

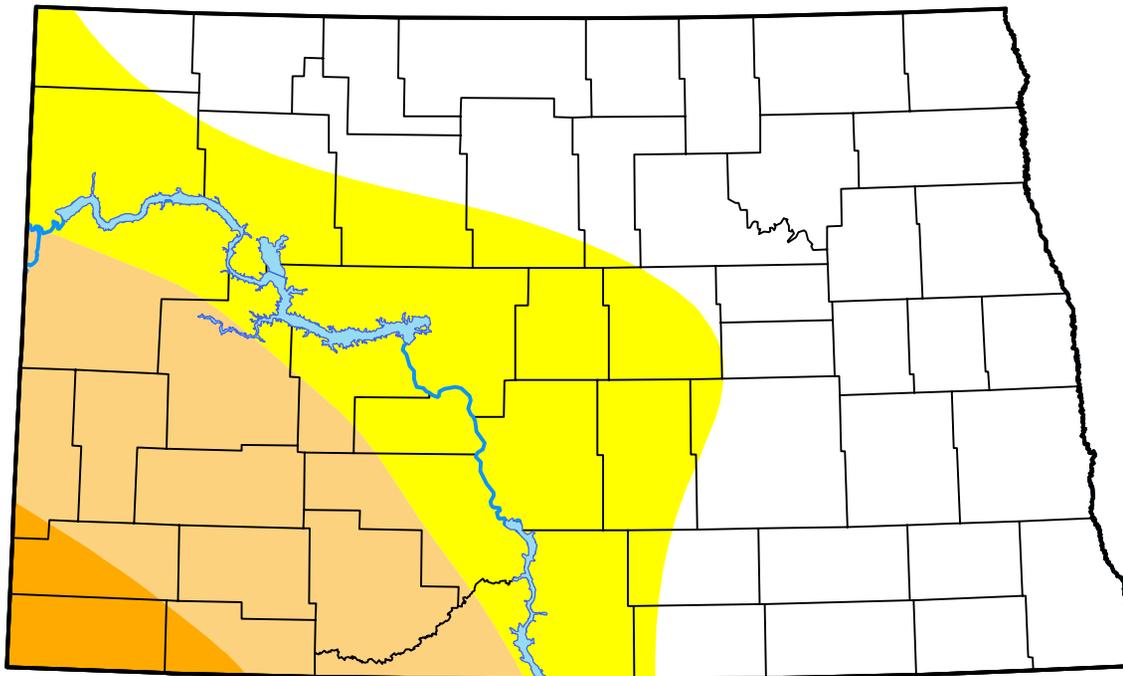
# U.S. Drought Monitor North Dakota

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 50.71 | 49.29 | 21.27 | 3.14  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>              | 75.31 | 24.69 | 3.93  | 0.11  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-11-2002</i>           | 62.85 | 37.15 | 21.31 | 7.25  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2002</i> | 31.92 | 68.08 | 24.27 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 75.31 | 24.69 | 3.93  | 0.11  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-11-2001</i>           | 61.66 | 38.34 | 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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