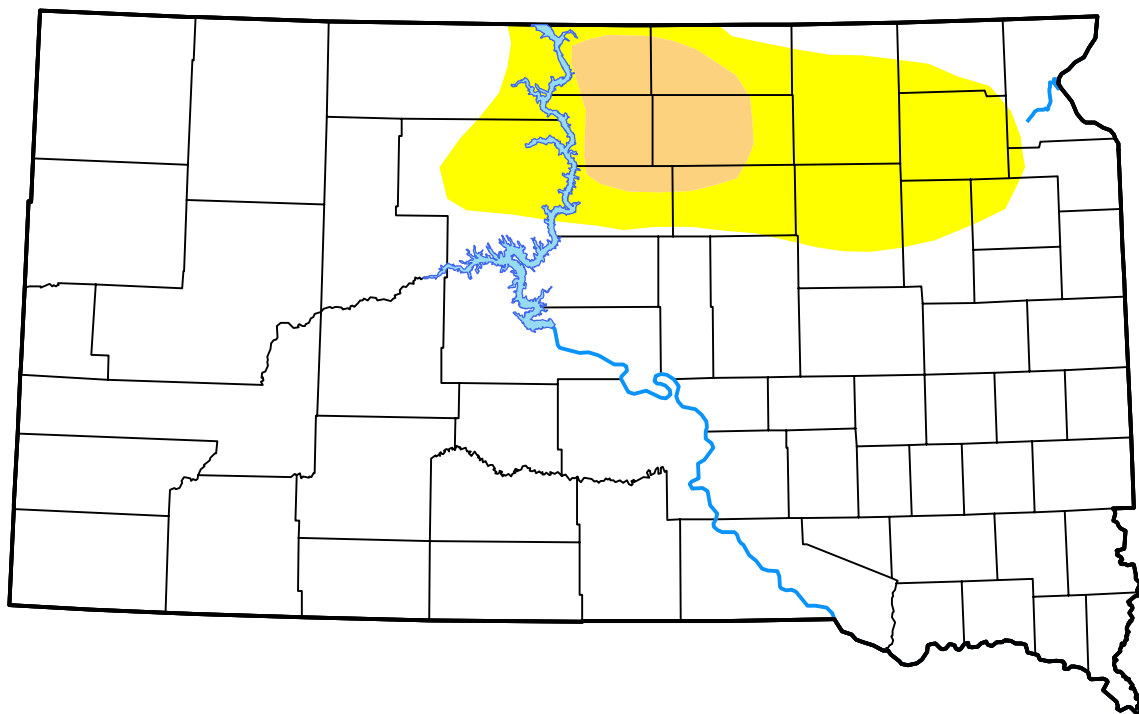


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	84.81	11.66	3.53	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-26-2010</i>	88.72	8.05	3.22	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-03-2010</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2009</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i>	93.03	6.94	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-03-2009</i>	99.21	0.79	0.00	0.00	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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