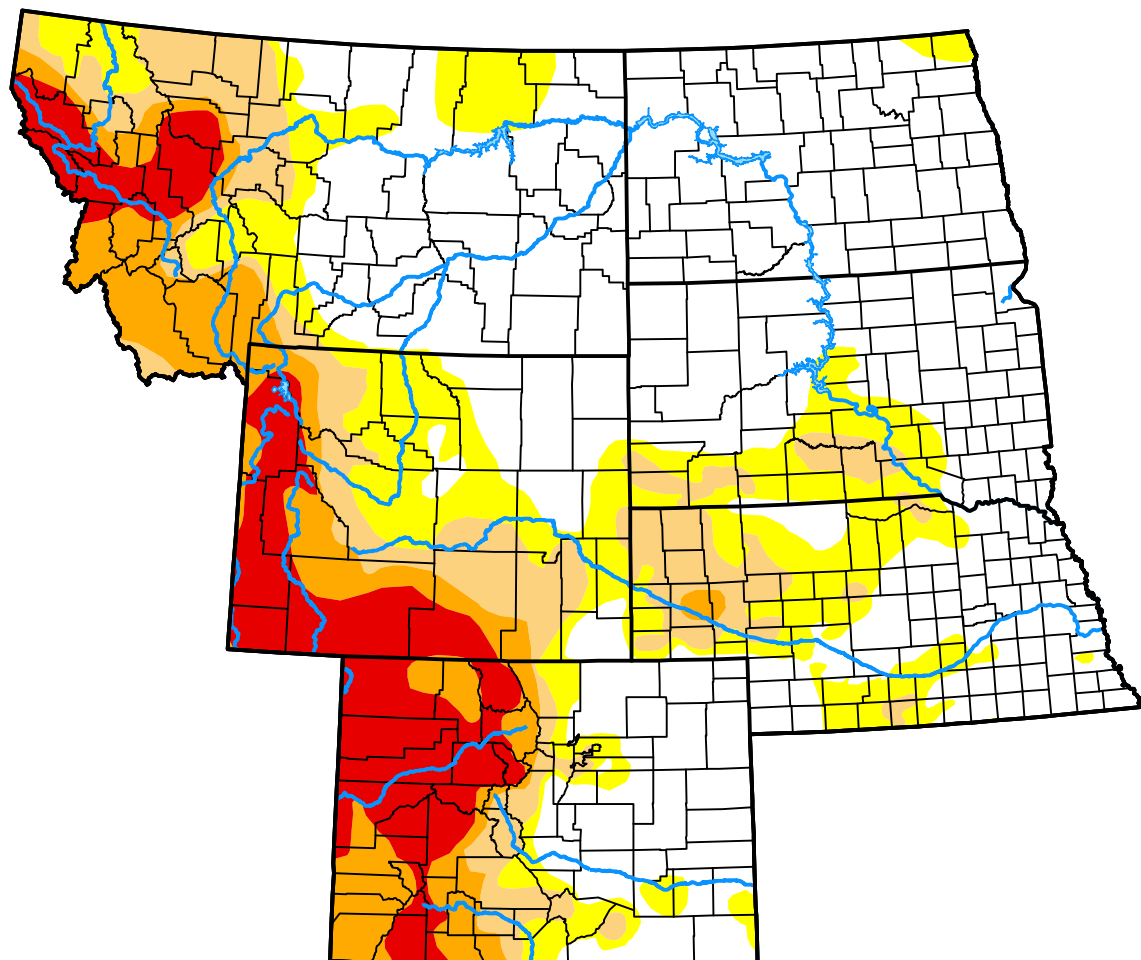


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northern Plains

Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	51.98	17.39	11.24	9.04	10.36	0.00
Last Week <i>09-02-2025</i>	52.27	16.88	11.71	8.70	10.44	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-10-2025</i>	27.29	24.38	32.76	14.41	1.17	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-07-2025</i>	19.04	18.57	26.48	24.24	11.66	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2024</i>	21.85	35.63	25.05	12.30	4.94	0.23
One Year Ago <i>09-10-2024</i>	28.47	32.76	24.44	10.91	3.19	0.23

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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