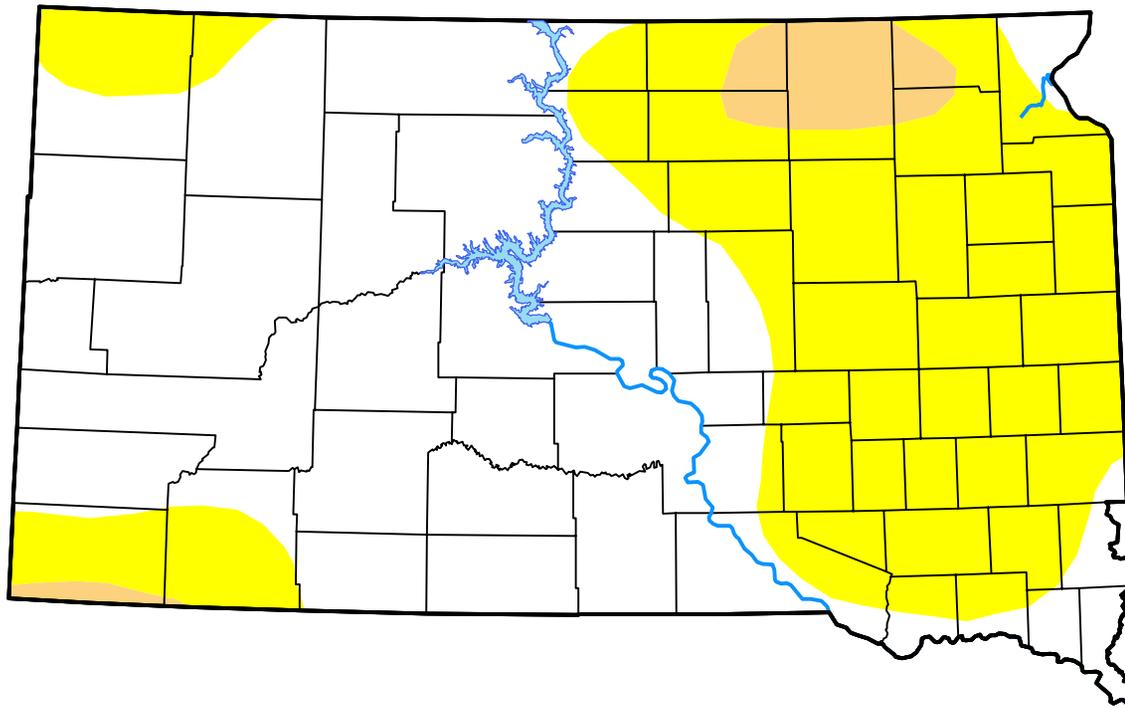


# U.S. Drought Monitor South Dakota

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	59.10	37.19	3.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-10-2008</i>	81.94	17.63	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-17-2008</i>	44.90	19.41	24.11	11.58	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	55.34	10.12	25.59	8.94	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2007</i>	68.53	12.25	10.58	8.65	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-19-2007</i>	45.78	37.41	10.17	5.15	1.49	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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