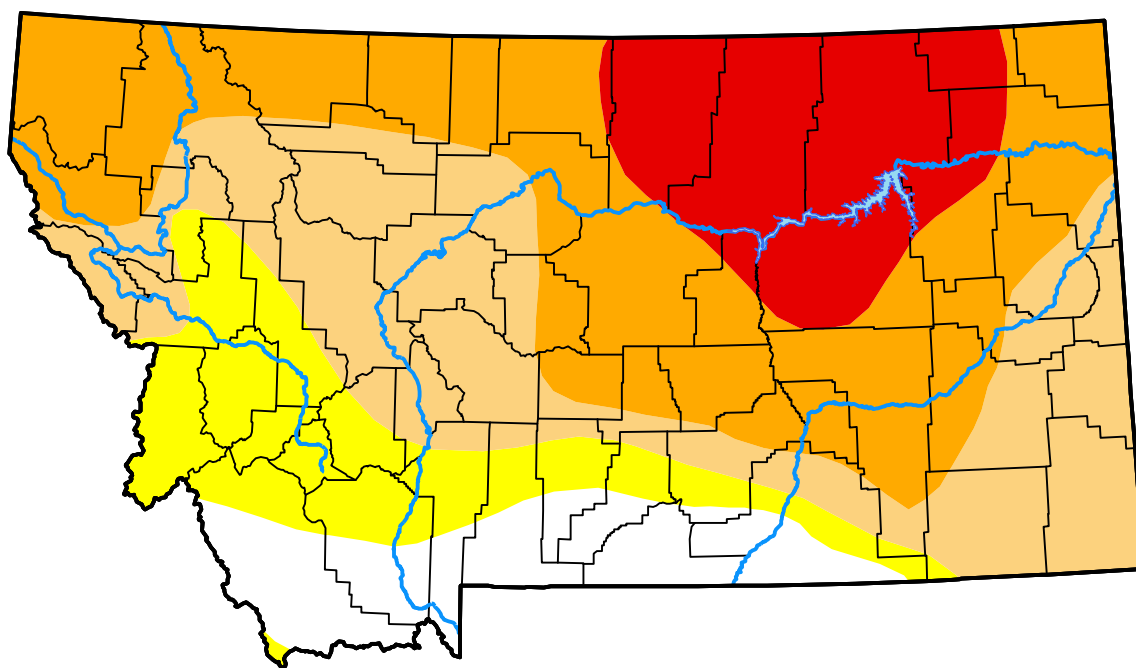


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	9.82	90.18	76.49	47.92	14.91	0.00
Last Week <i>10-12-2017</i>	9.59	90.41	76.49	54.94	17.78	5.46
3 Months Ago <i>07-20-2017</i>	34.59	65.41	45.39	37.74	22.00	1.54
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	74.25	25.75	4.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	6.48	93.52	86.08	69.62	42.74	17.53
One Year Ago <i>10-20-2016</i>	81.27	18.73	6.32	0.34	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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