

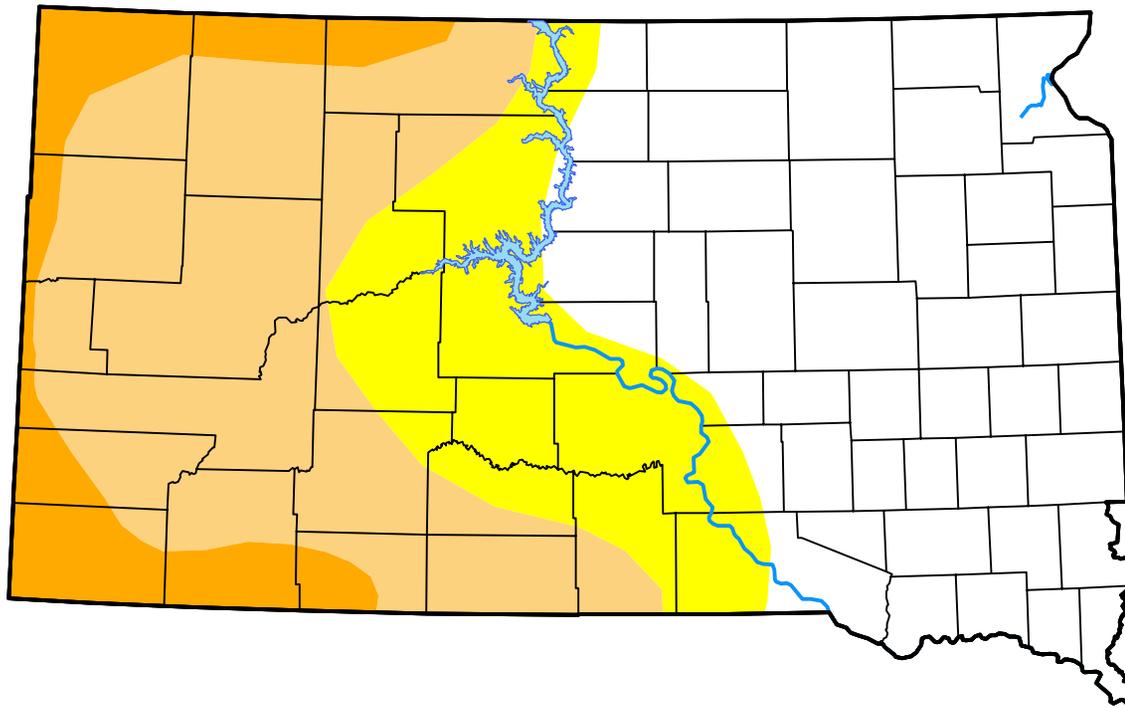
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South Dakota

**November 23, 2004**  
 (Released Wednesday, Nov. 24, 2004)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	43.80	17.40	29.50	9.30	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-18-2004</i>	43.80	17.40	29.50	9.30	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-26-2004</i>	35.34	10.27	33.47	15.18	5.75	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	0.00	20.03	28.93	34.98	16.06	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	38.66	14.76	32.36	14.22	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-26-2003</i>	3.50	15.52	30.94	35.18	14.87	0.00



### Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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