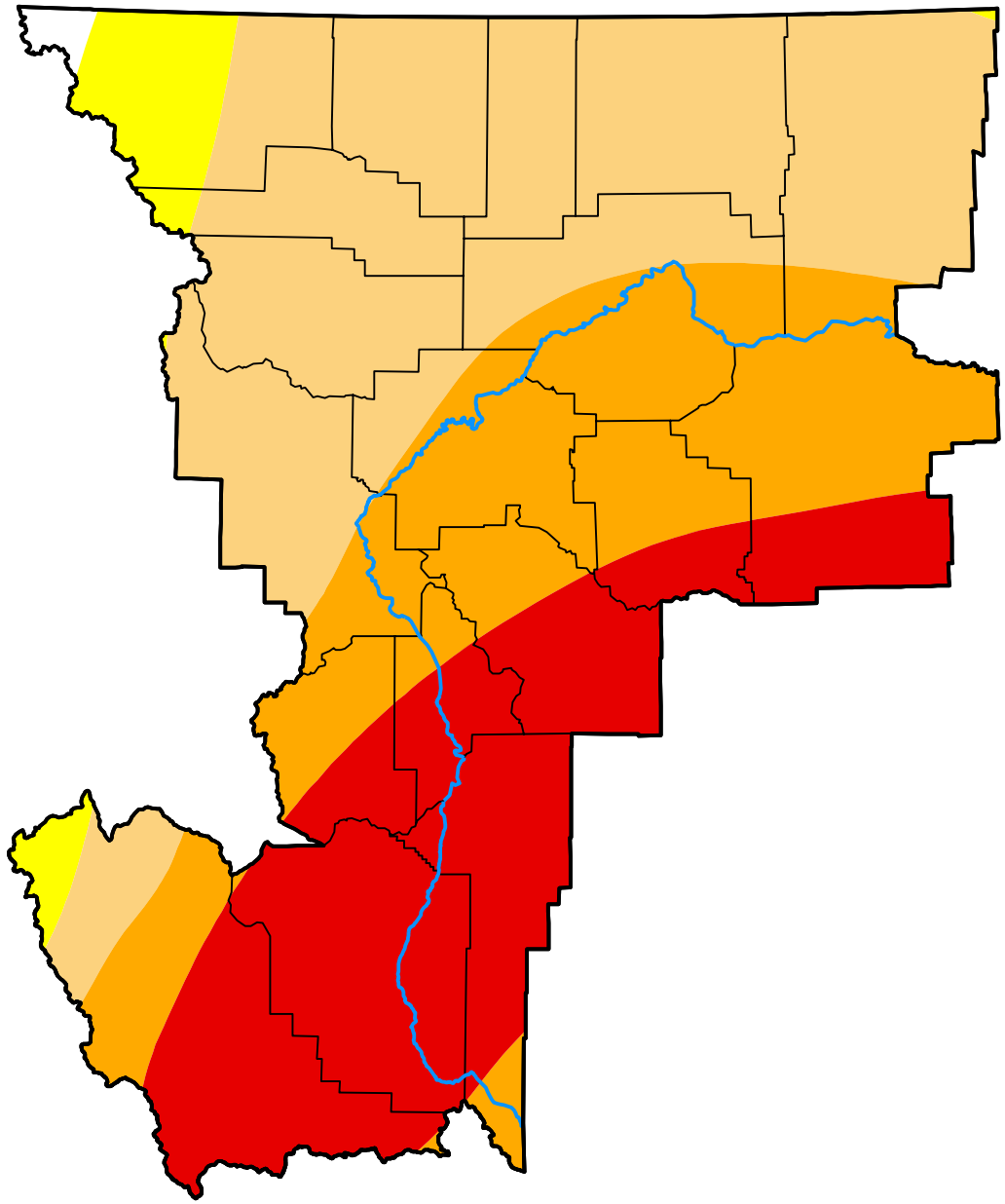
U.S. Drought Monitor

Great Falls, MT WFO



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.44	99.56	95.26	54.22	27.09	0.00
Last Week *04-17-2003*	0.00	100.00	92.52	54.44	24.18	0.00
3 Months Ago *01-23-2003*	0.00	100.00	93.44	75.04	35.14	20.51
Start of Calendar Year *01-02-2003*	0.00	100.00	81.36	51.54	28.52	0.00
Start of Water Year *10-03-2002*	0.00	100.00	62.74	32.41	15.29	0.00
One Year Ago *04-25-2002*	0.00	100.00	99.72	96.70	75.30	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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