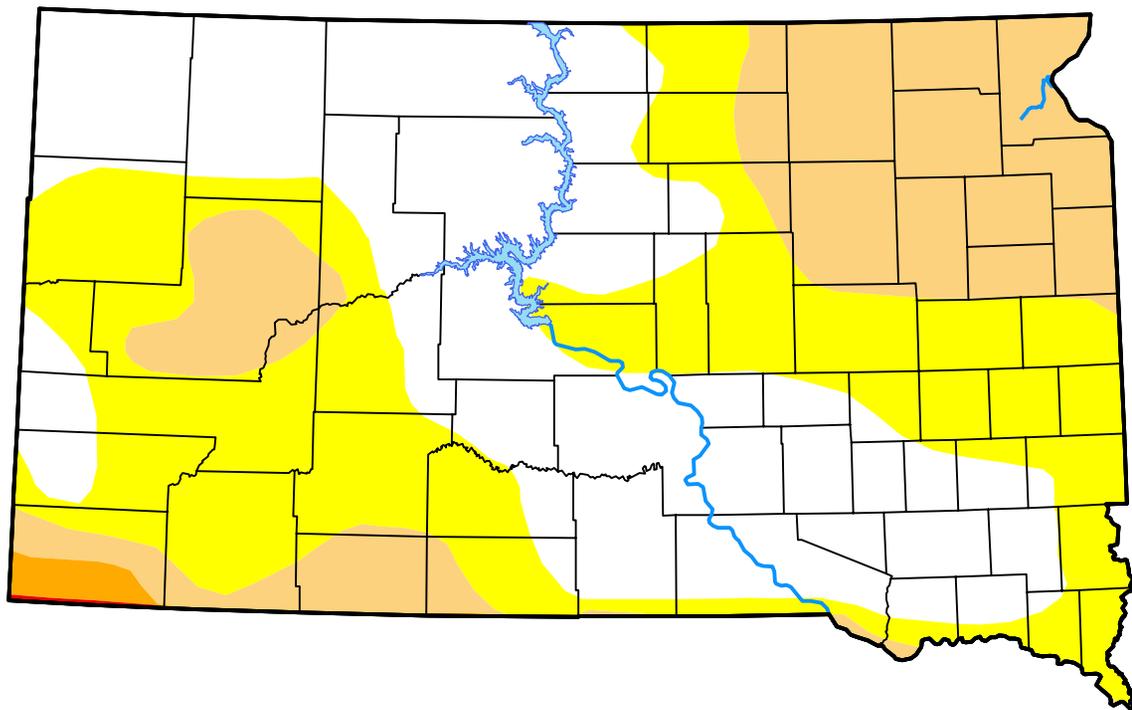


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Dakota

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	41.70	35.87	21.47	0.86	0.10	0.00
Last Week <i>08-29-2013</i>	39.97	37.16	21.90	0.86	0.10	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-06-2013</i>	24.44	31.43	33.86	10.05	0.22	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	0.00	0.00	3.05	33.79	32.48	30.68
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.00	0.00	25.31	24.15	43.82	6.72
One Year Ago <i>09-06-2012</i>	0.00	8.55	22.46	19.15	45.06	4.77

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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