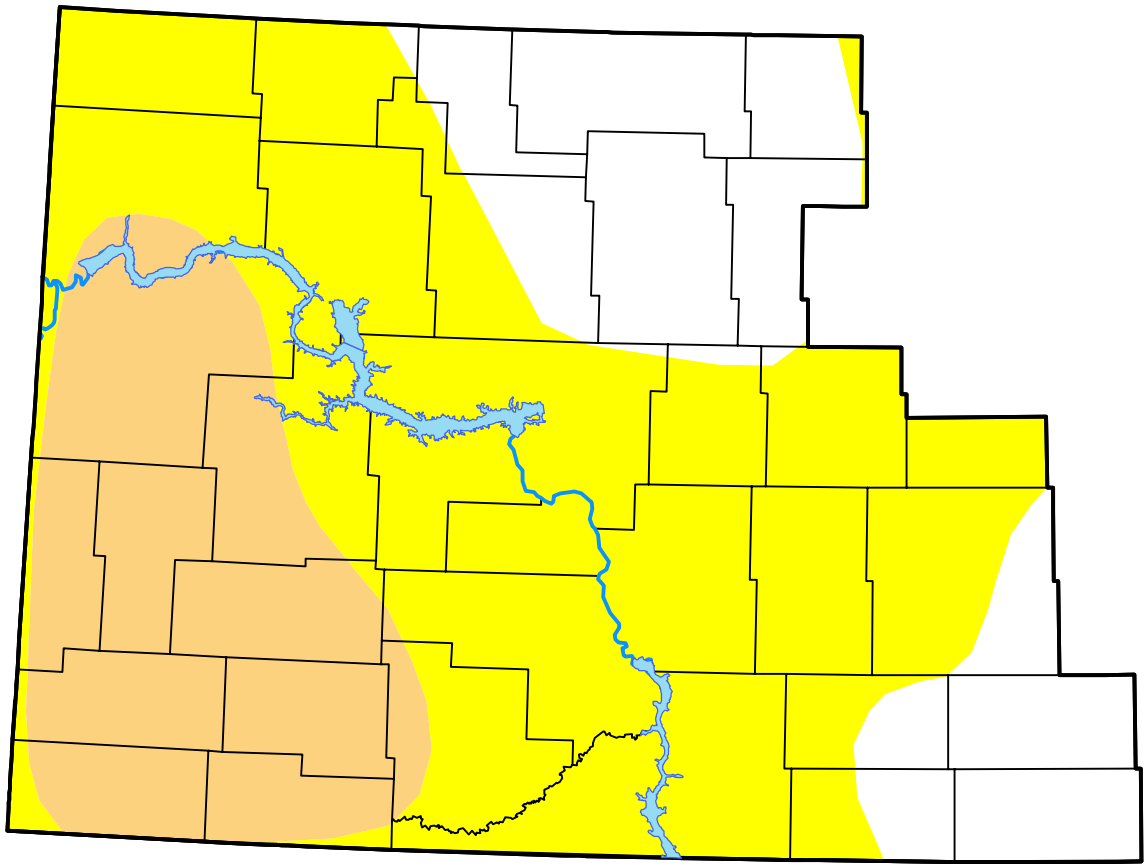
U.S. Drought Monitor

Bismarck, ND WFO



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	22.62	77.38	23.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week *04-12-2012*	21.64	78.36	14.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago *01-19-2012*	0.53	99.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-05-2012*	0.53	99.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-29-2011*	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago *04-21-2011*	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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