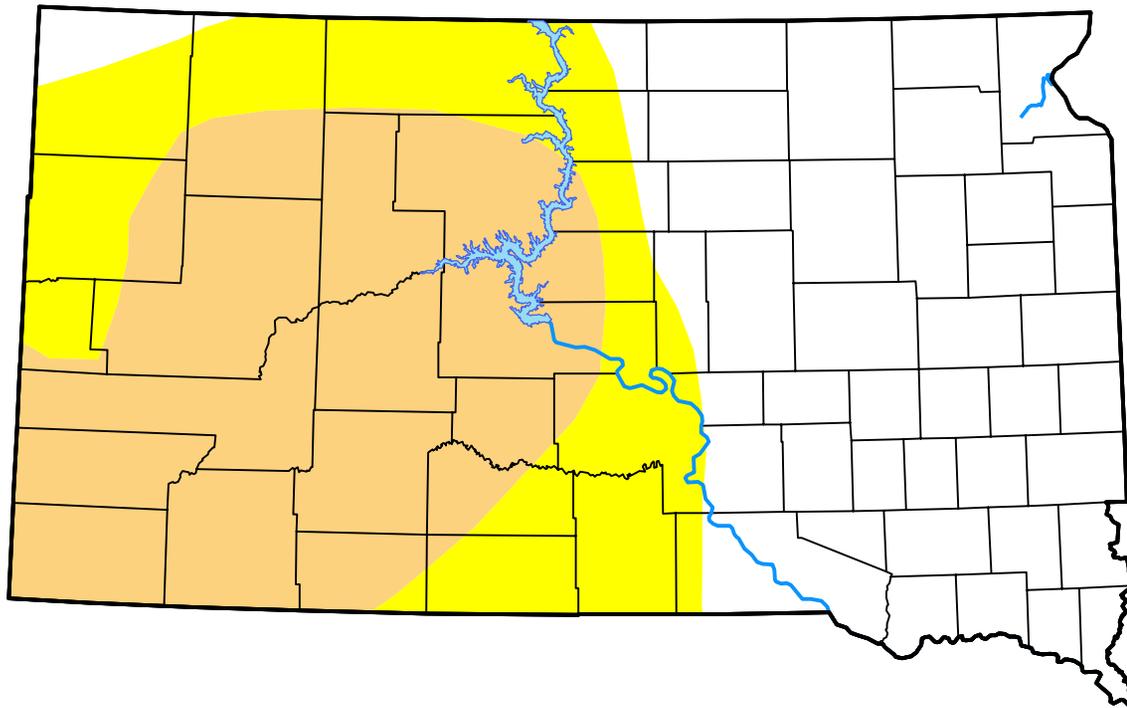


# U.S. Drought Monitor South Dakota

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	43.06	21.45	35.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-22-2005</i>	43.06	21.45	35.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	40.38	38.64	20.98	0.00	0.00	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>09-29-2005</i>	40.38	38.64	20.98	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-30-2004</i>	39.80	19.01	23.91	17.11	0.17	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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