

# U.S. Drought Monitor

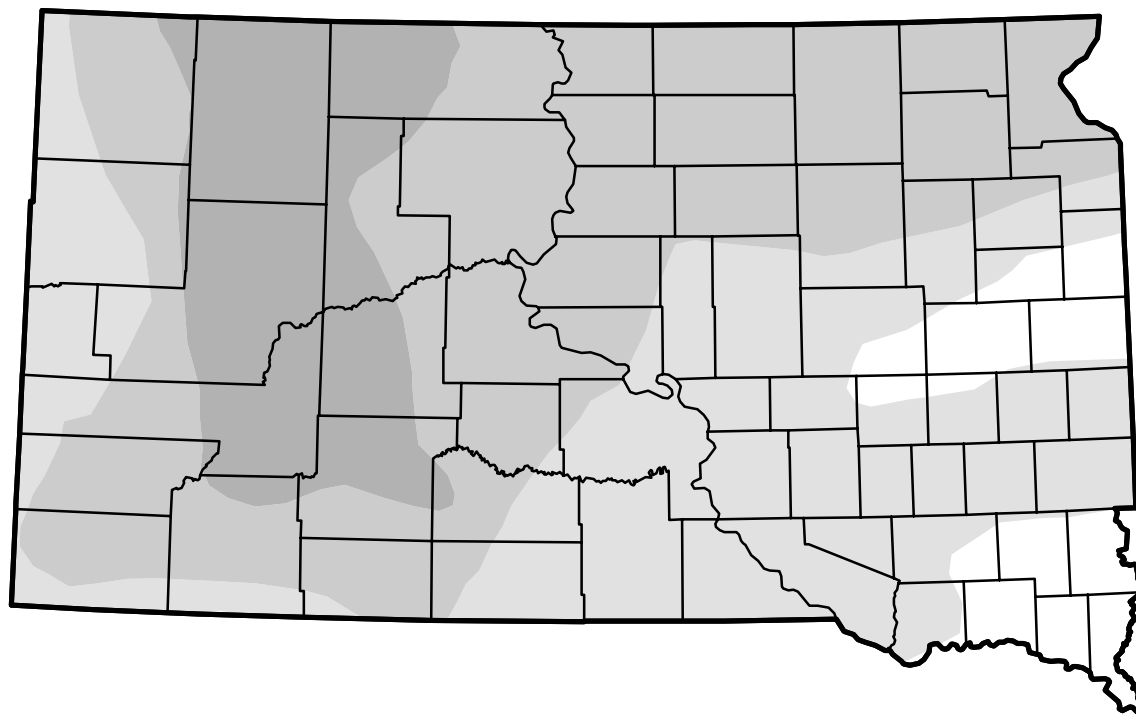
## South Dakota

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	7.63	33.88	42.49	16.01	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-06-2018</i>	6.60	30.97	46.42	16.01	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-14-2017</i>	26.85	24.09	30.42	12.72	5.92	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2018</i>	6.68	40.48	34.20	12.72	5.92	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2017</i>	19.56	21.09	27.05	26.69	5.62	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-14-2017</i>	61.17	12.82	26.01	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:

- 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. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.*

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