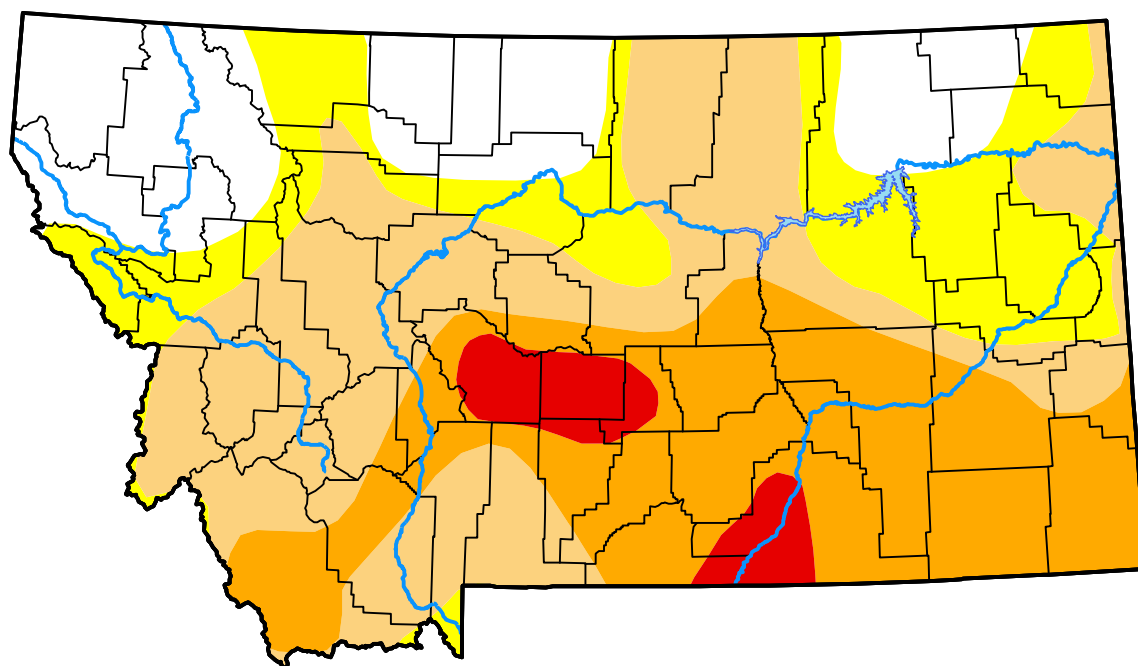


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	18.74	18.75	32.06	26.27	4.18	0.00
Last Week <i>09-27-2012</i>	18.74	18.75	33.36	24.97	4.18	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-05-2012</i>	46.63	24.96	24.09	4.32	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	93.41	6.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	18.74	18.75	33.36	24.97	4.18	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-06-2011</i>	51.23	48.77	0.00	0.00	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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