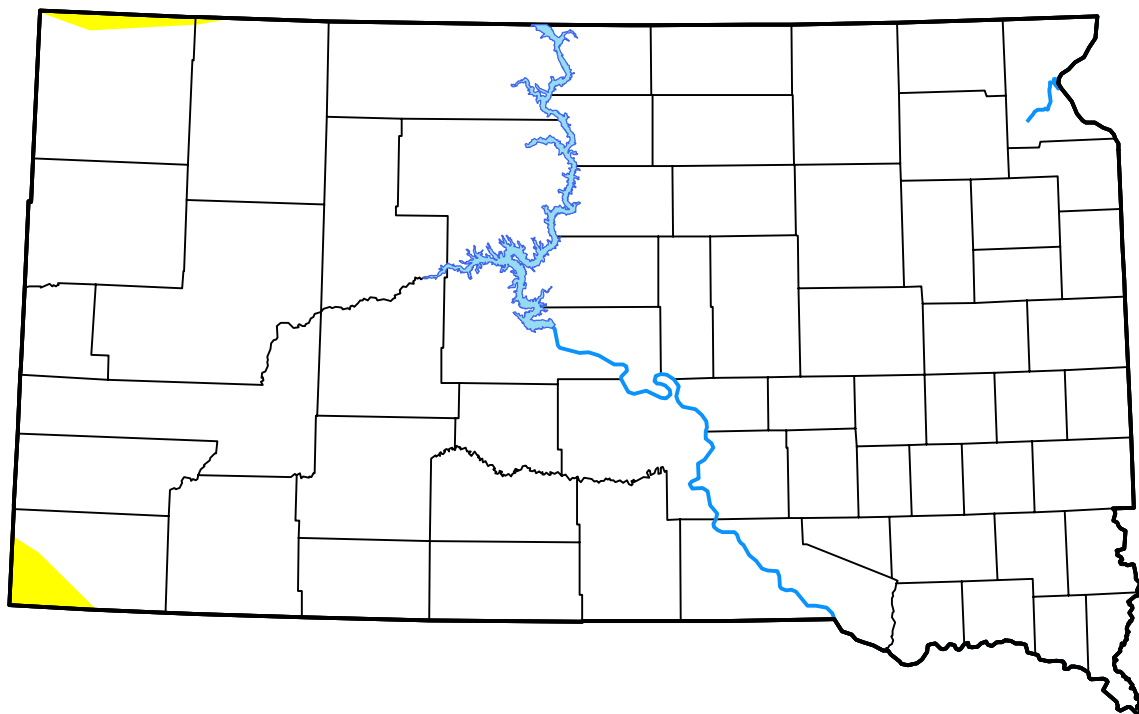


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	99.21	0.79	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-06-2008</i>	98.43	1.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-14-2008</i>	82.06	17.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	55.34	10.12	25.59	8.94	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	73.92	19.12	6.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-15-2007</i>	58.40	10.56	30.15	0.89	0.00	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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