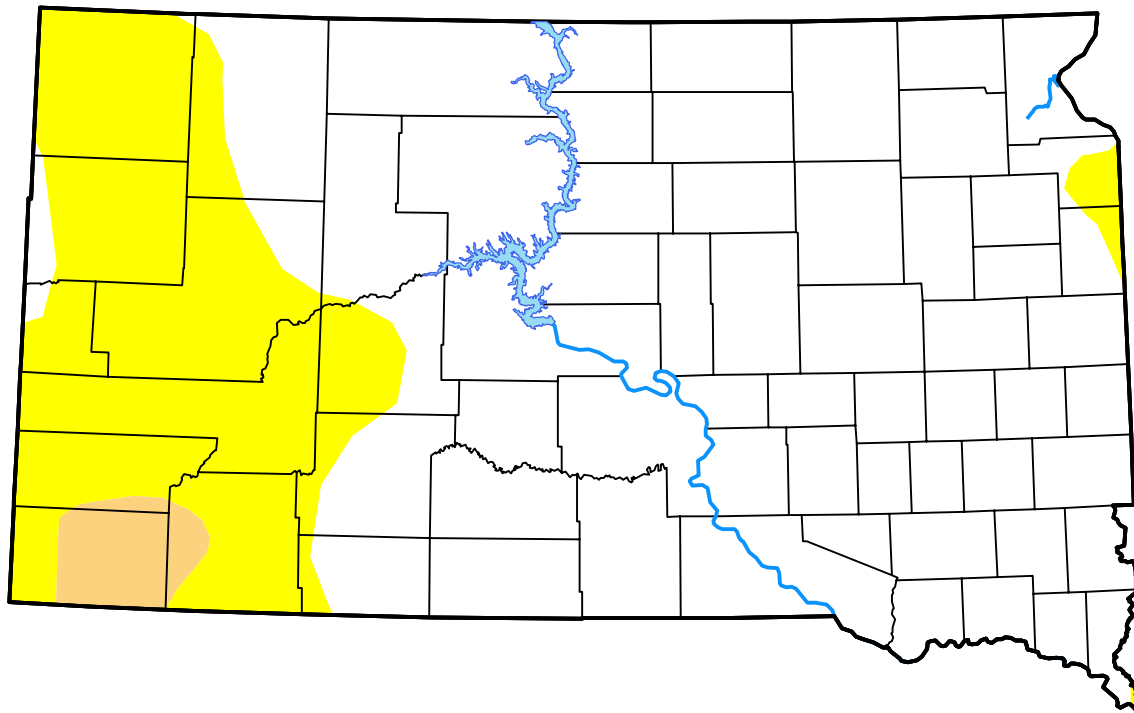


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	75.13	24.87	2.16	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-03-2012</i>	47.19	52.81	17.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-09-2012</i>	30.59	69.41	20.25	1.65	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	48.14	51.86	13.86	2.11	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	71.37	28.63	7.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-12-2011</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



Intensity:



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