

U.S. Drought Monitor South Dakota

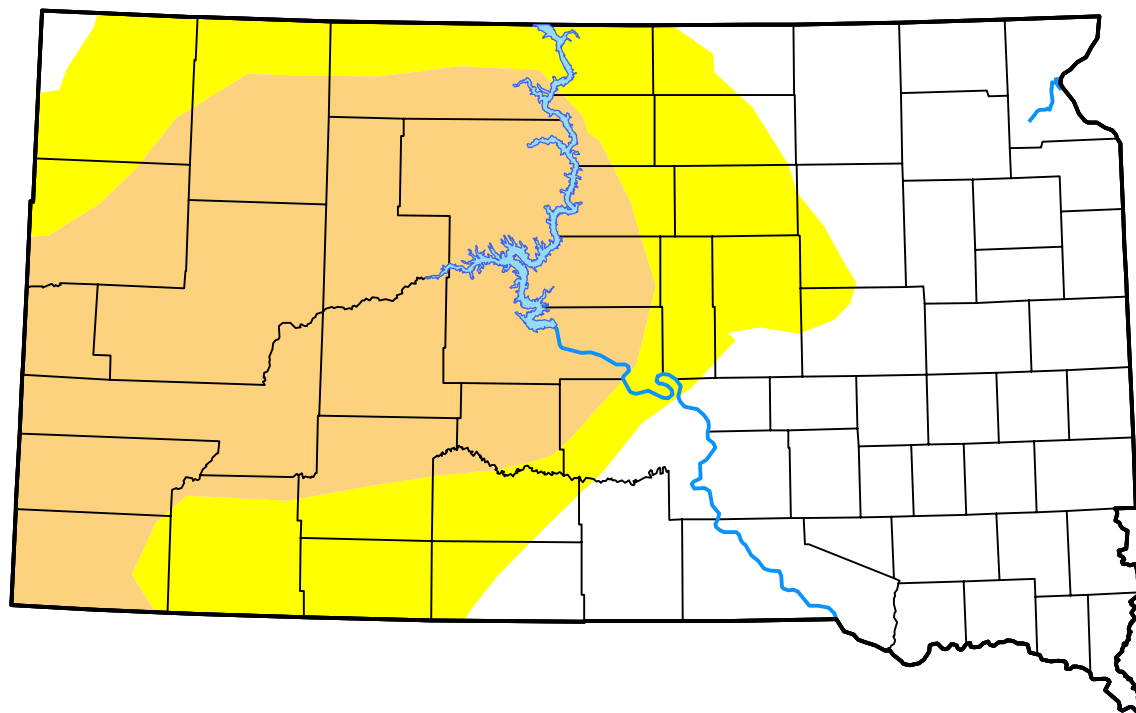
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	40.38	23.57	36.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-30-2006</i>	40.42	22.42	37.16	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-05-2006</i>	42.79	21.72	35.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	42.79	21.72	35.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	40.38	38.64	20.98	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-07-2005</i>	23.81	28.01	21.31	15.65	10.57	0.65



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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