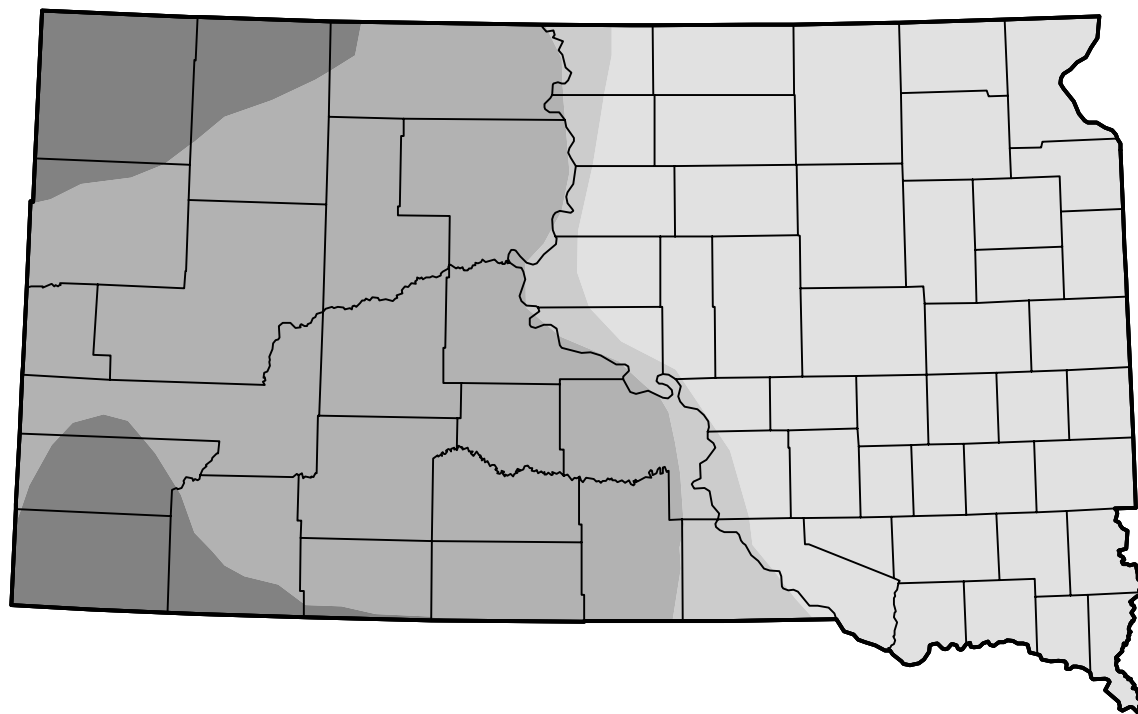


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	56.94	52.18	10.93	0.00
Last Week 12-07-2006	0.00	100.00	56.94	52.18	10.93	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-14-2006	14.58	85.42	75.59	64.71	46.65	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2006	42.79	57.21	35.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-28-2006	26.55	73.45	57.94	52.13	13.99	0.00
One Year Ago 12-15-2005	43.06	56.94	35.49	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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