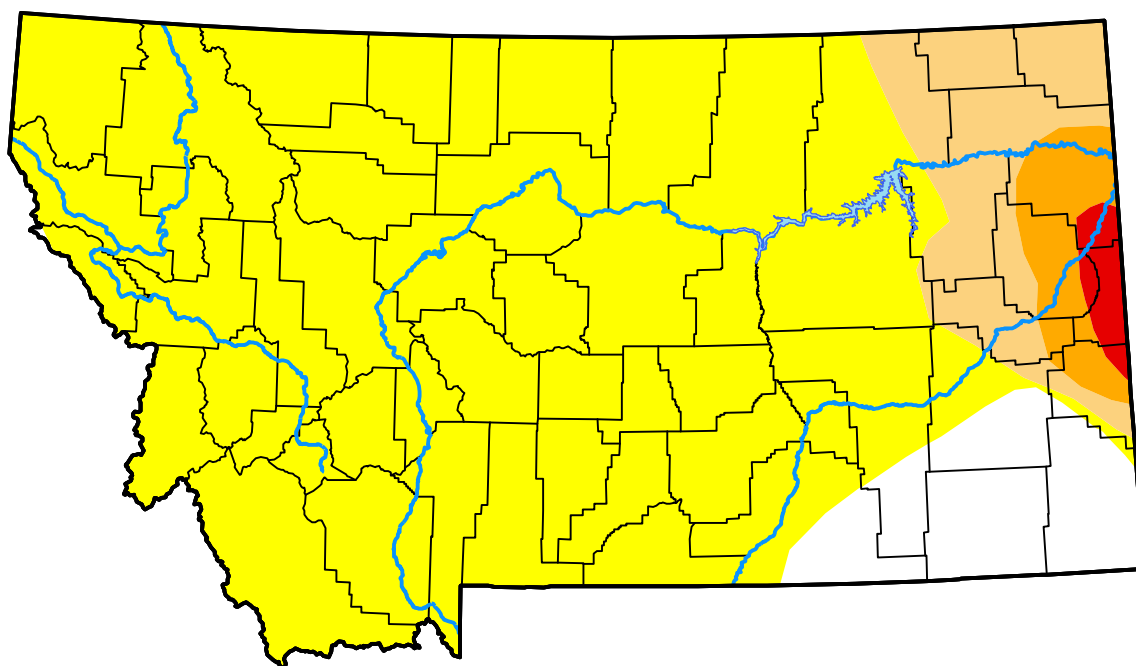


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	8.00	92.00	12.35	4.03	1.04	0.00
Last Week <i>09-11-2008</i>	7.91	92.09	12.23	4.03	1.04	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-19-2008</i>	79.88	20.12	2.96	0.02	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	0.84	99.16	61.23	26.41	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	4.46	95.54	88.28	50.78	9.46	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-20-2007</i>	4.79	95.21	87.91	50.78	13.98	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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