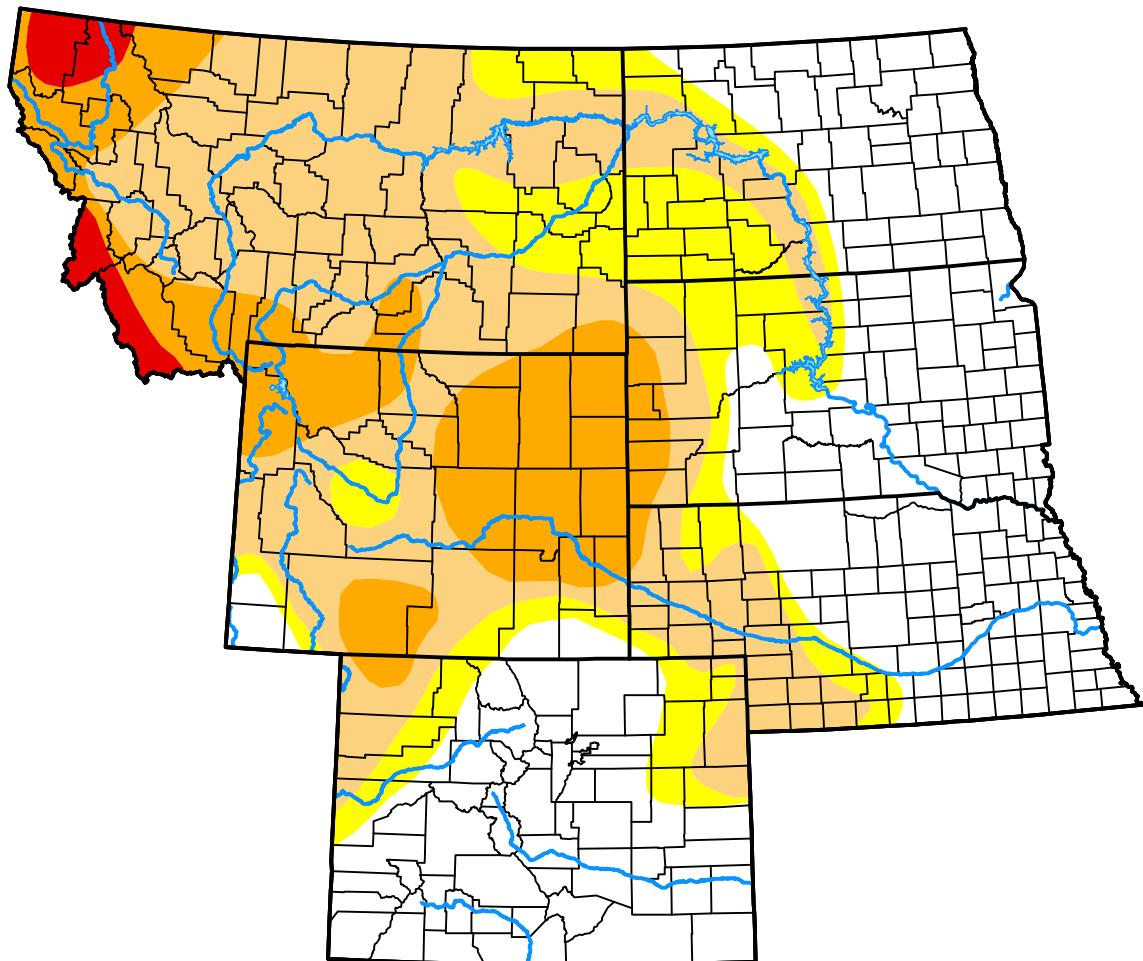


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## 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>	39.41	60.59	46.88	16.20	1.68	0.00
<b>Last Week 06-07-2005</b>	32.90	67.10	53.11	19.66	4.72	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago 03-15-2005</b>	14.78	85.22	64.48	46.77	26.43	6.46
<b>Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2005</b>	21.51	78.49	58.40	35.73	13.88	3.27
<b>Start of Water Year 09-28-2004</b>	25.67	74.33	60.29	38.26	16.18	3.35
<b>One Year Ago 06-15-2004</b>	18.82	81.18	73.39	54.25	29.02	4.48

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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