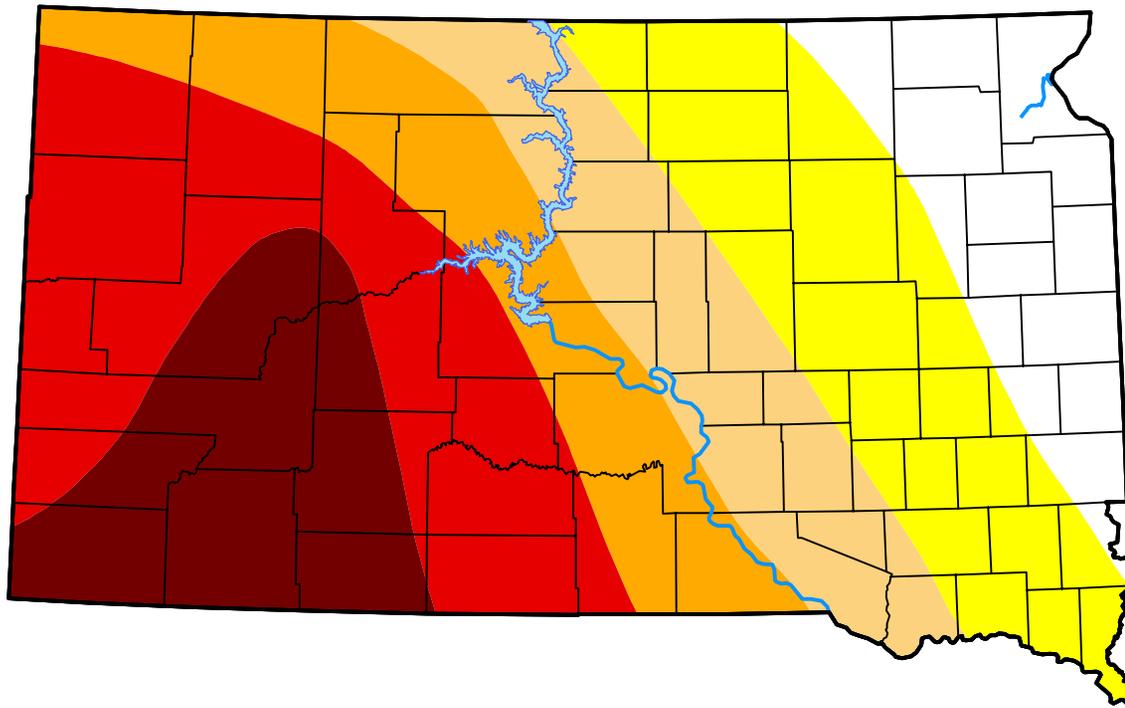


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	12.80	20.01	14.31	14.60	23.01	15.27
Last Week <i>08-01-2002</i>	3.50	15.37	27.25	14.50	39.38	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-09-2002</i>	0.00	70.20	22.31	7.49	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	53.20	42.56	4.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	85.88	14.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-09-2001</i>	98.80	1.20	0.00	0.00	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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