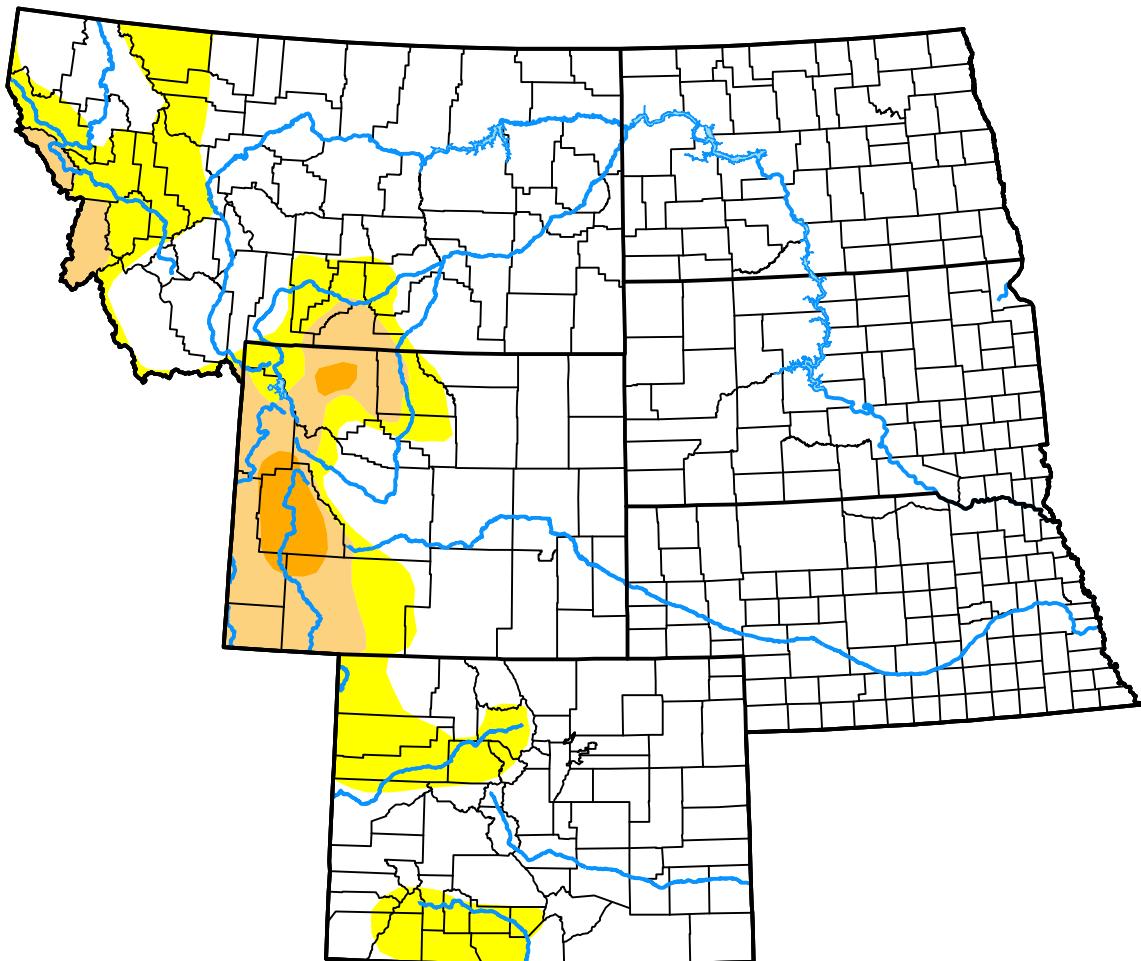


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	83.72	16.28	5.85	1.09	0.00	0.00
Last Week 06-15-2010	82.96	17.04	7.56	1.98	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 03-23-2010	69.16	30.84	15.59	2.77	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-29-2009	78.67	21.33	1.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2009	76.34	23.66	1.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 06-23-2009	78.11	21.89	0.82	0.13	0.00	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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