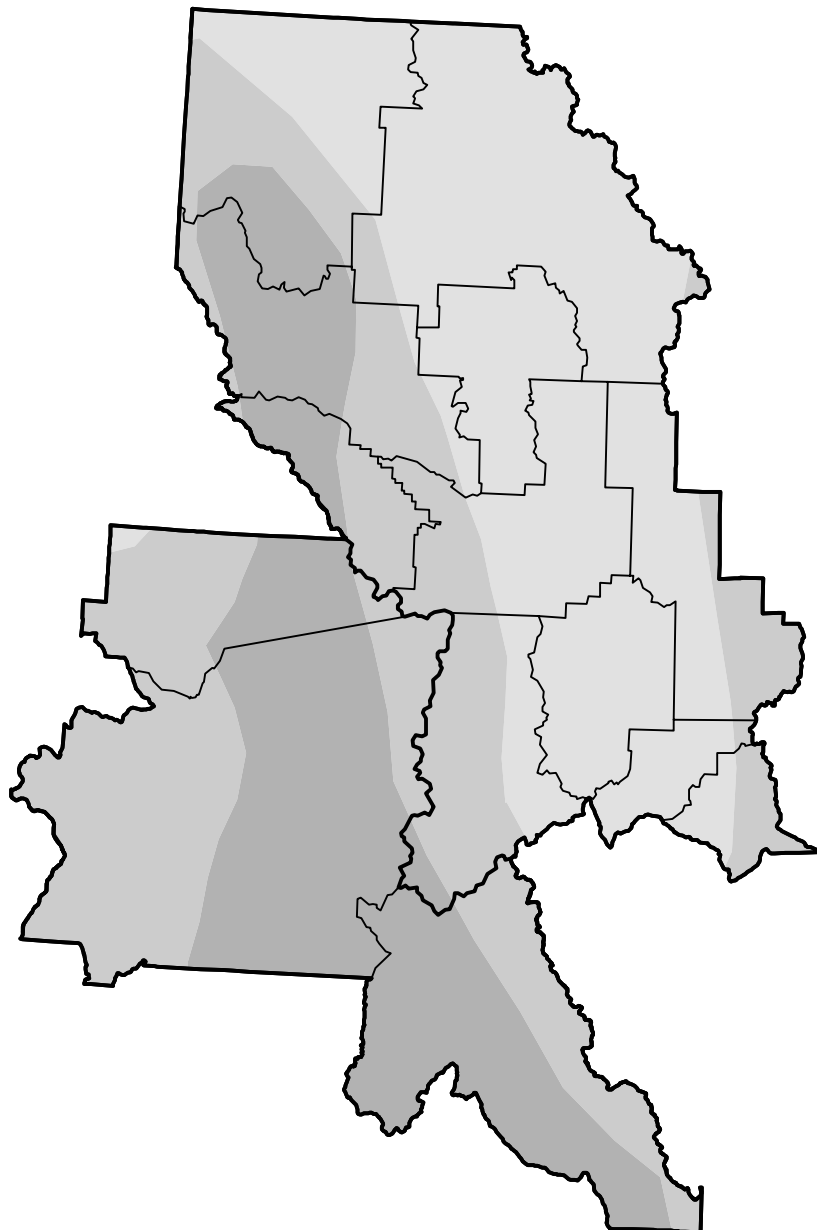


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Missoula, MT WFO

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	100.00	61.71	27.47	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-13-2005</i>	0.00	100.00	67.09	25.74	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-21-2005</i>	0.00	100.00	91.27	54.89	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	59.44	40.56	26.54	15.29	4.03	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	0.00	100.00	70.67	39.14	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-21-2004</i>	79.79	20.21	15.14	9.65	4.62	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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