

# U.S. Drought Monitor

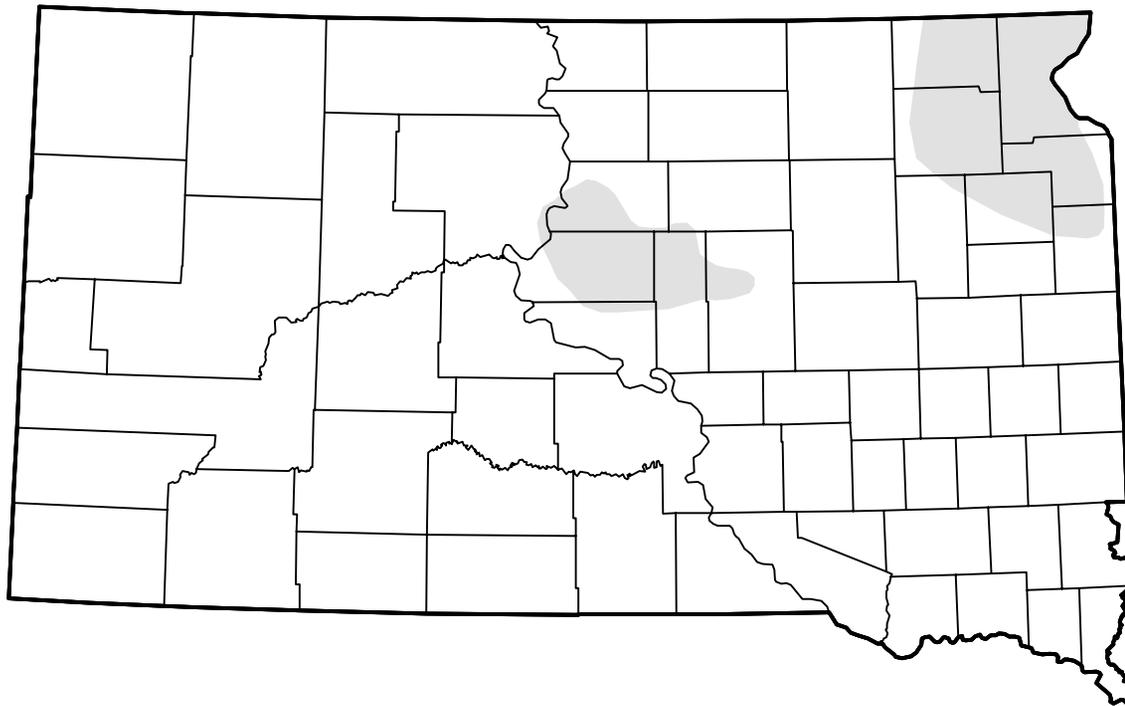
## South Dakota

**October 21, 2014**  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	92.45	7.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-16-2014</i>	92.45	7.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-24-2014</i>	89.83	6.65	3.52	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	95.77	4.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2014</i>	97.46	2.54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-24-2013</i>	89.24	10.76	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



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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