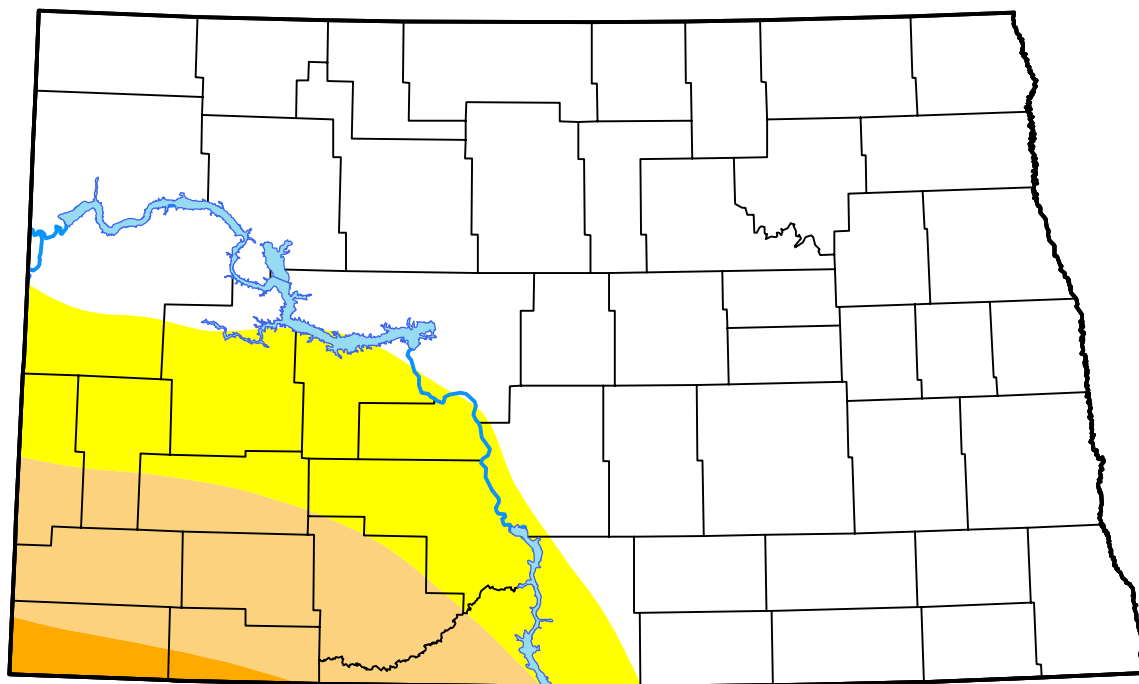


# U.S. Drought Monitor North Dakota

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None   | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 73.85  | 14.33 | 10.52 | 1.31 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-22-2002</i>              | 73.53  | 13.78 | 11.00 | 1.69 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-30-2002</i>           | 5.72   | 94.28 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2002</i> | 31.92  | 43.81 | 24.27 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2001</i>    | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-30-2001</i>           | 100.00 | 0.00  | 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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