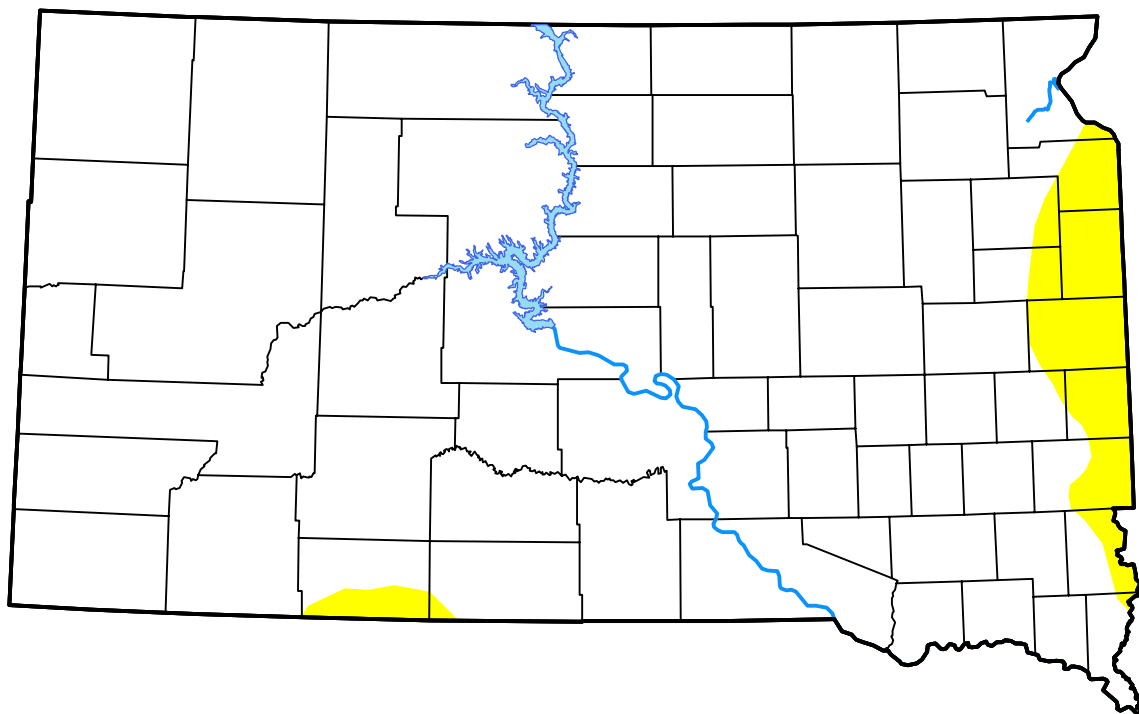


# U.S. Drought Monitor South Dakota

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0-D4  | D1-D4  | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4    |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 94.87 | 5.13   | 0.00   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>10-31-2013              | 89.24 | 10.76  | 0.00   | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>08-08-2013           | 45.14 | 54.86  | 26.65  | 5.59  | 0.76  | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-03-2013 | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 96.95 | 63.17 | 30.68 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-03-2013    | 32.12 | 67.88  | 25.34  | 0.97  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>11-08-2012           | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 87.44 | 56.86 | 32.57 |

## 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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