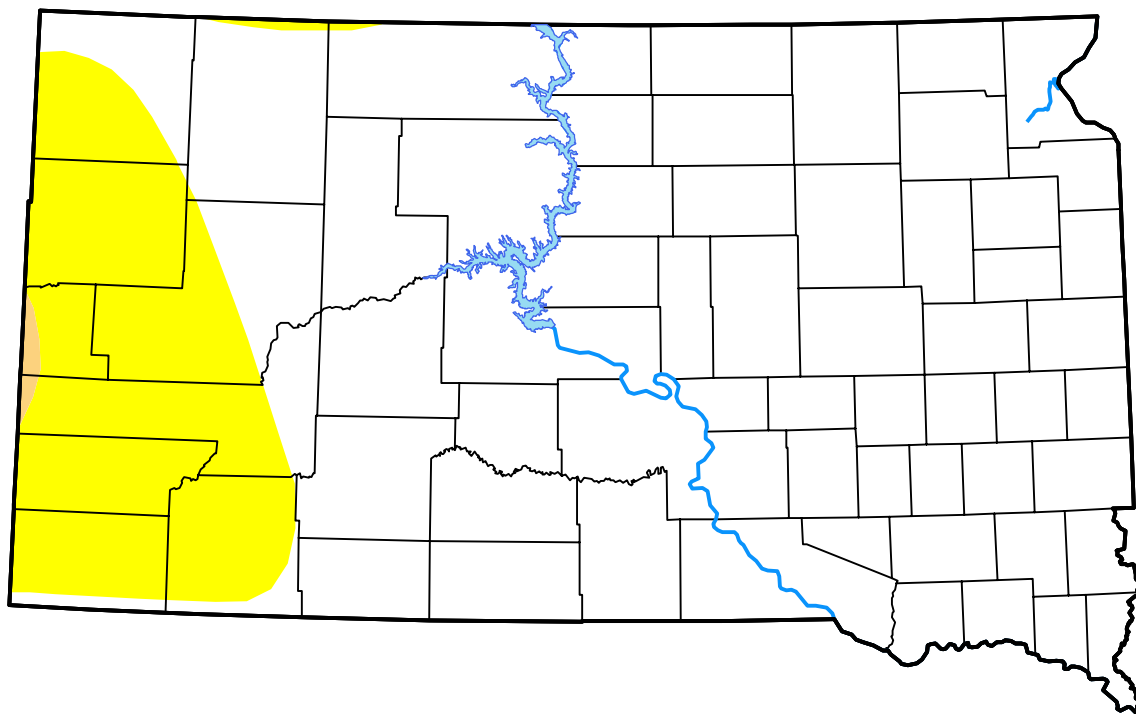


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	82.81	16.92	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 04-13-2017	82.81	16.92	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-19-2017	61.22	12.77	20.00	6.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2017	61.22	12.77	20.00	6.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2016	47.50	31.55	16.02	3.83	1.09	0.00
One Year Ago 04-21-2016	85.51	9.25	5.24	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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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