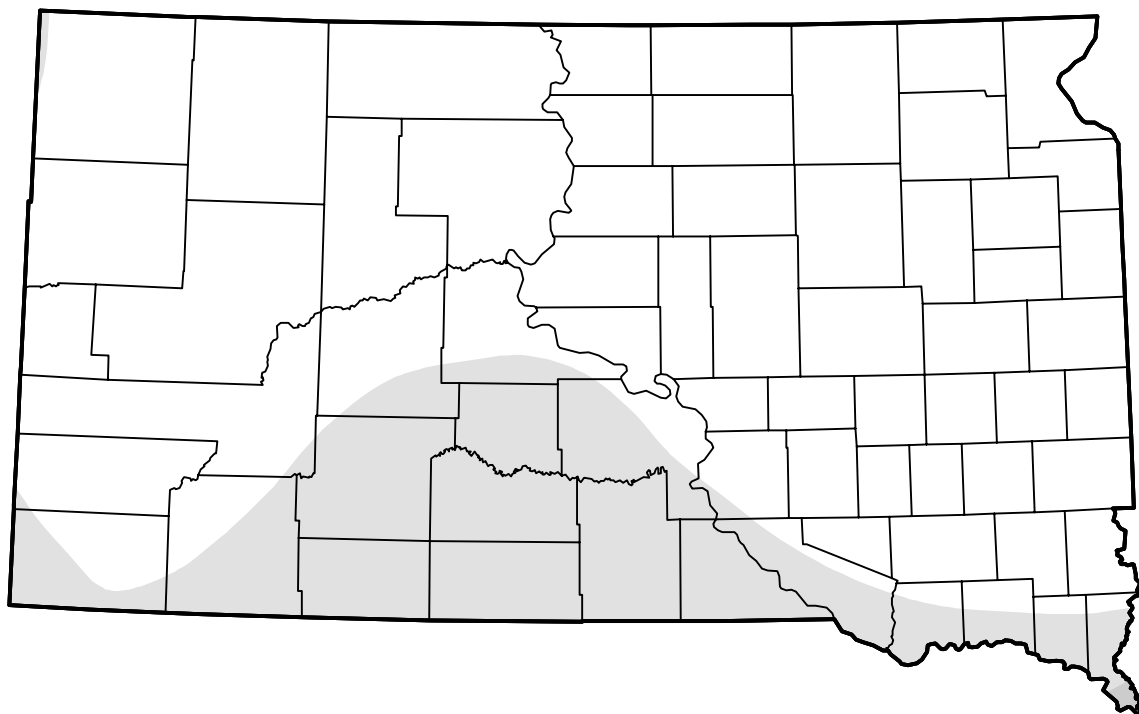


U.S. Drought Monitor South Dakota



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	78.94	21.06	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-07-2000	77.67	22.33	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-14-2000	51.55	48.45	0.88	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-06-2000	4.23	95.77	14.83	7.02	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-28-2000	41.14	58.86	6.63	0.05	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago	-	-	-	-	-	-

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.
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