

# U.S. Drought Monitor

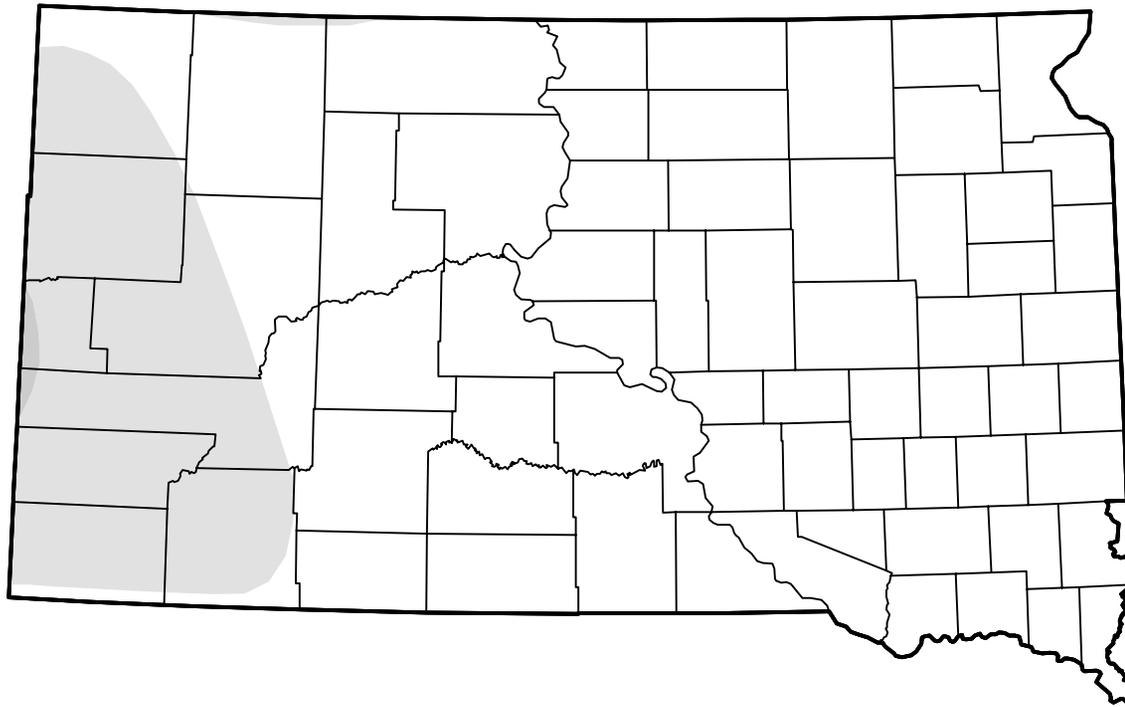
## South Dakota

**April 25, 2017**  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 82.81 | 16.92 | 0.27  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>04-20-2017</i>              | 82.81 | 16.92 | 0.27  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>01-26-2017</i>           | 61.17 | 12.82 | 20.00 | 6.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2017</i> | 61.22 | 12.77 | 20.00 | 6.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>    | 47.50 | 31.55 | 16.02 | 3.83 | 1.09 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>04-28-2016</i>           | 93.62 | 6.38  | 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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