

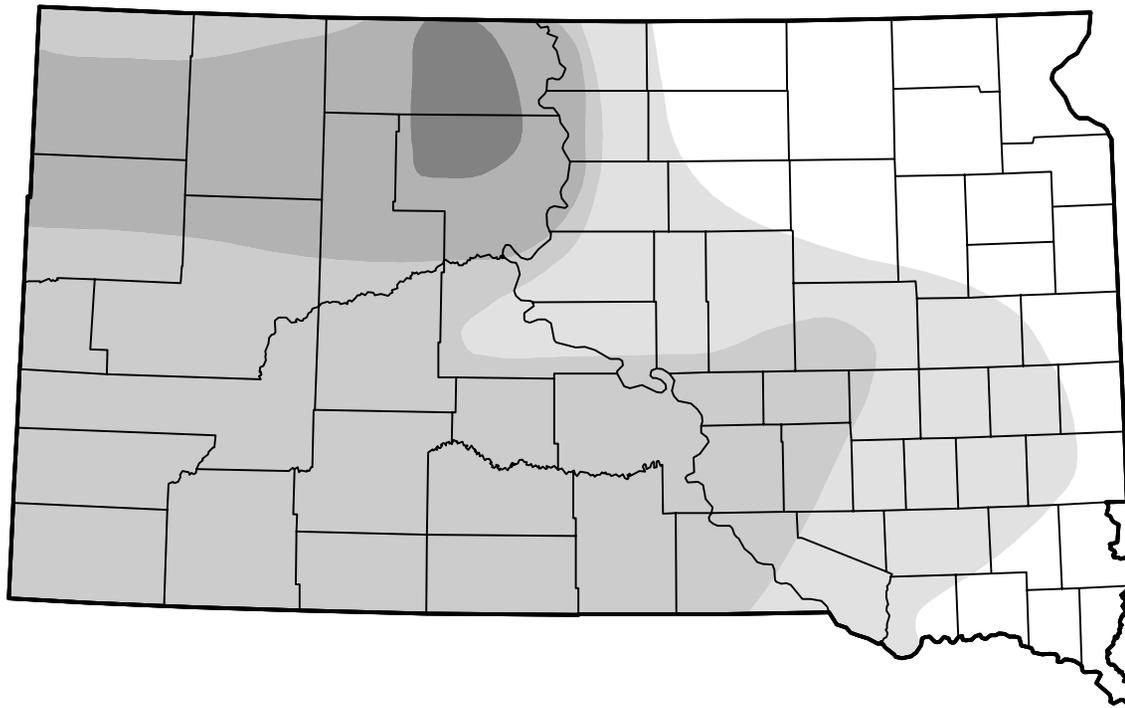
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South Dakota

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	21.05	78.95	59.78	17.39	2.32	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-22-2003</i>	26.80	73.20	58.21	16.68	2.40	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-27-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	68.37	55.60	46.18	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	18.11	81.89	64.32	55.29	25.36	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	36.01	63.99	52.56	35.14	18.37	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-30-2002</i>	32.80	67.20	0.19	0.00	0.00	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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