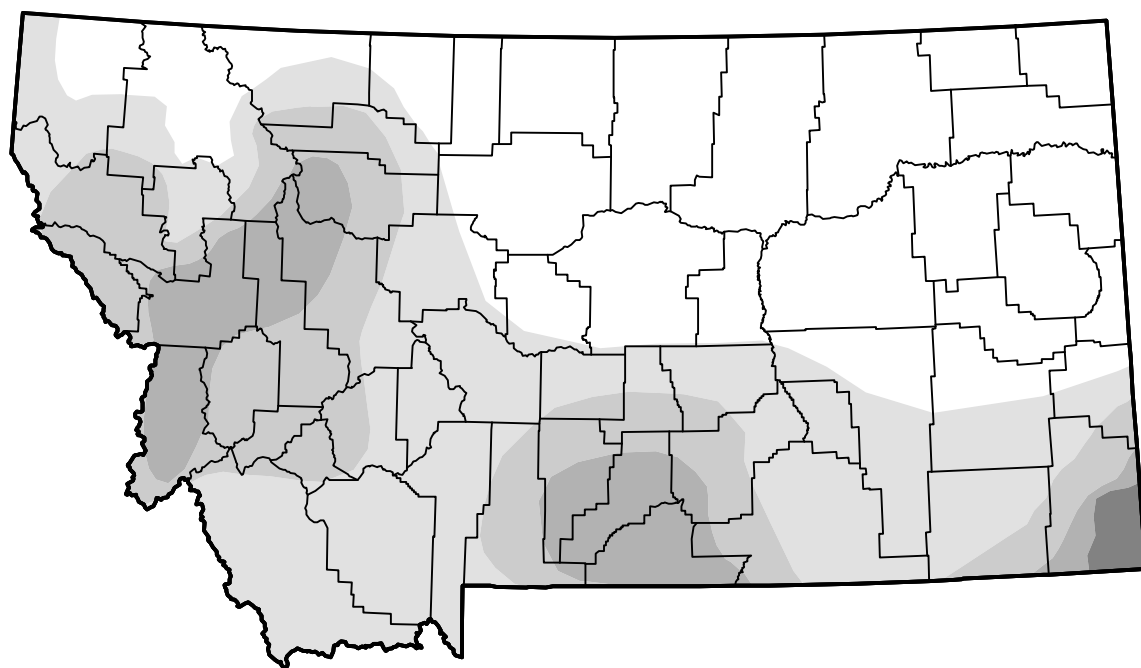


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	42.70	57.30	26.57	9.82	0.68	0.00
Last Week 08-11-2016	42.70	57.30	26.57	9.74	0.47	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-19-2016	77.72	22.28	7.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015	48.55	51.45	30.93	20.95	3.54	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-01-2015	30.55	69.45	38.18	28.78	16.92	0.00
One Year Ago 08-20-2015	36.94	63.06	35.70	23.50	14.36	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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