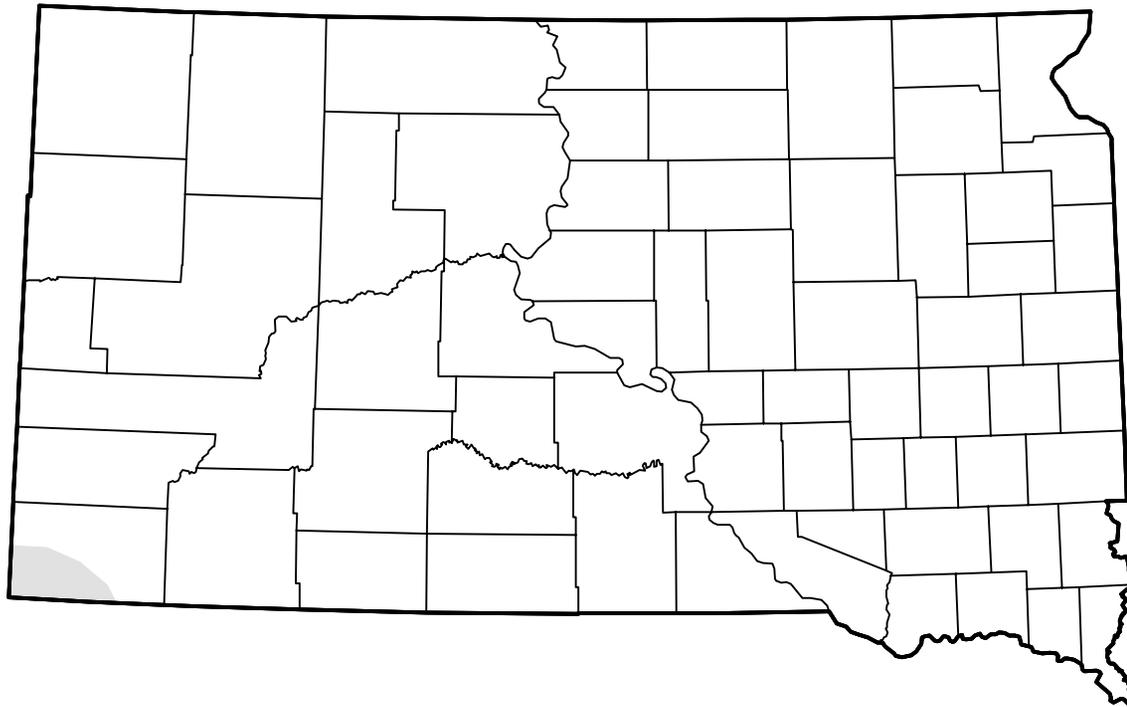


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South Dakota

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	99.33	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-02-2009</i>	99.33	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-08-2009</i>	99.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	99.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	73.92	26.08	6.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-10-2008</i>	39.23	60.77	35.70	10.85	0.00	0.00

### Intensity:



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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