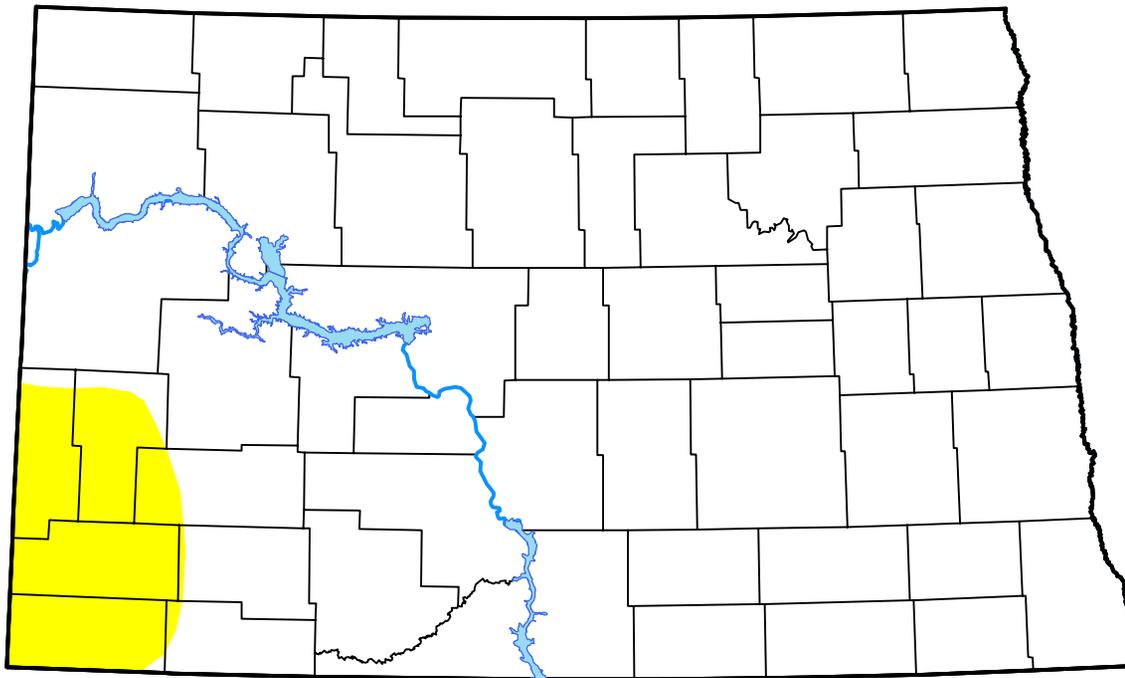


U.S. Drought Monitor North Dakota

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 93.52 | 6.48 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>03-12-2009</i> | 93.52 | 6.48 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-18-2008</i> | 74.56 | 25.44 | 16.27 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i> | 74.56 | 25.44 | 16.27 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i> | 54.85 | 45.15 | 28.83 | 19.39 | 11.79 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-20-2008</i> | 0.00 | 100.00 | 62.29 | 39.05 | 5.82 | 0.00 |

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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