

U.S. Drought Monitor

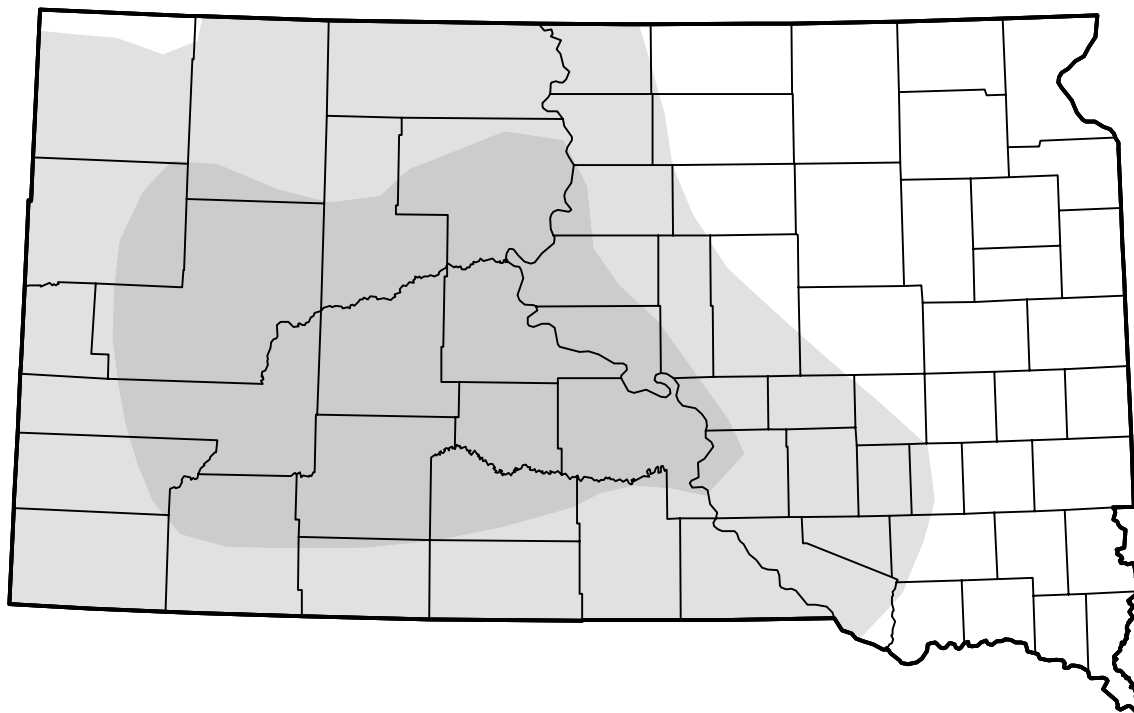
South Dakota

November 15, 2005
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	31.64	68.36	29.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-10-2005</i>	34.36	65.64	26.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-18-2005</i>	35.43	64.57	10.20	1.97	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	39.80	60.20	41.19	17.28	0.17	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	40.38	59.62	20.98	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-18-2004</i>	43.80	56.20	38.80	9.30	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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