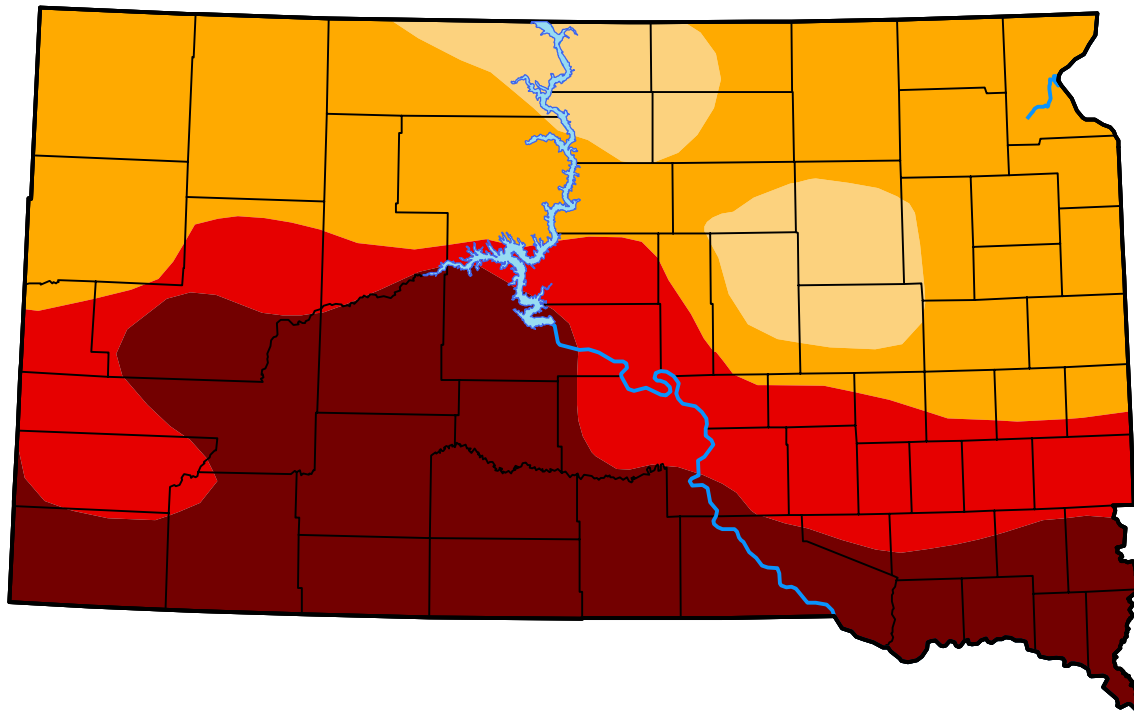


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	100.00	91.39	52.65	32.57
Last Week <i>10-04-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	82.30	50.48	27.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-12-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	77.46	19.37	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	48.14	51.86	13.86	2.11	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	74.69	50.53	6.72
One Year Ago <i>10-13-2011</i>	74.03	25.97	7.43	0.00	0.00	0.00



Intensity:



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