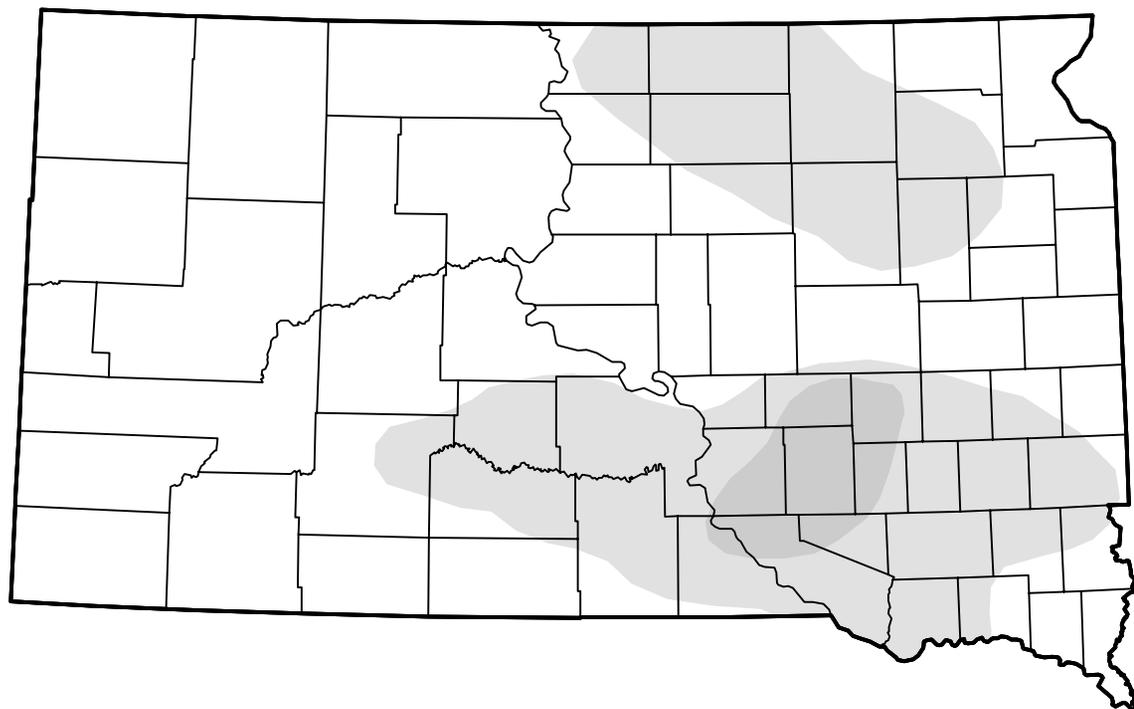


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	69.29	27.10	3.61	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-31-2014</i>	71.11	25.27	3.61	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-08-2014</i>	75.44	14.71	9.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2014</i>	95.77	4.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2013</i>	32.12	42.54	24.37	0.97	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-08-2013</i>	45.14	28.21	21.06	4.83	0.76	0.00

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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