

U.S. Drought Monitor South Dakota

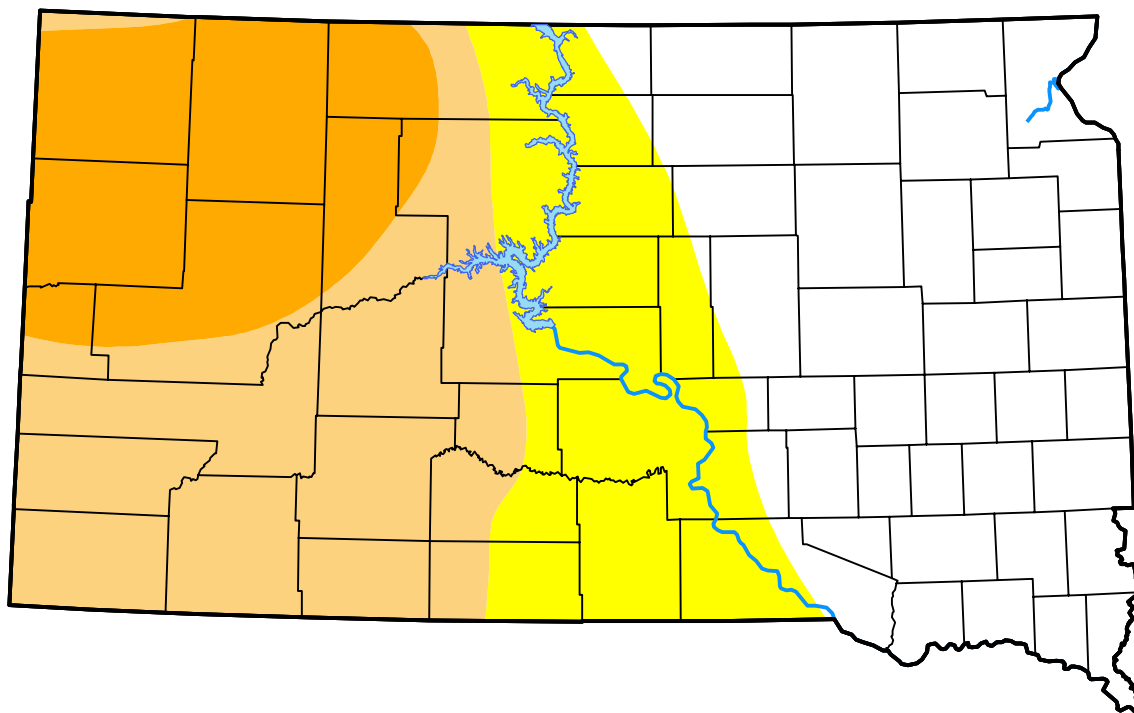
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	38.21	61.79	42.73	17.27	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-17-2003	46.56	53.44	32.60	9.73	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-24-2003	4.65	95.35	75.71	66.07	5.40	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2003	18.11	81.89	64.32	55.29	25.36	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-03-2002	36.01	63.99	52.56	35.14	18.37	0.00
One Year Ago 07-25-2002	2.98	97.02	89.68	50.79	0.05	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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