

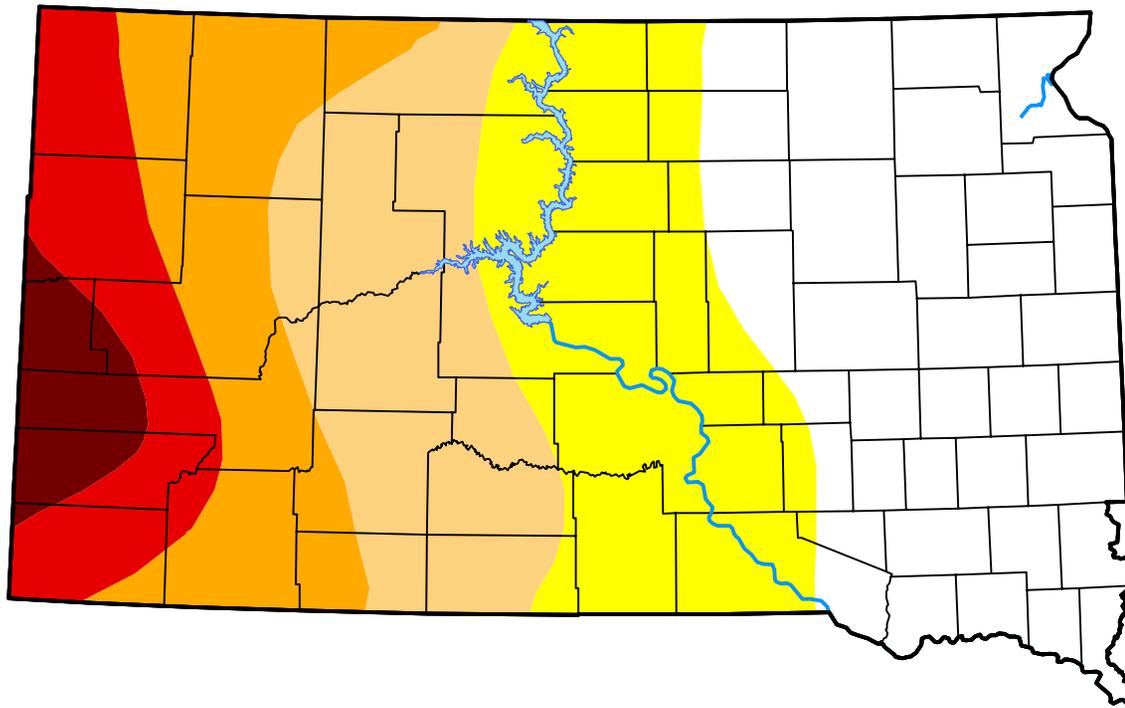
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South Dakota

**April 19, 2005**  
 (Released Thursday, Apr. 21, 2005)  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	34.00	21.85	17.28	14.03	9.16	3.67
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-14-2005</i>	34.02	21.84	17.28	15.65	10.57	0.65
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-20-2005</i>	38.07	19.99	23.96	17.80	0.17	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	39.80	19.01	23.91	17.11	0.17	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>04-22-2004</i>	0.86	6.38	46.68	46.08	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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