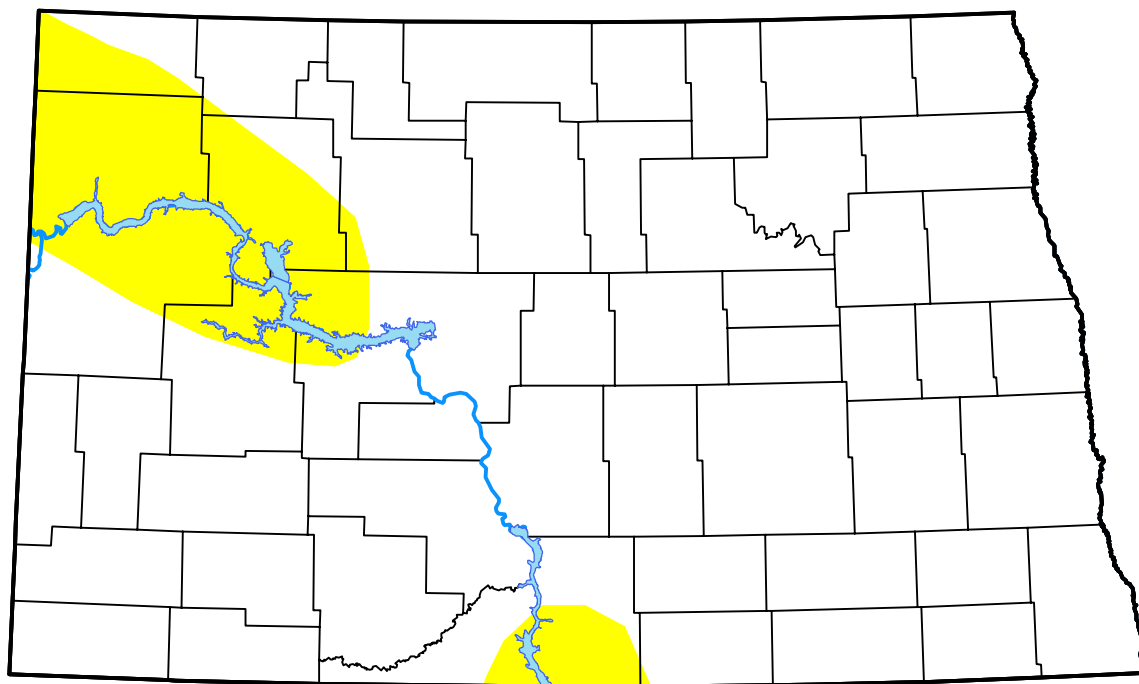


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	88.06	11.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-13-2005	87.52	12.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-21-2005	77.01	22.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-06-2005	45.12	26.13	11.36	17.39	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2005	75.50	24.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 10-21-2004	50.86	22.45	9.33	17.36	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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